



Year 4 Core Words



1.	accidentally	19	disappear	37	increase	55	profession	73	woman
2.	accommodate	20	disastrous	38	island	56	rhythm	74	women
3.	answer	21	environment	39	knowledge	57	reign		
4.	appear	22	exercise	40	library	58	sentence		
5.	believe	23	excellent	41	medicine	59	separate		
6.	breath	24	extreme	42	mention	60	special		
7.	breathe	25	famous	43	naughty	61	straight		
8.	bruise	26	favourite	44	necessary	62	strange		
9.	business	27	experiment	45	occasionally	63	strength		
10.	calendar	28	frequently	46	occur	64	suppose		
11.	communicate	29	foreign	47	ordinary	65	surprise		
12.	conscience	30	forty	48	peculiar	66	therefore		
13.	controversy	31	government	49	position	67	though		
14.	certain	32	guard	50	possession	68	although		
15.	complete	33	guide	51	possible	69	thought		
16.	continue	34	hindrance	52	potatoes	70	through		
17.	criticise	35	height	53	pressure	71	various		
18.	curiosity	36	imagine	54	prejudice	72	weight		

Core words and Spelling Rules

<p>Formation of nouns using a range of prefixes (e.g. <i>super-</i>, <i>anti-</i>, <i>auto-</i>, <i>inter-</i>) See appendix for all non-statutory prefixes.</p>	<p>Words with the /ʃ/ sound spelt ch (mostly French in origin)</p>	<p>Words with endings sounding like /ʒə/ or /tʃə/, e.g. <i>measure</i>, <i>treasure</i>, <i>pleasure</i>, <i>enclosure</i>, <i>creature</i>, <i>furniture</i>.</p>	<p>Words with the /s/ sound spelt sc (Latin in origin).</p>	<p>Words with the /eɪ/ sound spelt ei, eigh, or ey.</p>	<p>Words ending with the /g/ sound spelt -gue and the /k/ sound spelt -que (French in origin)</p>
		<p align="center">pressure</p>	<p align="center">conscience</p>	<p align="center">Eight eighth height foreign reign weight</p>	
<p>Homophones and near homophones.</p>	<p>Words with 'silent' letters</p>	<p>Converting nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes (e.g. <i>-ate</i>; <i>-ise</i>; <i>-ify</i>)</p>	<p>Verb prefixes (e.g. <i>dis-</i>, <i>de-</i>, <i>mis-</i>, <i>over-</i> and <i>re-</i>)</p>		
	<p align="center">rhythm</p>		<p align="center">disappear disastrous</p>		