

Most people read words more accurately than they spell them. The younger pupils are, the truer this is. This list provides examples of words embodying each pattern which is taught. Many of the words listed are used frequently in pupils' writing, and therefore it is worth pupils learning the correct spelling.

| <b>dge</b> | <b>hard g</b> | <b>soft g/j</b> | <b>hard c</b> | <b>soft c</b> |
|------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1. badge   | 1. grab       | 1. huge         | 1. count      | 1. race       |
| 2. hedge   | 2. gum        | 2. change       | 2. October    | 2. ice        |
| 3. edge    | 3. peg        | 3. gem          | 3. Cape       | 3. cell       |
| 4. bridge  |               | 4. giant        | 4. cane       | 4. city       |
| 5. dodge   |               | 5. energy       |               | 5. fancy      |
|            |               | 6. giraffe      |               |               |
|            |               | 7. magic        |               |               |
|            |               | 8. adjust       |               |               |
|            |               | 9. jacket       |               |               |
|            |               | 10. join        |               |               |

| <b>silent k/silent g</b> | <b>silent w/wh</b> | <b>words ending in 'e'</b> | <b>words ending in 'el'</b> | <b>words ending in 'al'</b> |
|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. knock                 | 1. write           | 1. apple                   | 1. camel                    | 1. metal                    |
| 2. knee                  | 2. wrap            | 2. bottle                  | 2. tunnel                   | 2. pedal                    |
| 3. know                  | 3. wrote           | 3. table                   | 3. squirrel                 | 3. capital                  |
| 4. knight                | 4. when            | 4. little                  | 4. travel                   | 4. hospital                 |
| 5. gnaw                  | 5. who             | 5. middle                  | 5. towel                    | 5. animal                   |
| 6. gnat                  | 6. where           |                            | 6. tinsel                   |                             |
|                          | 7. what            |                            |                             |                             |
|                          | 8. wrong           |                            |                             |                             |
|                          | 9. whole           |                            |                             |                             |
|                          | 10. written        |                            |                             |                             |

| <b>words ending in 'il'</b> | <b>y endings (making i sound)</b> | <b>plurals and verb ending y to ies</b> | <b>ed, ing, er, est endings 1</b> | <b>ed, ing, er, est 2</b> |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. pencil                   | 1. fly                            | 1. flies                                | 1. copy                           | 1. hike                   |
| 2. fossil                   | 2. cry                            | 2. tries                                | 2. copier                         | 2. hiking                 |
| 3. nostril                  | 3. July                           | 3. replies                              | 3. copies                         | 3. shiny                  |
|                             | 4. reply                          | 4. copies                               | 4. happy                          | 4. shinier                |
|                             | 5. dry                            | 5. babies                               | 5. happiest                       | 5. nicer                  |
|                             |                                   | 6. carries                              | 6. happier                        | 6. nicest                 |
|                             |                                   |   | 7. cried                          | 7. patted                 |
|                             |                                   |   | 8. crying                         | 8. hummed                 |
|                             |                                   |   | 9. replied                        | 9. sadder                 |
|                             |                                   |   | 10. replying                      | 10. saddest               |

### Year 2 Spellings

| 'al' and 'a' words | u spelt o  | 'ee' spelt 'ey' | o spelt as a | er /or/ar  |
|--------------------|------------|-----------------|--------------|------------|
| 1. all             | 1. other   | 1. key          | 1. want      | 1. word    |
| 2. talk            | 2. Monday  | 2. monkey       | 2. squash    | 2. work    |
| 3. always          | 3. nothing | 3. money        | 3. wander    | 3. worm    |
| 4. ball            | 4. mother  | 4. donkey       | 4. watch     | 4. world   |
| 5. call            | 5. brother | 5. chimney      | 5. quantity  | 5. worth   |
| 6. walk            |            | 6. valley       |              | 6. war     |
| 7. water           |            |                 |              | 7. warm    |
|                    |            |                 |              | 8. towards |

| zh            | suffixes 1   | suffixes 2    | contractions | words ending tion |
|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|
| 1. television | 1. sadness   | 1. penniless  | 1. can't     | 1. station        |
| 2. treasure   | 2. enjoyment | 2. cordless   | 2. didn't    | 2. fiction        |
| 3. measure    | 3. happiness | 3. helpless   | 3. it's      | 3. motion         |
| 4. usual      | 4. weakness  | 4. playful    | 4. I'll      | 4. national       |
| 5. pleasure   | 5. goodness  | 5. wonderful  | 5. couldn't  | 5. section        |
|               | 6. happiness | 6. beautiful  | 6. hasn't    | 6. mention        |
|               | 7. kindness  | 7. harmful    | 7. couldn't  |                   |
|               | 8. illness   | 8. peaceful   | 8. wouldn't  |                   |
|               | 9. fitness   | 9. hopeful    | 9. shouldn't |                   |
|               | 10. darkness | 10. beautiful | 10. won't    |                   |

| homophones 1 | homophones 2 | homophones 2 | homophones 2 |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. there     | 1. one       | 12. one      | 23. one      |
| 2. their     | 2. won       | 13. won      | 24. won      |
| 3. they're   | 3. sun       | 14. sun      | 25. sun      |
| 4. here      | 4. son       | 15. son      | 26. son      |
| 5. hear      | 5. to        | 16. to       | 27. to       |
| 6. quite     | 6. too       | 17. too      | 28. too      |
| 7. quiet     | 7. two       | 18. two      | 29. two      |
| 8. see       | 8. be        | 19. be       | 30. be       |
| 9. sea       | 9. bee       | 20. bee      | 31. bee      |
| 10. bare     | 10. blue     | 21. blue     | 32. blue     |
| 11. bear     | 11. blew     | 22. blew     | 33. blew     |

| supplementary spellings |               |             |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1. floor                | 14. most      | 27. father  | 40. clothes   |
| 2. poor                 | 15. only      | 28. class   | 41. busy      |
| 3. because              | 16. both      | 29. grass   | 42. people    |
| 4. find                 | 17. cold      | 30. plant   | 43. again     |
| 5. kind                 | 18. gold      | 31. path    | 44. half      |
| 6. mind                 | 19. hold      | 32. bath    | 45. Mr        |
| 7. child                | 20. told      | 33. improve | 46. Mrs       |
| 8. children             | 21. everybody | 34. eye     | 47. parents   |
| 9. wild                 | 22. steak     | 35. could   | 48. Christmas |
| 10. every               | 23. great     | 36. should  | 49. hour      |
| 11. even                | 24. break     | 37. would   | 50. prove     |
| 12. sure                | 25. after     | 38. any     | 51. pretty    |
| 13. climb               | 26. past      | 39. many    | 52. sugar     |