

### Week 1

Spelling Rules: These words are homophones or near homophones. They have the same pronunciation but different spellings and/or meanings.

accept

except

knot

not

peace

piece

plain

plane

weather

whether

### Week 2

Spelling Rules: The prefix 'in-' can mean both 'not' and 'in'/'into.' In these spellings the prefix 'in-' means 'not.'

inactive

incorrect

invisible

insecure

inflexible

indefinite

inelegant

incurable

inability

inadequate

### Week 3

Spelling Rules: Before a root word starting with l, the 'in-' prefix becomes 'il-'. Before a root word starting with r the prefix 'in-' becomes 'ir-'

illegal

illegible

immature

immortal

impossible

impatient

imperfect

irregular

irrelevant

irresponsible

**Week 4**

Spelling Rules: The prefix 'sub-' which means under or below.

submarine

subject

subway

submerge

subtropical

subdivide

subheading

substandard

subtitle

submit

**Week 5**

Spelling Rules: The prefix 'inter-' means between, amongst or during.

interact

intercity

international

interfere

interview

intercept

intercom

internet

interchange

interface

**Week 6**

Challenge Words

calendar

appear

believe

grammar

increase

interest

opposite

straight

strength

women

### Week 7

Spelling Rules: The suffix '-ation' is added to verbs to form nouns.

information

sensation

preparation

vibration

decoration

donation

duration

registration

population

determination

### Week 8

Spelling Rules: The suffix '-ation' is added to verbs to form nouns.

adoration

admiration

coronation

detonation

observation

location

generation

exploration

combination

illustration

### Week 9

Spelling Rules: Adding -ly to adverbs. Remembering words ending in '-y' become '-ily' and words ending in '-le' become '-ly.'

sadly

completely

wildly

bravely

gently

foolishly

proudly

horribly

nervously

happily

### **Week 10**

Spelling Rules: Adding '-ly' to to turn an adjective into an adverb when the final letter is 'l.'

usually

finally

beautifully

thoughtfully

wonderfully

carefully

faithfully

peacefully

cruelly

generally

### **Week 11**

Spelling Rules: Word with the 'sh' sound spelled ch. These words are French in origin.

chef

chalet

machine

brochure

parachute

chute

chaperone

chandelier

crochet

quiche

### **Week 12**

Challenge Words

complete

continue

experiment

famous

favourite

February

naughty

material

knowledge

remember

### Week 13

Spelling Rules: Adding the suffix '-ion.' When the root word ends in 'd,' 'de' or 'se' then the suffix

'-ion' needs to be '-sion.'

expansion

extension

comprehension

tension

suspension

exclusion

provision

explosion

erosion

invasion

### Week 14

Adding the suffix '-ous.' Sometimes the root word is obvious and the usual rules apply. Sometimes there is no obvious root word though.

poisonous

dangerous

mountainous

marvellous

perilous

tremendous

enormous

jealous

precious

disastrous

### Week 15

Spelling Rules: The suffix '-ous.' The final 'e' of the root word must be kept if the sound of 'g' is to be kept.

courageous

outrageous

nervous

famous

adventurous

disadvantageous

ridiculous

carnivorous

rapturous

torturous

### Week 16

Spelling Rules: The 'ee' sound spelled with an 'i.'

merriment

happiness

plentiful

penniless

happily

prettiest

nastiness

beautiful

pitiful

silliness

### Week 17

Spelling Rules: The suffix '-ous.' If there is an 'ee' sound before the '-ous' ending, it is usually spelled as i, but a few words have e.

serious

obvious

curious

hideous

spontaneous

courteous

furious

various

victorious

gaseous

### Week 18

Challenge Words

breath

business

caught

different

exercise

extreme

medicine

possession

although

thought

**Week 19**

Spelling Rules: The 'au' digraph

naughty

caught

fraught

automatic

astronaut

cause

author

applaud

taught

audience

**Week 20**

Spelling Rules: The suffix '-ion' when the root word ends in 't' or 'te' then the suffix becomes '-tion.'

invention

injection

action

hesitation

completion

stagnation

nomination

migration

conservation

selection

**Week 21**

Spelling Rules: The suffix '-ion' becomes '-ssion' when the root word ends in 'ss' or 'mit.'

expression

discussion

confession

permission

admission

impression

obsession

procession

omission

concussion

## Week 22

Spelling Rules: The suffix '-cian' used instead of '-sion' when the root word ends in 'c' or 'cs'

musician

magician

electrician

politician

mathematician

technician

optician

beautician

physician

dietician

## Week 23

Spelling Rules: Adding '-ly' to create adverbs of manner. These adverbs describe how the verb is occurring.

reluctantly

quickly

generously

unexpectedly

gently

curiously

furiously

seriously

victoriously

courteously

## Week 24

Challenge Words

group

height

particular

potatoes

separate

surprise

through

various

though

woman

### Week 25

Spelling Rules: Homophones – words which have the same pronunciation but different meanings and/or spellings.

scene

seen

whose

who's

affect

effect

here

hear

heel

heal

### Week 26

Spelling Rules: The /s/ sound spelled c before 'i' and 'e'.

circle

century

centaur

circus

princess

voice

medicine

celebrate

celery

pencil

### Week 27

Spelling Rules: Some words have similar spellings, root words and meanings. We call these word families. 'sol word family' and 'real word family'

solar

solution

soluble

insoluble

dissolve

real

reality

realistic

unreal

realisation

### **Week 28**

Spelling Rules: Some words have similar spellings, root words and meanings. We call these word families. 'phon word family' and 'sign word family'

phone

telephone

phonics

microphone

phonograph

sign

signature

assign

designer

signaller

### **Week 29**

Spelling Rules: Prefixes – 'super-' 'anti' and 'auto.'

supermarket

superman

superstar

superhuman

antiseptic

anticlockwise

antisocial

autobiography

autograph

automatic

### **Week 30**

Spelling Rules: The prefix bi- meaning two.

bicycle

biplane

biped

bicentennial

biannual

bilingual

bicuspid

biceps

binoculars

bisect

**Week 31**

Revision – spelling rules we have learned in Stage 4.

Accident

Actually

Busy

Eighth

Forward

Forwards

Guide

Possess

Occasion

Wednesday

**Week 32**

Revision – spelling rules we have learned in Stage 4.

Girls'

Boys'

Babies'

Children's

Men's

Mice's

Ladies'

Cats'

Women's

Geese's

**Week 33**

Revision – spelling rules we have learned in Stage 4.

expression

musician

reluctantly

group

scene

circle

solar

supermarket

bicycle

except

### **Week 34**

Revision – spelling rules we have learned in Stage 4.

incorrect

illegible

subject

international

believe

preparation

coronation

wildly

bravely

thoughtfully

### **Week 35**

Revision – spelling rules we have learned in Stage 4.

brochure

famous

tension

penniless

hideous

different

astronaut

completion

admission

mathematician

### **Week 36**

Revision – spelling rules we have learned in Stage 4.

gently

separate

affect

unexpectedly

potatoes

circus

insoluble

microphone

superhuman

bicentennial