Read Write Inc. Spelling Year 2 Curriculum in England matching chart

| National Curriculum English programmes of study Year 2 | Read Write Inc. Spelling |
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| Reading – word reading | |
| Pupils should be taught to: | |
| Continue to apply phonic knowledge and skills as the | Throughout Year 2 programme. |
| route to decode words until automatic decoding has | |
| become embedded. | |
| Read accurately by blending the sounds in words that | Throughout Year 2 programme. |
| contain the graphemes taught so far. | |
| Read accurately words of two or more syllables that | Throughout Year 2 programme. |
| contain the same graphemes as above. | |
| Read words containing common suffixes. | Practice Book 2A Unit 3, Unit 4, Unit 5, Unit 8, Unit 9, |
| | Unit 12, Unit 13, Unit 14. |
| | Practice Book 2B Unit 2, Unit 3, Unit 4, Unit 6, Unit 7, |
| | Unit 11, Unit 12, Unit 13, Unit 15. |
| Read further common exception words. | Practice Book 2A Special focus 1: Red words. |
| | Practice Book 2A Special focus 3: Red words. |
| | Practice Book 2B Special focus 1: Red words. |
| Writing – transcription | |
| Pupils should be taught to: | |
| Spell by: | |
| Segmenting spoken words into phonemes and | Throughout programme. |
| representing these by graphemes, spelling many | |
| correctly. | |
| Learning new ways of spelling phonemes for | Throughout programme. |
| which one or more spellings are already known, | |
| and learn some words with each spelling, | |
| including a few common homophones. | |
| Learning to spell common exception words. | Word banks online. |
| | Jumping Red words – every unit. |
| Learning to spell more words with contracted | Practice Book 2A Special focus 5: |
| forms. | Contractions and apostrophes (p.40). |
| | Practice Book 2B Special focus 6: |
| | Contractions and apostrophes (p.43). |
| Learning the possessive apostrophe (singular). | Practice Book 2A Special focus 7: |
| | Possessive apostrophes (p.54). |
| | Practice Book 2B Special focus 7: |
| | Possessive apostrophes (p.43). |
| Distinguishing between homophones and near- | Practice Book 2A Special focus 2: |
| homophones. | Homophones (p.19). |

| Add suffixes to spell longer words, | Practice Book 2B Unit 13: Adding the suffix -ment (p.44). |
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| including -ment, -ness, -ful, -less, -ly. | Practice Book 2B Unit 6: Adding the suffix –ness 1 (p.19) |
| | and adding the suffix -ness 2 (p.23). |
| | Practice Book 2B Unit 11: Adding the suffix -ful (p.37). |
| | Practice Book 2B Unit 12: Adding the suffix —less (p.40). |
| | Practice Book 2A Unit 5: Adding the suffix –ly (p.20). |
| Apply spelling rules and guidance, as listed in English | See Appendix 1 grid below. |
| Appendix 1. | |
| Write from memory simple sentences dictated by the | Dictation activities in every unit, throughout the |
| teacher that include words using the gpcs, common | programme. |
| exception words and punctuation taught so far. | |

| English Appendix 1: Spelling Year 2 content | Read Write Inc. Spelling |
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| The /dʒ/ sound spelt as ge and dge at the end of words, | Year 2A Unit 10 The <i>j</i> sound. |
| and sometimes spelt as g elsewhere in words before e, | |
| i and y. | V 24 H 11 2 C 6 |
| The /s/ sound spelt c before e, i and y. | Year 2A Unit 2 Soft c . |
| The /n/ sound spelt kn and (less often) gn at the beginning of words. | Year 2A Unit 6 The <i>n</i> sound spelt kn and gn. |
| The /r/ sound spelt wr at the beginning of words. | Year 2B Unit 1 The r sound spelt wr. |
| The /l/ or /əl/ sound spelt –le at the end of words. | Year 2B Unit 8 Words ending in -le. |
| The /l/ or /əl/ sound spelt –el at the end of words. | Year 2B Unit 9 Words ending in -el. |
| The /I/ or /əI/ sound spelt –al at the end of words. | Year 2B Unit 10 Words ending in -al. |
| Words ending –il. | Year 2B Special Focus 3 Words ending in -il and words |
| | where s makes the zh sound. |
| The /ai/ sound spelt –y at the end of words. | Year 2A Unit 7 The <i>igh</i> sound spelt y. |
| Adding –es to nouns and verbs ending in –y. | Year 2B Unit 15 Adding the suffix –es |
| | (where the root word ends in y). |
| Adding –ed, –ing, –er and –est to a root word ending in | Year 2A Unit 13 Adding the suffix –ed (2) |
| –y with a consonant before it. | (swapping y for i). |
| | Year 2B Unit 3 Adding the suffixes -er or -est (2) |
| | (swapping y for i). |
| Adding the endings –ing, –ed, –er, –est and –y to words | Year 2A Unit 4 Adding the suffix -y (2) |
| ending in –e with a consonant before it. | (to words ending in e). |
| | Year 2A Unit 9 Adding the suffix -ing (2) |
| | (to words ending in e or ie). |
| | Year 2A Unit 14 Adding the suffix –ed (3) |
| | (dropping e to add –ed , and revision of doubling final |
| | consonant and swapping y for i). |
| | Year 2B Unit 2 Adding the suffixes –er or –est (1) |
| | (words where no change is needed; words ending in e). |

| Adding –ing, –ed, –er, –est and –y to words of one | Year 2A Unit 3 Adding the suffix -y (1) |
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| syllable ending in a single consonant letter after a | (to words ending in a short vowel and a consonant). |
| single vowel letter. | Year 2A Unit 8 Adding the suffix –ing (1) |
| | (to words ending in a short vowel and a consonant). |
| | Year 2B Unit 4 Adding the suffixes -er or -est (3) |
| | (doubling consonant, where the root word ends in short |
| | vowel plus consonant). |
| The /ɔ:/ sound spelt a before I and II. | Year 2A Unit 1 The <i>or</i> sound spelt a before I and II . |
| The /n/ sound spelt o. | Year 2A Special Focus 6 The <i>u</i> sound spelt o , and the <i>or</i> |
| | sound spelt ar after w . |
| The /i:/ sound spelt –ey. | Year 2B Unit 5 The <i>ee</i> sound spelt ey. |
| The /p/ sound spelt a after w and qu. | Year 2A Unit 11 The o sound spelt a after w and qu. |
| The /3:/ sound spelt or after w. | Year 2B Special Focus 5 The <i>ir</i> sound spelt or after w . |
| The /ɔ:/ sound spelt ar after w. | Year 2A Special Focus 6 The <i>u</i> sound spelt o , and the <i>or</i> |
| | sound spelt ar after w . |
| The /ʒ/ sound spelt s. | Year 2B Special Focus 3 Words ending in -il and words |
| | where s makes the zh sound. |
| The suffixes –ment, –ness, –ful, –less and –ly. | Year 2A Unit 5, –ly Adding the suffix –ly |
| | (to words to make adverbs). |
| | Year 2B Unit 6, -ness (1) Adding the suffix -ness (1) |
| | (adding to a root word with no change to the root word). |
| | Year 2B Unit 7, -ness (2) Adding the suffix -ness (2) |
| | (swapping y to i). |
| | Year 2B Unit 11, -ful Adding the suffix -ful |
| | Year 2B Unit 12, –less Adding the suffix –less. |
| | Year 2B Unit 13, -ment Adding the suffix -ment . |
| Contractions. | Year 2A Special Focus 5 Contractions and apostrophes. |
| | Year 2B Special Focus 6 Contractions and apostrophes. |
| Possessive apostrophe (singular nouns). | Year 2A Special Focus 5 Contractions and apostrophes. |
| | Year 2B Special Focus 7 Possessive apostrophes. |
| Words ending in –tion. | Year 2B Unit 14 Words ending in -tion . |
| Homophones and near-homophones. | Year 2A Special Focus 2 Homophones. |
| | Year 2A Special Focus 4 Homophones. |
| | Year 2B Special Focus 2 Homophones. |
| Common exception words. | Red words (including all the common exception words for |
| | Year 2) are on printable display copies in the online |
| | materials. These words are used in a variety of activities, |
| | such as Jumping red words, Dictation and Words to log and |
| | Learn. |

Read Write Inc. Spelling Years 3–4 Curriculum in England matching chart

| National Curriculum English programmes of | Read Write Inc. Spelling |
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| study Year 3/4 | |
| Reading - word reading | |
| Pupils should be taught to: | |
| Apply their growing knowledge of root | Throughout Year 3 and Year 4 programme |
| words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and | |
| morphology) as listed in English Appendix 1, | |
| both to read aloud and to understand the | |
| meaning of new words they meet. | |
| Read further exception words, noting the | Throughout Year 3 and Year 4 programme |
| unusual correspondences between spelling | |
| and sound, and where these occur in the | |
| word. | |

(See Handbook p.48 for match to Programme of study Year 3/4: Writing – transcription objectives.)

| English Appendix 1: Spelling Years 3 and 4 content | Read Write Inc. Spelling |
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| Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words of more than one syllable | Year 4 Unit 4 Suffixes (4) (adding suffixes beginning with a vowel) |
| The /i / sound spelt y elsewhere than at the end of words | Year 3 Special focus 3 The short <i>i</i> sound spelt with the letter y |
| The /^/ sound spelt ou | Year 4 Special focus 1 The short <i>u</i> sound spelt ou |
| More prefixes | Year 3 Unit 1 (dis-, in-) Adding the prefixes dis- and in- Year 3 Unit 2 (im-) Adding the prefix im- to root words beginning with m or p Year 3 Unit 11 (re-) Adding the prefix re- Year 3 Unit 12 (anti-) Adding the prefix anti- Year 3 Unit 13 (super-) Adding the prefix super- Year 3 Unit 14 (sub-) Adding the prefix sub- Year 4 Unit 1 (mis-) Adding the prefix mis- Year 4 Unit 3 (auto-) Adding the prefix auto- Year 4 Unit 5 (inter-) Adding the prefix inter- Year 4 Unit 10 (il-, un-, mis-, dis-) Adding il- and revising un-, in-, mis- and dis Year 4 Unit 12 (ir-) Adding ir- to words beginning with r |
| The suffix –ation | Year 3 Unit 6 Adding -ation to verbs to form nouns |
| The suffix –ly | Year 3 Unit 4 Adding the suffix -ly (to adjectives to form adverbs) |

| | Year 4 Unit 4 Adding the suffix -ly (to |
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| | adjectives to form adverbs) |
| Words with endings sounding like /ʒə/ or | Year 3 Unit 5 Words ending in -ture |
| /tʃə/ | Year 4 Unit 2 Words ending in zhuh spelt - |
| | sure |
| Endings which sound like /ʒən/ | Year 4 Unit 9 Words ending in zhun spelt - |
| | sion |
| The suffix –ous | Year 3 Unit 3 Adding the suffix -ous |
| | Year 4 Unit 7 Words ending in -ous |
| Endings which sound like /ʃən/, spelt –tion, – | Year 3 Unit 9 Adding the suffix -ion (to root |
| sion, –ssion, –cian | words ending in t or te) |
| | Year 3 Unit 10 Adding the suffix -ian (to root |
| | words ending in c or cs) |
| | Year 4 Unit 13 Adding the prefix super- |
| | Year 4 Unit 14 Adding the prefix sub- |
| Words with the /k/ sound spelt ch (Greek in | Year 3 Unit 7 Words with the c sound spelt |
| origin) | ch |
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| Words with the /ʃ/ sound spelt ch (mostly | Year 3 Unit 8 Words with the <i>sh</i> sound spelt |
| French in origin) | ch |
| Words ending with the /g/ sound spelt –gue | Year 4 Unit 11 The c sound spelt -que and |
| and the /k/ sound spelt –que (French in | the g sound spelt -gue |
| origin) | and greater gue |
| Words with the /s/ sound spelt sc (Latin in | Year 4 Unit 8 Words with the s sound spelt |
| origin) | sc |
| - C. S , | |
| Words with the /ei/ sound spelt ei, eigh, or | Year 4 Unit 6 Words with the ay sound spelt |
| ey | ei, eigh, ey |
| Possessive apostrophe with plural words | Year 4 Special focus 3 Possessive |
| 1 033C33IVC apostropiic with planar words | apostrophes with plural words |
| Homophones and near-homophones | Year 3 Special focus 2 Homophones |
| | Year 3 Special focus 4 Homophones |
| | Year 4 Special focus 2 Homophones |
| | Year 4 Special focus 4 Homophones |
| Years 3 and 4 word list | |
| rears 5 and 4 word list | Year 3 Special focus 1 |
| | Orange words (which include all the words |
| | on the National Curriculum words list for |
| | Years 3/4) are on printable display copies in |
| | the online materials. These words are used |
| | in a variety of activities, such as Jumping |
| | orange words, Dictation and Words to log |
| | and learn. |