

Welcome! Y3/4 spelling workshop



I take it you already know
Of tough and bough and cough and
dough?

Others may stumble, but not you, On hiccough, thorough, tough and through.

Well done! And now you wish, perhaps, To learn of less familiar traps?
Beware of heard, a dreadful word
That looks like beard and sounds like bird.

And dead: it's said like bed, not bead – For goodness sake don't call it deed! Watch out for meat and great and threat (They rhyme with suite and straight and debt).

A moth is not a moth in mother,
Nor both in bother, broth in brother,
And here is not a match for there
Nor dear and fear for bear and pear,
And then there's dose and rose and
lose –

Just look them up – and goose and choose,

And cork and work and card and ward, And font and front and word and sword,

And do and go and thwart and cart – Come, come, I've hardly made a start! A dreadful language? Man alive! I'd mastered it when I was five!



Aims:

- Spelling expectations from the 2014 National Curriculum for Y3/4.
- How do we teach spelling in Y3/4?
- Teaching sequence for spelling.
- Strategies for helping your child to learn their spellings time to play!
- Questions.

Everything will be made available on our website.



Spelling expectations from the 2014 National Curriculum for Y3/4.



Revision of Y1/2 work

Homophones

Prefixes: In-, un-, dis-, mis-, il-, im-, ir.

Suffixes:
-ation, -ly, -ous -sion, ssion, -cian, -tion

Origin of words: Greek, Latin, French

Example NON-STATUTORY words: spontaneous, mountainous, vigorous, politician



Spelling expectations from the 2014 National Curriculum for Y3/4.

Aa accident accidentally actual actually address answer appear arrive although	Bb believe bicycle breath breathe build busy business	Cc calendar caught centre century certain circle complete consider continue	Dd decide describe different difficult disappear	Ee early earth eight eighth enough exercise experience experiment
Ff famous favourite February forwards fruit	Gg grammar group guard guide	Hh heard heart height history	Ii imagine increase important interest island	Kk knowledge



Spelling expectations from the 2014 National Curriculum for Y3/4.

Ll learn length library	Mm material medicine mention minute	Nn natural naughty notice	Oo occasion occasionally often opposite ordinary	Pp particular possession peculiar possible perhaps potatoes popular pressure position probably possess promise purpose
Qq quarter question	Rr recent regular reign remember	Ss sentence separate special straight strange strength suppose surprise	Tt therefore though thought through	Vv various Ww weight woman



How do we teach spelling in Y3/4?

- 4 phonics and spelling groups.
- Initial assessment high frequency words and Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 words based on the objectives from the National Curriculum.



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How do we teach spelling in Y3/4?

Using the teaching sequence:

Revisit - Teach - Practice - Apply

- Providing opportunities for children to investigate, make generalisations, discover rules and embed their learning.
- Using a range of visual, auditory and kinaesthetic approaches.



How can we all help the children with their spelling?

Research suggests...

- Teaching children strategies for correcting spelling is far more important than giving them the correct spelling of a word.
- Teaching spelling strategies and major spelling patterns is more effective than just learning for tests, e.g. by rote



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Support with spelling in Key Stage 2

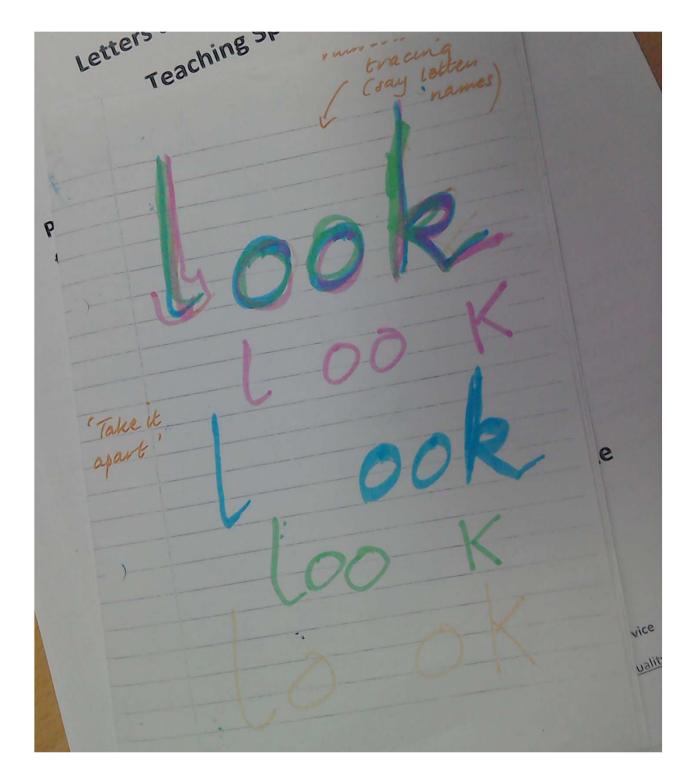
This booklet is designed to give you some idea of how you can support your child to remember the spellings of new words, while having fun at the same time!



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Different ways to learn to spell words...

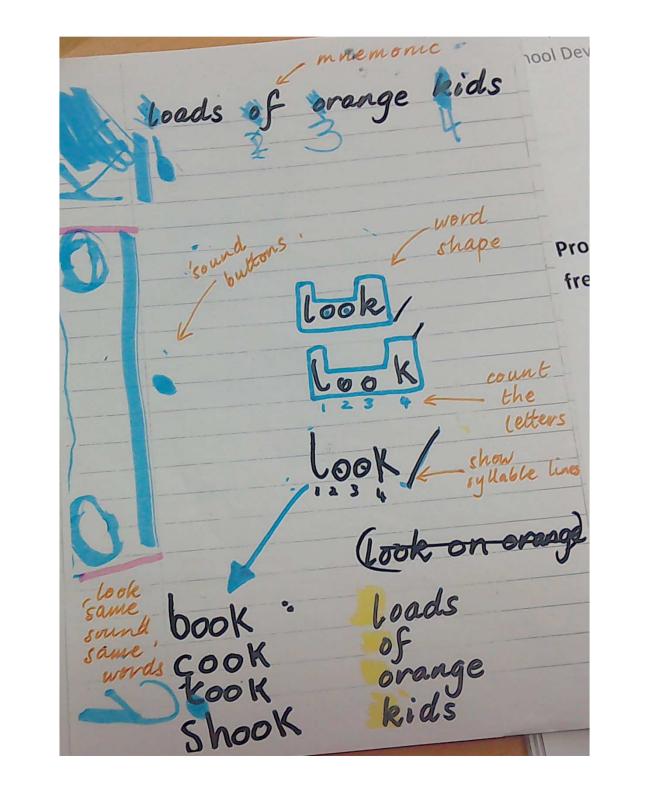






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Games and activities

- Paired spelling.
- Beat the teacher/parent!
- Letter frames.



Games and activities

- Homophone game
- Plurals spinner



Games and activities

- Roll and read
- Zappers
- Apps