**Spellings for Spring Half Term 2**

This half term we are looking at spelling rules. The spellings also include the high frequency words in the National Curriculum the children are expected to know by the end of Year 6 (these words are highlighted in pink).

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| Issued 5th Feb**Tested 12th Feb**Words with an /or/ sound spelt ‘or’ | Issued 12th Feb**Tested 26th Feb**Words with /or/ sound spelt ‘au’ | Issued 26th Feb**Tested 5th March**Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ate | Issued 5th March**Tested 12th March**Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ise | Issued 12th March**Tested 19th March**Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -ify | Issued 19th March**Tested 26th March**Convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using the suffix -en | Issued 26th March**Tested 1st Apr (Thur)**Words containing the letter string ‘ough’ |
| forty | pause | pollinate | criticise | amplify | blacken | though |
| scorch | cause | captivate | advertise | solidify | brighten | although |
| absorb | sauce | activate | capitalise | signify | flatten | dough |
| decorate | fraud | motivate | finalise | falsify | lengthen | doughnut |
| afford | launch | communicate | equalise | glorify | mistaken | through |
| enormous | author | medicate | fertilise | notify | straighten | cough |
| category | August | elasticate | terrorise | testify | shorten | trough |
| tornado | applaud | hyphenate | socialise | purify | thicken | rough |
| according | astronaut | alienate | visualise | intensify | tighten | tough |
| opportunity | restaurant | validate | vandalise | classify | toughen | enough |
| marvellous | identity | necessary | prejudice | persuade | program | relevant |
| mischievous | interfere  | nuisance | privilege | pronunciation | programme | sacrifice |