




Year 4 Spellings

Spring 1

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SPELLING FOCUS:	SPELLING FOCUS:	SPELLING FOCUS:	SPELLING FOCUS:
Words ending in <i>er, or, ar</i>	Words ending with the 'g' sound spelt 'gue'	Review Week	Wizard Words
PRACTICE WORDS:	PRACTICE WORDS:	PRACTICE WORDS:	PRACTICE WORDS:
familiar	league	This week is a 'Review week'. Children will focus on a variety of previous spelling rules.	sentence
similar	tongue		weight
burglar	vague		arrive
circular	rogue		calendar
calculator	fatigue		library
narrator	plague		busy
altogether	dialogue		opposite
powder	intrigue		position
shoulder	analogue		
father	catalogue		
WIZARD WORDS THIS HALF TERM:	sentence weight arrive calendar library busy opposite position		



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Months of the Year	Homophones	Review Week	Wizard Words
PRACTICE WORDS:	PRACTICE WORDS:	PRACTICE WORDS:	PRACTICE WORDS:
January	their	This week is a 'Review week'. Children will focus on a variety of previous spelling rules.	actual
February	there		arrive
March	wear		busy
April	where		learn
June	to		fruit
July	too		group
August	here		heard
September	hear		earth
October	sea		woman
November	see		often
WIZARD WORDS THIS HALF TERM:	actual arrive busy learn fruit group heard earth woman often 