

## *Read Write Inc. Spelling Years 5–6* Curriculum in England matching chart

National Curriculum English programmes of study Year 5 & 6	<i>Read Write Inc. Spelling</i>
<b>Reading - word reading</b>	
<b>Pupils should be taught to:</b>	
Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), as listed in <i>English Appendix 1</i> , both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet.	Throughout Year 5 and Year 6 programmes
<b>Writing - transcription</b>	
Spelling (see <i>English Appendix 1</i> )	
<b>Pupils should be taught to:</b>	
Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand the guidance for adding them.	See detailed coverage of <i>Spelling Appendix 1</i> below.
Spell some words with 'silent' letters, e.g. knight, psalm, solemn.	Year 5 Unit 1. Year 5 Unit 4. Year 6 Unit 8.
Continue to distinguish between homophones and other words which are often confused.	Year 5 Special focus 2. Year 5 Special focus 5. Year 5 Special focus 8. Year 5 Special focus 3. Year 5 Special focus 6. Year 6 Special focus 10. Year 6 Special focus 12.
Use knowledge of morphology and etymology in spelling and understand that the spelling of some words needs to be learnt specifically, as listed in <i>English Appendix 1</i> .	See detailed coverage of <i>Spelling Appendix 1</i> below.
Use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words.	Dictionary challenges are included in the Year 5 and Year 6 Practice Books.
Use the first three or four letters of a word to check spelling, meaning or both of these in a dictionary.	
Use a thesaurus.	Thesaurus challenges are built into some Word changer activities in Year 5 and Year 6 Practice Books.

(See Handbook p.49 for match to Programme of study Year 5/6: Writing – transcription objectives.)

English Appendix 1: Spelling Years 5 and 6 content	<i>Read Write Inc. Spelling</i>
Endings which sound like /ʃəs/ spelt –cious or –tious.	Year 5 Unit 10 Words ending in <i>shus</i> spelt <b>-cious</b> Year 5 Unit 11 Words ending in <i>shus</i> spelt <b>-tious</b>
Endings which sound like /ʃəl/.	Year 5 Unit 12 Words ending in <i>shul</i> spelt <b>-cial</b> or <b>-tial</b>
Words ending in –ant, –ance/–ancy, –ent, –ence/–ency.	Year 5 Unit 6 Words ending in <b>-ent</b> Year 5 Unit 7 Words ending in <b>-ence</b> Year 5 Unit 9 Words ending in <b>-ant</b> , <b>-ance</b> and <b>-ancy</b>
Words ending in –able and –ible.	Year 5 Unit 2 Words ending in <b>-ible</b> Year 5 Unit 3 Words ending in <b>-able</b>
Words ending in –ably and –ibly.	Year 5 Unit 5 Words ending in <b>-ibly</b> and <b>-ably</b> Year 6 Unit 10 Words ending in <b>-ible</b> and <b>-able</b>
Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words ending in –fer.	Year 6 Unit 4 Suffixes (4) <i>(adding suffixes beginning with a vowel)</i>
Use of the hyphen.	Year 6 Special focus 9 Hyphens
Words with the /i:/ sound spelt ei after c.	Year 5 Unit 8 The <i>ee</i> sound spelt <b>ei</b> Year 6 Unit 9 The spellings <b>ei</b> and <b>ie</b>
Words containing the letter-string ough.	Year 5 Special focus 1 Words that contain the letter-string <b>ough</b> Year 6 Special focus 1 Words containing the letter-string <b>ough</b>
Words with ‘silent’ letters.	Year 5 Unit 1 Words with silent letter <b>b</b> Year 5 Unit 4 Words with silent letter <b>t</b> Year 6 Unit 8 Silent letters ( <i>silent k, g, l, n</i> )
Homophones.	Year 5 Special focus 2 Homophones Year 6 Special focus 3, 6, 12 Homophones and other words that are often confused
Years 5 and 6 word list.	Year 5 Special focus 1 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 3 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 4 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 6 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 7 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 9 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 10 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 11 (Orange words) Year 5 Special focus 12 (Orange words) Year 6 Special focus 2 (Orange words) Year 6 Special focus 4 (Orange words) Year 6 Special focus 5 (Orange words) Year 6 Special focus 7 (Orange words)

	<p>Year 6 Special focus 8 (Orange words) Year 6 Special focus 11 (Orange words)</p> <p>Orange words (which include all the words on the National Curriculum words list for Years 5/6) are on printable display copies in the online materials. These words are used in a variety of activities, such as Jumping orange words, Dictation and Words to log and learn.</p>
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