Year 5 Spellings Term 1 2019

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Go for Diamond! Depending on your spelling ability you will have a target to achieve each week - however you are always welcome to try to exceed your target. Everyone should learn all the Ruby words each week. Some of you will be expected to learn the Amber and the Diamond words too. Have a go at learning the words every night for a few minutes. Every Friday we will check your progress. REMEMBER: Use the Look, Say, Cover, Write and Check Strategy!

Wk beginning 13/09/19	20/09/19	27/09/19	04/10/19	11/10/19	18/10/19
Words ending in '-ious'	Words ending in '-cious'	Words ending in '-cial'	Words ending in '-tial'	Words ending in '-cial' and '-tial'	Challenge Words
RUBY	RUBY	RUBY	RUBY	RUBY	RUBY
must learn	must learn	must learn	must learn	must learn	must learn
obvious	delicious	official	potential	initial	vegetable
curious	precious	special	essential	initially	immediately
devious	gracious	beneficial	confidential	commercial	thorough
often	appear	heart	opposite	arrive	disappear
learn	group	strange	material	complete	different
eight	woman	address	remember	occasion	important
AMBER	AMBER	AMBER	AMBER	AMBER	AMBER
should learn	should learn	should learn	should learn	should learn	should learn
infectious	conscious	artificial	substantial	financial	appreciate
ambitious	ferocious	facial	influential	financially	cemetery
notorious	malicious	glacial	torrential	provincial	environment
decide	believe	enough	mention	although	position
height	imagine	knowledge	possible	answer	quarter
notice	regular	peculiar	separate	guard	centre
DIAMOND	DIAMOND	DIAMOND	DIAMOND	DIAMOND	DIAMOND
could learn	could learn	could learn	could learn	could learn	could learn
fictitious	luscious	especially	residential	special	conscious
nutritious	malicious	judicial	celestial	palatial	convenience
repetitious	spacious	multiracial	preferential	controversial	language
amphibious	suspicious	crucial	circumstantial	controversially	sufficient
bargain	develop	community	interrupt	category	available
familiar	temperature	foreign	recommend	excellent	suggest

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<u>Use your eyes</u>

- Look at the word. Is it short? Is it long? What else do you notice when you look at it?
- Can you see any small words inside your word?
- Take a picture of the word in your mind. Shut your eyes. Can you see it?
- Write the tricky part of the word in a different colour.

<u>Use your hand</u>

- Write the word in the air.
- Write the word in your best joined handwriting.
- Write the word again with your eyes shut.



- What does this word mean? Look it up in the dictionary if you're not sure.
- Put it in a sentence.
- Can you spell bits of this word already?
- Can you write any words that rhyme with this one?
- Do you know other words with the same pattern?

<u>Use your ears</u>

- Say the word out loud. Spell it out loud.
- Clap the syllables.
- Say the word in a silly or exaggerated way e.g. Wed-nes-day



Use your friend



- Show your word list to your friend. Give some clues about one word. Can they guess the word?
- Ask your friend to 'write' one of your words on your back with their finger - can you feel and imagine the letters?
- Sort your words e.g. alphabetically or by length or the number of syllables. Can your friend see how you have sorted them?
- Ask your friend to 'test' you when you know all your words.

