

Spelling Patterns and WWNTK

Year 4 Summer 1

Learning **spelling patterns** helps children to read, spell and write words.

Each week, children explore a spelling pattern that they practise regularly in class.

Children are also expected to find words that fit the spelling pattern when reading independently at home.

WWNTK (Words We Need To Know) are a mixture of words children frequently use in their writing and those which they often misspell.

Week	Spelling Pattern	Example Words	WWNTK Revision
1	Spell words with sc sounding /s/	science scissors scent	suppose often
2	Choose the correct spelling for given homophones depending on context	here—hear son— sun there—their—they're witch—which	favourite different
3	Spell words which end in k spelt que	picturesque unique antique	Important arrive
4	Spell words with the prefixes in— im— ir— il-	Inactive impossible Irregular illegal	build answer
5	Use apostrophes for contractions	doesn't don't isn't	enough although

