

Mrs Chaffe's Spelling Group – Autumn Term 2

(Week beginning 4th November 2025)

Week 1

Words with a /k/ sound spelt 'ch'

school echo anchor chemist orchid stomach chorus character
scheme mechanic

Week 2

Words with a /sh/ sound spelt 'ch'

chef machine brochure parachute quiche moustache chic
pistachio chalet chauffeur

Week 3

Homophones and Near-Homophones. It is as important to know the difference in meaning between homophones and near-homophones as it is to spell them correctly

grate/great groan/grown here/hear heel/heal/he'll

Week 4

Words with the sound /ay/ spelt 'ei', 'eigh' or 'ey'

vein eight reindeer grey they obey neighbour weigh reign
sleigh

Week 5 Red Tricky Words

centre century heart breath busy early continue decide island
minute

Week 6

ASSESSMENT – Friday 12th December 2025

Homophones and Near – Homophones

The children had a **great** time in the park.

grate (noun) – A horizontal metal grill through which water, ash or small objects can fall.

A wood fire burned in the **grate**.

grate (verb)

The recipe says, **grate** the cheese into the mixing bowl.

Everyone let out a tremendous **groan** when England missed the penalty.

The seeds we planted last year, have **grown** into beautiful plants.

I can **hear** what you are saying.

“Come over **here** now!” shouted the boy.

heel (noun) – Part of a foot.

heal (verb) – meaning to cure or mend

he'll (contraction for ‘he will’ or ‘he shall’)

A stone was digging into my **heel**.

If you keep the wound covered, it will **heal** quicker.

He'll win the race if he keeps to a steady pace.