

Year 5/year 6 statutory word list grouped by area

Unstressed vowels	Other words	ie are adjacent	-ous words
accommodate bruise category cemetery definite desperate dictionary embarrass environment exaggerate marvellous nuisance parliament privilege secretary vegetable	amateur average awkward bargain controversy curiosity develop forty guarantee harass hindrance identity individual interfere interrupt language leisure lightning muscle neighbour persuade programme queue recognise relevant restaurant rhyme rhythm shoulder signature stomach temperature twelfth vegetable vehicle yacht	soldier sufficient variety ancient foreign (<i>exception to the pattern</i>)	disastrous marvellous mischievous
			Words originating from other countries
		Double consonants	conscience conscious desperate yacht
		accommodate accompany according aggressive apparent appreciate attached committee communicate community correspond immediate occupy occur opportunity recommend suggest	Cross-curricular words
			forty temperature twelfth
Unstressed consonants			
government			-le words
Suffixes and prefixes			available vegetable vehicle muscle
according attached criticise (critic+ise) determined equip(-ment, -ped) especially frequently immediate(-ly) (un)necessary sincere(-ly)			'c' makes 's' sound before 'i', 'e' and 'y'
		Word families	cemetery convenience criticise excellent existence hindrance necessary prejudice sacrifice
'i' before 'e' except after 'c' when the sound is 'ee'	-tion words	'y' makes the 'i' as in 'bin' sound	
achieve convenience mischievous (regional pronunciation, e.g. if use the 'ee' sound)	competition explanation profession pronunciation	physical symbol system (this is revision from year 3/year 4)	
	-ough letter strings		
	thorough		