

Previous Spellings (September to march) Mrs Verdon's

<b><u>ai</u></b>	unlikely	<b><u>Y3/4 list</u></b>
brain	unable	accident
train	impolite	accidentally
plain	improper	actual
explain	immortal	actually
complain	immature	address
paint	<b><u>prefix in/dis</u></b>	answer
sprain	inactive	appear
pain	incorrect	arrive
chain	invisible	although
waist	disobey	<b>tion (sounding shun)</b>
<b><u>more ai</u></b>	dishonest	action
exclaim	disagree	reaction
faithful	disappear	station
painful	dislike	question
contain	<b><u>ugh/au sounding or</u></b>	mention
container	caught	position
remain	naughty	solution
strain	daughter	injection
painter	taught	invention
unfaithful	August	translation
straight	Autumn	<b><u>ssion</u></b>
<b><u>prefix in/im</u></b>	Author	discuss/discussion
unkind	Cause	confess/confession
unhappy	Pause	possess/possession
unsure	Fault	impress/impression
unfair	Haunt	express/expression

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**contractions**

don't	lorry/lorries
haven't	baby/babies
can't	party/parties
couldn't	lady/ladies
shouldn't	
wouldn't	
mustn't	
hasn't	
didn't	

**double consonant rule**

**(Rule 1)**

trapping
hopped
stopped
dripping
scrapped
wrapping
hugged
jogging
swimming
getting

**ies plural rule**

**(Rule 3)**

story/stories
county/counties
country/countries

**ation**

creation
education
imagination
vibration
information

translation

**cian (sounding shun)**

music/musician
politics/politician
magic/magician
beauty/beautiful/beautician

**Rules**

1 Double Consonant Rule: if the last 3 letters of a word are CVC (consonant/vowel/consonant then double the end letter when adding ed or ing.

2 If a word ends in e then drop the e when you add ing

3 Words ending in y are made into plurals with ies only if there is a consonant before the y.

The next three sets of spelling words for Mrs Verdon's group have been given to the children and will be available on the website as well.