

Set 1 – '-cious' and '-tious' endings

vicious		
precious		
conscious		
delicious		
malicious		
suspicious		
ambitious		
cautious		
fictitious		
infectious		
nutritious		
bruise		
category		
cemetery		
committee		



Set 2 – '-tial' and '-cial' endings

official		
special		
artificial		
partial		
confidential		
essential		
communicate		
community		
competition		
conscience		
conscious		
controversy		
convenience		
correspond		
criticise		



Set 3 – '-ant', '-ance' and '-ancy' endings

observant		
observance		
expectant		
hesitant		
hesitancy		
tolerant		
tolerance		
substance		
critic		
curiosity		
explanation		
familiar		
foreign		
forty		
frequently		



Set 4 – '-ent', '-ence' and '-ency' endings

innocent		
innocence		
decent		
decency		
frequent		
frequency		
confident		
confidence		
confidential		
government		
guarantee		
harass		
hindrance		
identity		
immediately		



Set 5 – Irregular '-nt', '-nce' and '-ncy' endings

assistant		
assistance		
obedient		
obedience		
independent		
independence		
individual		
interfere		
interrupt		
language		
privilege		
profession		
programme		
pronunciation		
queue		



Set 6 – '-able' and '-ible' endings (Part 1)

adorable		
applicable		
considerable		
tolerable		
changeable		
noticeable		
forcible		
legible		
recognise		
recommend		
relevant		
restaurant		
rhyme		



Set 7 – '-able' and '-ible' endings (Part 2)

dependable		
comfortable		
understandable		
reasonable		
enjoyable		
reliable		
possible		
horrible		
terrible		
visible		
incredible		
rhythm		
sacrifice		
secretary		
shoulder		



Set 8 – Adding suffixes to '-fer' words

referring		
referred		
referral		
preferring		
preferred		
transferring		
transferred		
reference		
referee		
preference		
transference		
signature		
protein		
caffeine		
seize		



Set 9 – Use of a hyphen; 'ei' after 'c' words

co-ordinate		
re-enter		
co-operate		
co-own		
deceive		
conceive		
receive		
perceive		
ceiling		
either		
neither		
advice		
advise		
device		
devise		



Set 10 – '-ough' words (Part 1)

ought		
bought		
thought		
nought		
brought		
fought		
rough		
tough		
enough		
licence		
license		
practice		
practise		
prophecy		
prophesy		



Set 11 – '-ough' words (Part 2)

cough		
though		
although		
dough		
through		
thorough		
borough		
plough		
aisle		
isle		
father		
farther		
herd		
heard		



Set 12 - Words with silent letters

doubt		
island		
lamb		
solemn		
thistle		
knight		
knee		
hymn		
thyme		
knot		
twelfth		
variety		
vegetable		
vehicle		
yacht		



Set 13 – Homophones (Part 1)

advice		
advise		
device		
devise		
licence		
license		
practice		
practise		
prophecy		
prophesy		
suggest		
symbol		
system		
temperature		
thorough		



Set 14 – Homophones (Part 2)

eligible		
illegible		
eliminate		
illuminate		
farther		
father		
precede		
proceed		
morning		
mourning		
signature		
soldier		
stomach		
sufficient		
sincere(ly)		



Set 15 – Homophones (Part 3)

profit		
prophet		
stationary		
stationery		
wary		
weary		
who's		
whose		
queue		
rhyme		
rhythm		
sacrifice		
secretary		
shoulder		
recommend		



Set 16 – Year 6 Specific Spellings

accompany		
according		
achieve		
aggressive		
amateur		
ancient		
apparent		
appreciate		
attached		
available		
average		
awkward		
bargain		
bruise		
category		



Set 17 – Year 6 Specific Spellings

cemetery		
committee		
communicate		
community		
competition		
conscience*		
conscious*		
controversy		
convenience		
correspond		
criticise (critic + ise)		
curiosity		
definite		
desperate		
determined		



Set 18 – Year 6 Specific Spellings

develop		
dictionary		
disastrous		
embarrass		
environment		
equip (-ped, -ment)		
especially		
exaggerate		
excellent		
existence		
explanation		
familiar		
foreign		
forty		
frequently		



Set 19 – Year 6 Specific Spellings

government		
guarantee		
harass		
hindrance		
identity		
immediate(ly)		
individual		
interfere		
interrupt		
language		
leisure		
lightning		
marvellous		
mischievous		
muscle		



Set 20 – Year 6 Specific Spellings

necessary		
neighbour		
nuisance		
occupy		
occur		
opportunity		
parliament		
persuade		
physical		
prejudice		
privilege		
profession		
programme		
pronunciation		
queue		



Set 21 – Year 6 Specific Spellings

recognise		
recommend		
relevant		
restaurant		
rhyme		
rhythm		
sacrifice		
secretary		
shoulder		
twelfth		
variety		
vegetable		
vehicle		
yacht		