

SGSM Whole School Spelling Medium Term Plan



EYFS	Early	Learning	Goals

Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters.

Reception

Writing

I can spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letter/s.

I can write short sentences with words with known sound-letter correspondences using a capital letter and full stop.

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Year 1
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 Apply simple spelling rules and guidance, as listed in the N/C Write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs and common exception words taught so far.
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 Use the spelling rule for adding -s or -es as the plural marker for nouns and the third person singular marker for verbs. Use the prefix un-
 Use -ing, -ed, -er and -est where no change is needed in the spelling of root words.
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 Write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs and common exception words taught so far.

	Year 2
Autumn	 ***Phonics focus- see Phonics progression. Apply spelling rules and guidance, as listed in the N/C. Write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs, common exception words and punctuation taught so far.
Spring	 ***Phonics focus- see Phonics progression. Apply spelling rules and guidance, as listed in the N/C. Write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs, common exception words and punctuation taught so far.
Summer	***Phonics focus- see Phonics progression. Learn to spell more words with contracted forms. Learn the possessive apostrophe (singular). Add suffixes to spell longer words including -ment, -ness, -ful, -less, -ly. Make nouns using suffixes such as 'ness' and 'er' Make nouns which are compound words. Make adjectives using suffixes such as 'ful' 'less' Use the suffixes 'er' and 'est' in adjectives. Turn adjectives into adverbs using suffix 'ly' Apply spelling rules and guidance, as listed in the N/C. Write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs, common exception words and punctuation taught so far.

	Year 3	
Autumn	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand how to add them. Use a or an accurately. Spell words that are often misspelt see N/C. Use the first 2 or 3 letters of a word to check its spelling in a dictionary. Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far. 	
Spring	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand how to add them. Spell further homophones. Form nouns using a range of prefixes. Spell words that are often misspelt see N/C. Use the first 2 or 3 letters of a word to check its spelling in a dictionary. Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far. 	
Summer	 Spell further homophones. Word families -related in form and meaning. Spell words that are often misspelt see N/C. Use the first 2 or 3 letters of a word to check its spelling in a dictionary. Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far. 	

	Year 4
Autumn	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand how to add them. Use Standard English instead of local spoken forms (we were, I did) Spell words that are often misspelt see N/C. Use the first 2 or 3 letters of a word to check its spelling in a dictionary. Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far.
Spring	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand how to add them. Spell further homophones. Understand difference with 's' for plurals (books) and possessives (its, theirs) Spell words that are often misspelt see N/C. Use the first 2 or 3 letters of a word to check its spelling in a dictionary. Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far.
Summer	 Place the possessive apostrophe accurately in words with regular and irregular plurals. Spell further homophones. Understand difference with 's' for plurals (books) and possessives (its, theirs) Spell words that are often misspelt see N/C. Use the first 2 or 3 letters of a word to check its spelling in a dictionary. Write from memory simple sentences, dictated by the teacher, that include words and punctuation taught so far.

	Year 5
Autumn	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand the guidance for adding them. Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes (-ate; -ise; -ify) Verb prefixes (dis-, de-, mis-, -over- and re-) Use knowledge of morphology and etymology in spelling and understand that the spelling of some words needs to be learnt specifically, as listed in N/C. Use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words. Use a thesaurus.
Spring	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand the guidance for adding them. Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes (-ate; -ise; -ify) Verb prefixes (dis-, de-, mis-, -over- and re-) Use knowledge of morphology and etymology in spelling and understand that the spelling of some words needs to be learnt specifically, as listed in N/C. Use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words. Use a thesaurus.
Summer	 Spell some words with 'silent' letters. Continue to distinguish between homophones and other words which are often confused. Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes (-ate; -ise; -ify) Verb prefixes (dis-, de-, mis-, -over- and re-) Use knowledge of morphology and etymology in spelling and understand that the spelling of some words needs to be learnt specifically, as listed in N/C. Use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words. Use a thesaurus.

	Year 6
Autumn	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand the guidance for adding them. Use synonyms and antonyms. Use knowledge of morphology and etymology in spelling and understand that the spelling of some words needs to be learnt specifically, as listed in N/C. Use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words. Use a thesaurus.
Spring	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand the guidance for adding them. Understand the difference between vocabulary typical of informal speech and formal speech and writing. Use knowledge of morphology and etymology in spelling and understand that the spelling of some words needs to be learnt specifically, as listed in N/C. Use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words. Use a thesaurus.
Summer	 Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand the guidance for adding them. Spell some words with 'silent' letters. Understand the difference between vocabulary typical of informal speech and formal speech and writing. Use knowledge of morphology and etymology in spelling and understand that the spelling of some words needs to be learnt specifically, as listed in N/C. Use dictionaries to check the spelling and meaning of words. Use a thesaurus.