

Red group - Spelling lists for the Spring term (first half 2024)

List 1 – Word with the 'sh' sound spelled ch.

These words are French in origin.

- chef
- chalet
- machine
- brochure
- parachute
- chute
- chaperone
- chandelier
- crochet
- quiche

List 2 – Challenge Words

- complete
- continue
- experiment
- famous
- favourite
- February
- naughty
- material
- knowledge
- remember

List 3 - Adding the suffix '-ion.' When the root word ends in 'd,' 'de' or 'se' then the suffix '-ion' needs to be '-sion.'

- expansion
- extension
- comprehension
- tension
- suspension
- exclusion
- provision
- explosion
- erosion
- invasion

List 4 – Adding the suffix –ous.' Sometimes the root word is obvious and the usual rules apply for adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters. Sometimes there is no obvious root word though.

- poisonous
- dangerous
- mountainous
- marvellous
- perilous
- tremendous
- enormous
- jealous
- precious
- disastrous

List 5 - The suffix '-ous.' The final 'e' of the root word must be kept if the sound of 'g' is to be kept.

- courageous
- outrageous
- nervous
- famous
- adventurous
- disadvantageous
- ridiculous
- carnivorous
- rapturous
- torturous

List 6 – The 'ee' sound spelt with an 'i.'

- merriment
- happiness
- plentiful
- penniless
- happily
- prettiest
- nastiness
- beautiful
- pitiful
- silliness