2023-24 Year 4 Spelling List - Term 6

Practise Look/Say/Cover/Write/Check and using words in context

Testing period: week commencing	3 rd June	10 th June	17 th June	24 th June	1 st July	8 th July
Round 1: Key Words	increase height history imagine	address answer appear arrive	business calendar build breathe	breath bicycle believe	This week, we will recap the homophones from the Summer Term. 16 of these words will be in the test: affect/effect quite/quiet there/their/their accept/except sun/son blew/blue be/bee to/too/two	3 mystery key words learnt this term
Round 2: Spelling Rule	Adding the endings -ing, - ed, -er, -est and -Y patting hummed dropped saddest runny	Adding -ed, -er and -est copied copier happier happiest cried	The 'n' sound spelt kn and gn at the beginning of words knock know knee gnat gnaw	The 'r' sound spelt wr at the beginning of words write written wrote wrong wrap		3 mystery spellings from each of the rules this term
Round 3: Mystery Spellings Learn the rule. You will be tested on 5 more words which follow this week's rule. Round 4: Homophones	The last consonant letter of the root word is doubled to keep the $/\infty$ /, $/\epsilon$ /, $/1$ /, $/v$ / and $/\Lambda$ / sound (i.e. to keep the vowel 'short').	If a root word ends in -y with a consonant before it, the y is changed to i before -ed, -er and -est are added. blew/blue	The 'k' and 'g' at the beginning of these words was sounded hundreds of years ago.	This spelling probably also reflects an old pronunciation.		