

## Year 4 Spring 1st Half

<p><u>Week 1</u> partition partitioning bounce bouncing multiply multiplying forgive forgiving  forbid forbidden forgive forgiven forgotten frighten threaten hidden</p>	<p><u>Week 2</u> famous favourite February forwards fruit grammar group guard guide heard heart</p>	<p><u>Week 3</u> beginner gardener  easier greater coarser  connect connection complicate complication reflect reflection intend intention elect election frustrate frustration</p>
<p><u>Week 4</u> height history imagine increase important interest island knowledge learn length library</p>	<p><u>Week 5</u> comical comically usual usually nervous nervously anxious anxiously selfish selfishly polite politely serious seriously merry merrily final finally mysterious mysteriously defiant defiantly</p>	<p><u>Week 6</u> material medicine mention minute natural naughty notice occasion occasionally often opposite</p>

### Explanations/Hints and tips

#### General Suffix Rules:

If the root word ends with a consonant, the relevant suffix can be added straight on. However, if the root word ends with a consonant which has a vowel directly before it, then the consonant is doubled before the suffix is added (e.g. plod - plodding, forgot - forgotten, travel - traveler). The final thing to remember is that if the root word ends with an e, the e is removed before the relevant suffix is added.

#### Week 1

**Suffixes -ing and -en** See the general suffix rules for guidance when adding the suffix -ing and the suffix -en

#### Week 2 Spelling challenge words

#### Week 3

**Suffixes -er and -ion/-ation** See the general suffix rules for guidance when adding the suffix -er and suffix -ion. Also, if the root word ends in a 'y' it changes to an 'i' before the suffix is added (tidy - tidier, muddy - muddier - these usually make comparatives)

#### Week 4 Spelling challenge words

#### Week 5

**Suffix:** The suffix -ly is added to an adjective to form an adverb - the rules already learnt about suffixes still apply. However, the suffix -ly starts with a consonant letter, so it is added straight on to most root words e.g. finally (final + ly), comically (comical + ly) and usually (usual + ly). Finally, if the adjective ends with a 'y', it is usually changed to an 'i' before the -ly is added (happy - happily).

#### Week 6 Spelling Challenge words