

Pages 4–5

1. imagination, information, evaporation, association, plantation, extermination
2. create, transport, form, prepare
3. If the verb ends in -e, drop the e and add -ation. If the verb ends in -ate, drop the e and add -ion.
4. dance / dancing / danced
slice / slicing / sliced
bounce / bouncing / bounced
face / facing / faced
stage / staging / staged
5. traceable, serviceable, chargeable, pronounceable, noticeable, manageable, replaceable, enforceable
6. courageous, advantageous, outrageous
7. **Accept two suitable sentences. The sentences will vary, but each one must contain a correctly spelt adjective ending in -able or -ous, must be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**

Pages 6–7

1. a) dis; appear
b) re; visit
c) in; complete
d) super; man
e) inter; national
f) mis; trust
g) sub; marine
h) re; heat
2. honest, possible, legible, cover, true, patient
3. a) automobile
b) reappear
c) septic
d) international
4. a) inter – means 'between' or 'among'
b) anti – means 'against'
c) auto – means 'self' or 'own'
5. a) re – means 'again' or 'back'
b) sub – means 'under'
c) super – means 'above'
6. **Words to be included in sentences are:**
a) trust
b) market
c) septic
d) honest
e) cover
f) appear
g) national
h) legible

Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and make sense.

Pages 8–9

1. dish / dishes
address / addresses
watch / watches
wish / wishes
church / churches
brush / brushes
arch / arches
box / boxes
dash / dashes
2. loaves, thieves, calves, knives, wolves, lives, shelves, wives
3. halves, hats, buses, holidays, taxes, elves, branches, lions
4. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain one of the stated words with the correct spelling, the correct plural form, be correctly punctuated and make sense.**
5. a) ladies – lady – when a noun ends with a consonant + y, change the y to i and add es.
b) monkeys – monkey – when a noun ends with a vowel + y, add s to make it plural.

Pages 10–11

1. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain one of the stated words with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**
a) grate / great
b) here / hear
c) peace / piece
d) heard / herd
e) father / farther
2. a) fair – without any bias
b) fare – the price to be paid for a journey
c) bare – to have nothing on
d) bear – a wild animal
e) break – to smash or damage something
f) brake – to slow down or stop a vehicle, or the device used to do this
3. a) fare
b) break
c) heard
d) here
e) peace
f) missed
4. a) 'aisle' means a narrow space for walking with seats /shelves on both sides whilst 'isle' means a small island.
b) 'assent' means to agree or approve whilst 'ascent' means to climb
Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and must make sense.

Answers

Pages 12–13

1. **ei after c:** deceive, perceive, receipt, ceiling, receive, conceive, deceit, conceit
ei exceptions: protein, caffeine, seize, weird
2. thief, receive, believe, seize, ceiling, piece, chief, deceive, achieve, caffeine
3. **a)–f) Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, must be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**
4. **The correctly spelt words are:** deceit, protein, receive, seize

Pages 14–15

1. **a)** adorable / adoration
b) noticeable / notice
c) changeable / changeling
d) comfortable / comforting
e) understandable / understood
f) reasonable / reason
g) enjoyable / enjoyment
h) tolerable / toleration
i) considerable / consideration
2. The y is replaced by i before adding –able.
3. deniable, comfortable, noticeable, rectifiable, applicable, adorable, reasonable, variable, justifiable, enjoyable, dependable, considerable, tolerable, understandable, retractable, accountable, inflatable, replaceable
4. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain one of the stated words with the correct spelling, be correctly punctuated and make sense.**

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1. information
2. evaporation
3. disappear
4. untrue
5. sliced
6. courageous
7. knives
8. seize
9. reliable
10. advantageous
11. plantation
12. antiseptic
13. churches
14. shelves
15. automatic

- 16–20. The following five words can be written in any order:** noticeable, enjoyable, creation, arranged, achieve

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1. bouncing
2. ceiling
3. understandable
4. incomplete

5. international
6. association
7. manageable
8. caffeine
9. impatient
10. traceable
11. facing
12. dishonest
13. watches
14. adorable
15. boxes

- 16–20. The following five words can be written in any order:** thieves, deceive, preparation, outrageous, unreasonable

Pages 18–19

1. although, bought, brought, cough, dough, enough, nought, rough, though, tough
2. **a)** borough / horror
b) through / blue
c) enough / huff
d) plough / cow
e) although / blow
f) bought / lord
3. **a)** borough – an area of a city
b) through – when something goes in one way and out another
c) thorough – when something is done completely
d) bought – to get something in return for payment
e) enough – an adequate amount
f) brought – the past tense of bring
g) plough – a tool for ploughing fields, or the verb to plough which is the action of ploughing

Pages 20–21

1. know, knot, wrap, gnash, gnaw, write, wrong, wriggle, wreck, gnome, knit, gnat, gnarled, knee, wren
2. aisle, island, lamb, gnome, doubt, debris, thistle, solemn, walk, thumb, dumb, talk, knot, wriggle, wrap, knight, wrong, know
3. Rule 1 – n, Rule 2 – n, Rule 3 – r, Rule 4 – m, Rule 5 – l

Pages 22–23

1. **a)–e) Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, must be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**
2. **a)** three-quarters
b) forty-eight
c) ninety-two
d) two-thirds
e) thirty-seven
f) three-fifths
g) eight-tenths
h) eighty-four

- i) five-sixths
- j) fifty-nine
- 3. a) cross-country
- b) self-discipline
- c) ex-wife
- d) ex-policeman
- e) cross-examine
- f) self-aware

Pages 24–25

- 1. a) it is / has
- b) I will / I shall
- c) did not
- d) could not
- e) can not
- f) she has
- g) have not
- h) should not
- i) would have
- j) they will / they shall
- k) she had / she would
- l) could have
- 2. a) Sam's
- b) ladies'
- c) goats'
- d) troll's
- e) Alice's
- f) Spain's
- g) girls'
- h) magician's
- 3. **The following words should have been written (in any order):** mice, George's, Martha's, screams, miles, parents', sun's, cockerels

Pages 26–27

- 1. a) vegetables
- b) camera
- c) diamond
- d) different
- e) interest
- f) history
- g) separate
- h) mathematics
- i) mystery
- j) valuable
- k) company
- l) temperature
- 2. dangerous, Wednesday, January, marvellous, fastener, delivery, jewellery, freedom, company, business, Saturday, February, generous, gardener, mineral, factory, century, necessary, animal, separate, interest, military, voluntary, offering
- 3. a)–d) **Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, must be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**

Pages 28–29

- 1. a) forcible
- b) collapsible
- c) responsible
- d) sensible
- 2. a) edible – something which can be eaten
- b) audible – something which can be heard
- c) visible – something which can be seen
- 3. **Across:** horrible, possible, legible, credible
Down: visible, responsible, edible, terrible
- 4. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain at least one word from activity 3 with the correct spelling, must be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**
- 5. **The correctly spelt words are:** edible, illegible, sensible.
The correct spellings of the other words are: vegetable, comparable, horrible, audible, responsible

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- 1. though
- 2. Wednesday
- 3. sensible
- 4. business
- 5. interest
- 6. wreck
- 7. talk
- 8. diamond
- 9. different
- 10. valuable
- 11. enough
- 12. thistles
- 13. bought
- 14. knight
- 15. co-ordinate
- 16–20. **The following five words can be written in any order:** walk, rough, thumb, responsible, camera

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- 1. possible
- 2. knee
- 3. island
- 4. factory
- 5. incredible
- 6. castle
- 7. dangerous
- 8. history
- 9. visible
- 10. pre-owned
- 11. cough
- 12. through
- 13. gnome
- 14. terrible
- 15. cross-country
- 16–20. **The following five words can be written in any order:** although, gardener, doubt, lambs, mystery

Answers

Pages 32–33

1. none, nothing, love, above, son, shove, among, month, front, dozen, wonder, money, monkey, sponge, accomplish
2. double, trouble, couple, touch, young, country
3. wash, wand, warrant, waddle, swamp, swallow, wallow, wallet, wasp, watch
4. **Answers could include:** wash, wasp, watch
5. **Answers could include:** glove, nothing, month

Pages 34–35

1. **words ending with a:** pizza, opera, pasta
words ending with i: spaghetti, ravioli, macaroni
words ending with o: solo, cello, piano, risotto
2. anaconda, bongo, chapatti, kimono, gnu, gecko, kiwi, banana, radio/radii, armadillo, dingo, camera, puma, samosa, bhaji, emu, sofa, tarantula
3. a) anaconda
b) banana
c) bongo
d) camera
e) puma
f) sofa
4. **Sentences will vary, but they must contain at least one word from activity 2 with the correct spelling, must be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**

Pages 36–37

1. **i comes before a:** brilliant, immediate, familiar, radiant, material, memorial
i comes before e: alien, premier, experience, obedient, convenient
i comes before o: companion, opinion, warrior, mysterious
2. a) warrior b) brilliant c) familiar
d) premier e) opinion f) companion
g) radiant h) convenient i) immediate
j) mysterious k) obedient l) alien
m) material n) experience o) memorial
3. **Words to be written (in any order) are:** mysteriously, radio, alien, audience, immediately, distraction, convenient, material

Pages 38–39

1. a) begrudge b) bewitch c) mismanage
d) misspell / e) misuse f) becalm
mis-spell
2. a) becalm b) mismanage
c) misuse d) misspell
3. **Answers will vary, but could include:** ashore, foretell, offshoot, outlive, overreach, undone, withhold
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. a) affect – usually a verb, e.g. the weather will affect the race; effect – usually a noun, e.g. it could have an effect on the race.
b) desert – a barren place; dessert – a sweet course after the main course of a meal
c) eligible – suitable to be chosen or elected; illegible – not legible
d) guest – somebody receiving hospitality; guessed – past tense of the verb guess
2. who's / whose; aloud / allowed; altar / alter; bridal / bridle; cereal / serial; led / lead; compliment / complement; steal / steel; stationary / stationery; descent / dissent
3. a)–e) **Sentences will vary, but they must contain the stated word with the correct spelling, must be correctly punctuated and must make sense.**

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1. nothing
2. umbrella
3. above
4. immediate
5. experience
6. sponge
7. wallet
8. senior
9. trouble
10. radio
11. wonderful
12. sofa
13. material
14. cereal
15. aloud

16–20. The following five words can be written in any order: steal, monkey, swamp, desert, wasps

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1. watch
2. becalm
3. month
4. love
5. banana
6. money
7. piano
8. obedient
9. double
10. among
11. front
12. curious
13. convenient
14. bridal
15. alter

16–20. The following five words can be written in any order: young, guessed, mysterious, studio, wand