

## Week 1 – 9<sup>th</sup> September 2024

### -y at the end of words, sounding like 'i' (fly, cry, July, reply) and words containing 'ey' (donkey, chimney, valley)

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## Week 2 – 16<sup>th</sup> September 2024

### 'or' after the letter 'w' (work, world, word, worm, worth)

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### Week 3 – 23<sup>rd</sup> September

#### The sound spelt 'a' before 'l' and 'll' (ball, walk, talk, all, call, always)

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### Week 4 – 30<sup>th</sup> September

#### Words ending in 'dge' (badge, edge, bridge).

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## Week 5 – 7<sup>th</sup> October

### Words spelt as a 'g' in words before 'e', 'i' and 'y' (giant, gem, energy).

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## Week 6 – 14<sup>th</sup> October

### Words that sound like an 's' but spelt with a 'c' before e, i and y (race, ice, cell, city, fancy)

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## Week 7 – 20<sup>th</sup> October

Words that sound like an 's' but spelt with a 'c' before e, i and y  
(race, ice, cell, city, fancy)

The 'o' sound spelt with an 'a' after 'w' and 'qu' (want, watch,  
wander, quantity, squash)

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## Week 8 – 4<sup>th</sup> November

The 'u' sound when spelt with a 'o' (mother, brother, nothing  
another, Monday)

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## Week 9 – 11<sup>th</sup> November

### Homophones and near-homophones (e.g. bare/bear blew/blue be/bee).

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## Week 10 – 18<sup>th</sup> November

### Adding –ing, –ed, –er, –est and –y to words of one syllable ending in a single consonant letter after a single vowel letter. (e.g. patting, patted, humming, hummed, dropping, dropped, sadder, saddest, fatter, fattest, runner, runny).

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## Week 11 – 25<sup>th</sup> November

Adding –ing, –ed, –er, –est and –y to words of one syllable ending in a single consonant letter after a single vowel letter. (e.g. patting, patted, humming, hummed, dropping, dropped, sadder, saddest, fatter, fattest, runner, runny).

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## Week 12 – 2<sup>nd</sup> December

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## Week 13 – 9<sup>th</sup> December

Adding -ed, -er and -est to a root word ending in -y with a consonant before it (e.g. copied, copier, happier, happiest, cried, replied).

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## Week 14 – 16<sup>th</sup> December

Adding -ing to a root word ending in -y with a consonant before it (copying, crying and replying).

Adding the endings -ing, -ed, -er, -est and -y to words ending in -e with a consonant before it (hiking, hiked, hiker, nicer, nicest, shiny).

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