

Pages 4–5

1. a) sed/said
b) beecuz/because
c) peepul/people
d) wud/would
e) muther/mother
f) litul/little
g) sanwij/sandwich
2. a) boat
b) purse
c) moon
d) mouse
e) light f) torch g) paint h) bird
3. a) shoes
b) climb
c) pretty
d) kind
e) hour
f) floor
g) laugh

Pages 6–7

1. neat, heap, speak, team, beach
2. read, deaf, sweat, weather, meadow
3. food, stool, hoop, proof, broom
4. good, book, foot, stood, shook
5. a) cube
b) rode
c) ripe
d) code
e) pipe
f) hate
g) fine
h) shine
6. a) hot = S, day = L
b) They = L, made = L, den = S
c) Rain = L, soaking = L
d) had = S, long = S, flowing = L, cape = L
e) went = S, run = S, park = L

Pages 8–9

1. modern 2, invade 2, cabin 2, king 1, determine 3, sport 1, together 3, introduce 3, industry 3, seat 1, expensive 3, September 3, travel 2, habit 2, method 2, direct 2, farm 1, bird 1
2. century 3, decade 2, millennium 4, year 1, fortnight 2, eternity 4, forever 3, lifetime 2
3. a) Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Sunday, Wednesday
b) Saturday
4. a) March, May, June
b) April, July, August
c) September, October, November, December
d) January, February
5. Responses will vary but the number of syllables and the spelling must be correct.

Pages 10–11

1. dish/dishes; kiss/kisses; cat/cats; coach/coaches; fox/foxes; song/songs; boss/bosses; tree/trees; six/sixes; catch/catches; bus/buses; miss/misses
2. a) dresses
b) bushes
c) horse
d) benches
e) carpet
f) windows
g) bus
h) pizza
3. a) splashes
b) sheep
c) moons
d) potatoes
e) glasses
f) coaches
g) sixes
h) houses

Pages 12–13

1. jump, garden, call, camp
2. preferred, visited, exclaimed, hovered, occurred, begged
3. a) When I was in Year 1, I always preferred to have a hot school dinner.
b) Two years ago, the same argument always occurred at the bus stop.
c) The children begged for every penny they raised.
d) There is a limited range of goods for sale.
e) The teenagers had trouble admitting they were wrong.
f) Sunbathing is relaxing, but not if it is too hot.
4. Sentences must include selected words from below, used in the correct context.
a) relaxed, relaxing
b) gardener, gardening
c) beginner, beginning
d) played, player, playing

Pages 14–15

1. agree disagree
common uncommon
healthy unhealthy
spell misspell
grateful ungrateful
2. un- unfair, unpacked, undressed, unlucky
dis- distrust, disappear, dislike, disobedient
3. a) untidy
b) misguide
c) discourage
d) disappoint
e) untrue
f) disgrace
g) misbehave

Answers

- h) unpleasant
- i) disobey
- j) mislead
- k) discharge
- l) uncommon
- 4. a) unlucky
- b) disappear
- c) misbehaving
- d) distrust/mistrust
- e) dislike

Page 16: Progress Test 1

- 1. people
- 2. because
- 3. good
- 4. February
- 5. bushes
- 6. dishes
- 7. occurred
- 8. gardening
- 9. unpleasant
- 10. misbehave
- 11. begin
- 12. preferred
- 13. hide
- 14. built
- 15. bread

16.–20. The following five words can be written in any order:

untidy, clean, boxes, disappointed, disobey

Page 17: Progress Test 2

- 1. January
- 2. misses
- 3. foxes
- 4. exclaimed
- 5. jumped
- 6. preferring
- 7. unavoidable
- 8. disappear
- 9. untrue
- 10. misleading
- 11. ungrateful
- 12. glasses
- 13. century
- 14. August
- 15. together

16.–20. The following five words can be written in any order:

head, team, book, stool, meadow

Pages 18–19

- 1. keys, lorries, trolleys, toys, guys, berries, cries, pulleys
- 2. fly, boy, copy, lady, day, body, cherry, turkey
- 3. leaf/leaves; half/halves; thief/thieves; shelf/shelves; knife/knives; wife/wives; wolf/wolves; calf/calves; life/lives; elf/elves

- 4. a) All turkeys gobble.
- b) London and Paris are cities.
- c) The baker made lots of loaves.
- d) We picked some berries off the bush.
- e) A pack of wolves lives in the woods.

Pages 20–21

- 1. suddenly, completely, quietly, smartly, slowly, madly, loudly, stupidly, lovingly, lately, hopefully, annoyingly
- 2. glad, cheap, nice, willing, proud, calm, slow, quick, wicked, sad, clever, smart, mad, high
- 3. a) quickly
- b) Cautiously
- c) Proudly
- d) gladly
- e) Willingly
- f) cleverly

Pages 22–23

- 1. hedge, ledge, trudge, budge
- 2. orange, huge, age, bulge
- 3. garage, gadget, badge, hedgehog, fudge, wage (not kitchen and latch)
- 4. a) bridge b) dodgem/dodge c) badger d) barge
- 5. a) sledging
- b) charging
- c) villager
- d) lodger
- e) bulging
- f) oranges
- g) barge
- h) hedgehog
- i) badge

Pages 24–25

- 1. vague, technique, synagogue, colleague, boutique
- 2. a) league – a group of teams or organisations competing or working together
- b) antique – something old, from the past
- c) unique – the only one of its kind
- 3. a) colleague b) intrigue
- c) technique d) meringue
- e) fatigue f) unique
- g) vague h) antique
- 4. A complete sentence must be written for each word, with the selected word used in the correct context.
- a) plague or plaque
- b) opaque
- c) epilogue
- d) boutique
- e) mosque
- f) catalogue
- g) cheque
- h) discotheque
- i) dialogue
- j) picturesque

Pages 26–27

1. vein, weigh, obey, eight, freight, hey, prey, veil, survey, they, sleigh, grey, reign, neighbour, convey, reindeer
2. a) great, prey
b) veil, face
c) They, cake
d) always, obey
e) Eight, place
f) say, age
g) survey, late
h) neighbour, grey
3. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and make sense.**

Pages 28–29

1. stir, term, purse, church
2. play, eight, weigh, sail
3. boiled, soil, loyal, enjoy
4. a) their
b) There
c) there
d) their
5. a) too
b) to
c) two
d) too, to
6. a) break
b) grate
c) ate
d) wait
e) sun

Page 30: Progress Test 3

1. snail
2. unique
3. bridge
4. delay
5. hopefully
6. gently
7. charge
8. copies
9. gadget
10. dodge
11. bear
12. knight
13. There
14. weather
15. hear
- 16.–20. **The following five words can be written in any order:**
neighbour, colleague, suddenly, athletically, guys

Page 31: Progress Test 4

1. badge
2. village

3. league
4. technique
5. intrigue
6. babies
7. basically
8. huge
9. survey
10. quickly
11. weigh
12. antique
13. monkeys
14. eight
15. hedgehog
- 16.–20. **The following five words can be written in any order:**
sadly, ladies, plaque, happily, sleigh

Pages 32–33

1. a) international
b) autobiography
c) supermarket
d) reappear
e) antiseptic
f) automatic
g) unrelated
h) return
i) redo
j) submarine
2. a) superman
b) reappear
c) automatic
d) antidote
e) intercity
f) submerge
3. **A range of words are possible, many from pages 32–33. Check responses using a dictionary.**
4. **Prefixes and sentences will vary. Sentences must contain the stated prefix with correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and make sense.**

Pages 34–35

1. *k* sound: school, stomach, character, anchor, chemist, ache, chaos, architect; *sh* sound: brochure, chef, machine, moustache, parachute, chauffeur
2. machine, chemist, moustache, brochure, anchor, chalet, chorus, chef
3. a) school
b) echo
c) character
d) chorus
e) chauffeur
f) machine
g) anchor
h) chef
i) chemist

Answers

Pages 36–37

1. crystal, cymbal, Egypt, hymn, mystery, oxygen, typical
2. a) gym
b) syrup
c) symbol
d) myth
e) symptom
3. a) mystery
b) syllable
c) pyramids, Egyptians
d) cymbal
e) oxygen
f) system
g) lyrics
4. a) winter
b) infant
c) myth
d) silly
e) crystal
f) cylinder
g) gymnastics
h) physics
i) symptom
j) lyrics
k) crypt
l) cygnet
m) calypso
n) symphony

Pages 38–39

1. u words: umbrella, butter, fund, supply
ou words: encourage, cousin, nourish, touch
2. young, supper, trouble, country, thunder
3. **Across:** couple, country, rough
Down: courage, young
4. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain one of the stated words with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and make sense.**

Pages 40–41

1. accept/except; ball/bawl; not/knot; allowed/aloud; hear/here; plain/plane
2. a) knows
b) heal
c) plane
d) grown
e) accept
f) mist
3. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and make sense.**
4. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain one of the stated words with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and make sense.**

Page 42: Progress Test 5

1. cousin
2. pyramid
3. character
4. submerge
5. antiseptic
6. rough
7. myth
8. brochure
9. country
10. crystal
11. oxygen
12. touch
13. through
14. berry
15. heel

16.–20. The following five words can be written in any order:

young, break, pieces, not, allowed

Page 43: Progress Test 6

1. mystery
2. reappear
3. gymnastics
4. machine
5. enough
6. chemist
7. school
8. trouble
9. automatic
10. parachute
11. international
12. plain
13. accept
14. courage
15. mist

16.–20. The following five words can be written in any order:

heard, stomach, groan, chef, double