



Class 2

Spring spelling patterns



Spring 1	Spelling rule/ pattern	Example words
Week 1	Year 2 /ie/ spelt 'y' Year 3 -ness, -full suffixes	Cry, dry, July, fly, try, reply, why, by Wishful, hopeful, hateful, beauty-beautiful, painful, kindness, foolishness, lovely-loveliness
Week 2	Year 2 Adding endings -ing, -ed, -er, -est to words ending in 'e' Year 3 Prefixes sub- and tele-	Hike, shine, hope, take, write, make, like, ride Telephone, television, telescope, submarine, submerge.
Week 3	Year 2 Apostrophe for contraction Sounds spelt -le at the end of words Year 3 Apostrophe for contraction	Can't, didn't, hasn't, it's, couldn't, I'll, they're Apple, muddle, bottle, little, table, people can't, didn't, hasn't, couldn't, it's, I'll
Week 4	Year 2 /ee/ sound spelt 'ey' Near homophones Year 3 /sh/ sound spelt 'ch', 's', 'ss', 'c'	Donkey, monkey, valley, chimney, honey, money quite/quiet chef, brochure, sure, mission, special, sugar, shop
Week 5	Year 2 /r/ sound spelt 'wr' Year 3 Revise suffixes -ness and -full Teach suffixes -less and -ly	Wrap, wriggle, wrestler, wrist, write, written, wrote, wrong Care, careful, careless, carefully, carelessly Thought, thoughtful, thoughtless, thoughtfully, thoughtlessly
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Week 1	Year 2 /o/ spelt 'a' after 'w' or 'qu' Year 3 Prefixes super- and auto-	Want, watch, wander, squash Automatic, autopilot, autobiography, autograph, superman, supernatural, superstar



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Week 2	Year 2 's' sound Homophones Year 3 Words from personal spelling lists	Treasure, unusual, usual new/knew, they're/there/their
Week 3	Add -es to nouns and verbs ending in 'y' Year 3 Homophones	Fly-flies, cry-cries, lady-ladies Meet, meat, hear, here, knot, not
Week 4	Year 2 Possessive apostrophe Year 3 Proofreading	Megan's, Jack's, Sophia's
Week 5	Year 2 Adding suffixes -ful, -less and -ly Words ending -tion Year 3 Words with the /k/ sound spelt 'ch'	Careful, playful, hopeful, hopeless, badly, happily Station, fiction, education, competition, direction, fraction Ache, anchor, Christmas, school, choir, echo