This week’s spellings will be tested on: Monday 4th March 2024

**Y3 Spring 1 Week 8 Rule: Homophones**

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| This week’s new spellings | This is the second week you have seen these so they will be familiar: | This is the third week you have seen these so you will be getting good at applying these: | This is the fourth week you have seen these so you should be getting good at these: | This is the fifth week you have seen these so you know them really well: |
| knot | superior | badly | mission | chef |
| hear | superstar | hopeless | brochure | chalet |
| meat | automatic | happily | chalet | parachute |
| group | autopilot | harmless | February | famous |
| guard | grammar | fruit | forward | favourite |

Suggested ways to practice: on a separate piece of paper, can you practice your spellings using these strategies?

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| **Get into shape**  Draw an outline around each letter to learn the shape of the word. Then drawn the shapes of each word and challenge yourself to fill in the correct letters | **Pyramid writing**  “Pyramid write” your spelling words. You must write neatly!  \*Example: home h  ho  hom  home |
| **Look, say, cover, write, check**  **Look**: first look at the whole word carefully and if there is one part of the word that is difficult, look at that part in more detail.  **Say**: say the word as you look at it, using different ways of pronouncing it if that will make it more memorable.  **Cover**: cover the word.  **Write**: write the word from memory, saying the word as you do so.  **Check**: Have you got it right? If yes, try writing it again and again! If not, start again – look, say, cover, write, check. | **ABC order**  First write your spelling words in a list. Then write them in ABC order.  For an extra bonus, write your words in reverse ABC order!  **Fortune spelling**  Make an origami fortune teller (or chatterbox) Write a spelling on each flap, so you practise saying the letters with each action. |

School spelling test (new spellings first)

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| 1. | 10. | 19. |
| 2. | 11. | 20. |
| 3. | 12. | 21. |
| 4. | 13. | 22. |
| 5. | 14. | 23. |
| 6. | 15. | 24. |
| 7. | 16. | 25 |
| 8. | 17. |  |
| 9. | 18. |
| Use this space to practise: | | |