YEAR 4 Autumn 1 Weekly Spelling List 1

W/B: 4/9/16

This Week's Spelling Rule: words ending in -tion

-tion is the most common spelling of the 'shun' sound at the end of a word. It is used if the root word ends in **t** or **te**.

Expectations: Every child should learn the Chilli Challenge 1 words. If your child needs a harder challenge they may learn the Chilli Challenge 2 or 3 words. They may only move on to a harder challenge once the other words have been learnt. Your child will be tested on the 'words they must know' plus any other they have learnt on Monday next week. They will also be tested on a 'bonus word' that is not on the spelling list below but follows the same spelling pattern / rule.

Chilli Challenge 1 🌶 (Words you must know)	Chilli Challenge 2 🌶🌶	Chilli Challenge 3 🌶🌶🌶 (Topic words)
station nation relation education operation position competition eruption description mention attention invention	Write a **tion** word in the same family as each of these words. 1. Celebrate 2. Create 3. Calculate 4. Situate 5. Evaporate 6. Locate E.g. operate = **operation**	environment nature pollution energy recycle

YEAR 4 Autumn 1 Weekly Spelling List 2

W/B: 11/9/16

This Week's Spelling Rule: **Adding the suffix –sion**

Another way to spell the 'shun' sound at the end of a word is **–sion**.

-sion is used if the root word ends in **d** or **se**.

There are some exceptions: *attend – attention, intend – intention.*

Chilli Challenge 1 (Words you must know)	Chilli Challenge 2	Chilli Challenge 3 (topic words)
television revision division invasion occasion version diversion excursion pension extension erosion	How many more words can you find with the spelling pattern '**sion**'? List them in your book. Remember to use a dictionary to check your spellings.	recycled reduce reuse renewable non-renewable

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W/B: 18/9/16

This Week's Spelling Rule: Silent letters, o, h and c

Sometimes words have 'silent' letters that we do not pronounce.

Many words in English have originally come from other languages. Words with **ch**, when the **h** is silent, are usually from the Greek language.
E.g. ec**h**o, c**h**rome, and c**h**ronic.

Chilli Challenge 1 🌶 (Words you must know)	Chilli Challenge 2 🌶🌶	Chilli Challenge 3 🌶🌶🌶 (Topic words)
young touch double trouble echo chemist chemical scene scenery science scientific	How many words can you find with **ch**, where the h is silent? List them in your book. Use a dictionary to check your spellings.	decompose biodegradable sculpture fuel biomass

YEAR 4 Autumn 1 Weekly Spelling List 4

W/B: 25/9/16

This Week's Spelling Rule: Adding the suffix -ous

1) If the root word ends in a consonant, just add 'ous' - e.g danger --> dangerous

2) If the word ends in 'e', drop the e and add 'ous' - e.g. fame --> famous

3) If the word ends in 'y' change it to an 'i' and add 'ous' - e.g. vary --> various

Chilli Challenge 1 🌶 (Words you must know)	Chilli Challenge 2 🌶🌶	Chilli Challenge 3 🌶🌶🌶 (Topic words)
dangerous enormous famous jealous nervous curious furious previous serious various hideous courteous	Make a list of other words ending in **-ous** and other words ending in **-eous**. <u>-ious words</u> curious <u>-eous words</u> hideous	electricity technology aluminium biodiversity pavegen tiles

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W/B: 2/10/16

This Week's Spelling Rule: -ly suffix

The suffix –**ly** is added to an adjective to form an adverb.
If the word ends in a consonant you simply add –ly
If the word ends in a **y**, you change the **y** to an **i** and add –**ly**

Chilli Challenge 1 (Words you must know)	Chilli Challenge 2	Chilli Challenge 3 (Topic words)
sadly madly kindly wisely weekly monthly completely actually usually finally happily angrily	When adding **ly** to words that end with y, we change the y to I before adding **ly**, like this: Happ**y** – happ**i**ly Add ly to each of these words. 1. merry 2. cheery 3. heavy 4. pretty 5. angry 6. happy	science carbon carbon dioxide climate compost

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W/B: 9/10/16

This Week's Spelling Rule: -sure and -ture

The endings '-sure' and '-ture' sound the similar, but are spelt differently.

Chilli Challenge 1 🌶 (Words you must know)	Chilli Challenge 2 🌶🌶	Chilli Challenge 3 🌶🌶🌶 (Topic words)
measure treasure leisure nature future picture creature texture mixture sculpture fracture adventure	Most words with the 'tcher' sound at the end are spelt **ture**. nat**ure** pict**ure** But when the root word ends in **ch** we just ad **er**, like this: tea**ch** tea**cher** Make a list of words with the 'tcher' sound at the end (spelt **ture**). How many can you think of?	waste management coal wind turbine deforestation ecology

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W/B: 16/10/16

This Week's Spelling Rule: wh and ph

Sometimes the **w** sound is spelt **wh**. You need to know when to use **w** and when to use **wh**.

The **ph** sound is often used to spell longer words containing the **f** sound.

Chilli Challenge 1 🌶 (Words you must know)	Chilli Challenge 2 🌶🌶	Chilli Challenge 3 🌶🌶🌶 (Topic words)
when where why which while what who pheasant photo alphabet elephant dolphin	Make a list of as many **wh** words and **ph** words as you can think of. Remember to use a dictionary to check your spellings. <u>wh words</u> whilst <u>ph words</u> photograph	ecologist ecosystem efficient emissions geothermal energy