

Year 5 Spellings

Statutory Words

As well as learning the different spelling patterns the children are taught to spell the statutory words as set out in the *National Curriculum*. This word list is for years 5 and 6. The words are a mixture of ones children frequently use in their writing and those which they often misspell.

category	average	equip	ancient
desperate	conscience	frequently	cemetery
dictionary	conscious	pronunciation	criticise
disastrous	controversy	relevant	identity
environment	convenience	rhyme	recognise
forty	definite	rhythm	restaurant
hindrance	determined	symbol	sacrifice
interfere	develop	system	signature
lightning	language	vegetable	sincere
muscle	neighbour	vehicle	yacht
physical	persuade	stomach	privilege
secretary	prejudice	temperature	queue
twelfth	variety	available	apparent
accompany	aggressive	correspond	bruise
according	attached	exaggerate	committee
bargain	awkward	existence	community
competition	communicate	guarantee	government
curiosity	embarrass	leisure	harass
especially	familiar	nuisance	mischievous
excellent	foreign	occur	occupy
explanation	interrupt	recommend	parliament
immediate	opportunity	shoulder	profession
individual	soldier	sufficient	programme
marvellous	suggest	necessary	through