



Year 3 Spellings - Summer 2



Children will be taught spelling rules and patterns each week. Spellings set for homework are a combination of common exception words and topic related vocabulary alongside words to consolidate learning completed during that week. Children need to practise and learn these spellings at home. Children's recall of spellings will be checked through a weekly spelling dictation.

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Spelling pattern	The possessive apostrophe The apostrophe shows possession (or ownership). It goes before the 's' when there is one person or thing.	Plural of words ending -o Plurals of words ending in -o are usually made by adding -es.	Plural of words ending -f/-fe To make a plural of a word ending in -f, or -fe change the f /fe to a v and add es.	Irregular plurals Many English words become plural by changing their vowels, such as oo to ee or an to en. Some words change in spelling substantially when made plural.	Irregular plurals Many English words become plural by changing their vowels, such as oo to ee or an to en. Some words change in spelling substantially when made plural.	Irregular past tense 'ow' to 'ew' Changing the medial vowel from 'o' to 'e' changes present tense to past tense in these words.	Irregular past tense 'in' to 'an' Changing the medial vowel from 'i' to 'a' changes present tense to past tense in these words.
1	rabbit's	potato	knife	mouse	man	grow	ring
2	friend's	potatoes	knives	mice	men	grew	rang
3	lady's	tomato	life	goose	woman	blow	sing
4	flower's	tomatoes	lives	geese	women	blew	sang
5	teacher's	hero	calf	foot	person	know	swim
6	farmer's	heroes	calves	feet	people	knew	swam
7	plant's	torpedo	leaf	tooth	child	throw	drink
8	soldier's	torpedoes	leaves	teeth	children	threw	drank

Common exception words Year3 / Year4

	Spellingframe CEW 31	Spellingframe CEW 32	Spellingframe CEW 32	Spellingframe CEW 33	Spellingframe CEW 33	Spellingframe CEW 34	Spellingframe CEW 35
9	occasion	ordinary	position	probably	recent	separate	therefore
10	occasionally	particular	possess	promise	regular	special	through
11	oppose	peculiar	possession	purpose	reign	strange	thought
12	opposite	perhaps	possibly	quarter	remember	strength	though
13	various	popular	potatoes	question	sentence	suppose	woman
14						surprise	women

Words in yellow boxes can be practised using Spellingframe <https://spellingframe.co.uk/>

