

2025 Year 2, Term Three Phonics and Spelling Program

Term Three			
Week	Phonics & Orthography	Morphology	Example Words
1	ee	Suffix -s (plural)	ee - tree, three, creep-creeps-creeping, queen, bee, meet, week, weekend, street(s), three, fifteen, sixteen
	ay	Suffix -s (3rd person singular)	
		Suffix -s (plural /z/)	ay - play, stray, away, Friday, display, away, stay, crayon, Sunday, say, way, stray-strays-straying-strayed, driveway, runway
2	igh	Suffix -s (3rd person singular /z/)	igh - high, sigh-sighs-sighing-sighed, thigh, light(s), bright, sight, flashlight(s), highway(s), moonlight
	oa	Suffix -s (plural -s and /z/)	
		Suffix -s (3rd person singular -s and /z/)	oa - soap, road(s), throat, gloat, toast, groan-groans-groaning-groaned, foam, coast, coach(es), cloak, float
3	oo	Suffix -ing (no spelling change)	oo - spoon(s), soon, scoop, shoot, zoom, smooth, cartoon(s), mushroom(s), teaspoon(s), too/to/two
	or	Prefix -un	
		Suffix -es (plural /ez/)	or - horse, wore, torn, thorn, storm, torch, before, doctor(s), visitor(s), sailor(s)
4	oy	Suffix -es (third person singular)	oy - joy(s), enjoy-enjoys-enjoying-enjoyed, boy(s), toy(s) soy, coy ar - arm(s), car(s), dark, party (parties), charm, park(s), smart, start, yard(s), card(s), shark(s)
	ar	Intro suffix -est (superlative) [no spelling change]	
		Introduction to suffix -er (comparison) [no spelling change]	
5	oo (foot)	Introduction to suffix -er (one who) [no spelling change]	oo - book(s), good, took, shook, stood, chook, wool, wood, cookbook, football, bookcase, lookout er -her, germ(s), over, fern(s), verb(s), tiger(s), perch, mermaid(s), learn-learns-learning, sister(s), help(er), teach(er), learn(er), danger
	er	suffix -or (one who)	
		Suffix -ed [no spelling change]	

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6	ou	Suffix -y [no spelling change]	ou - out, shout-shouts-shouting-shouted, mouse, house(s), about, outside, sprout-sprouts-sprouting-sprouted are - care-cares-caring-cared, stare-stares-staring-stared, aware, square, prepare-prepares-preparing-prepared, rare(ly), bare(ly)
	are	suffix - ly (no change)	
		Suffix - ing [doubling]	
7	ow	Suffix -est [spelling change - doubling]	ow - slow, blow-blows-blowing, window(s), shadow(s), glow-glows-glowing-glowed, snowman, rainbow(s), toe/tow oi - coin(s), join-joins-joining-joined, moist, point-points-pointing-pointed, noise/noisy
	oi	Suffix -er (comparative) [spelling change - doubling]	
		Suffix - er (one who does [spelling change- doubling]	
8	ir	Suffix -ed [spelling change - doubling]	ir - stir, bird, girl(s), first, dirty, thirst, thirteen, bird(s), third, skirt(s), first, squirt-squirts-squirting-squirted
		Suffix -y [doubling]	
		Suffix - ing [words ending in y]	
9 & 10	Catch up, revision and assessment		

Please note: The timeline is a guide and may change.