

Year 3/4 Statutory Spelling Words Practice Pack

ANSWERS

weight, height

Underline the part or parts of the word that make them tricky to spell.

weight height

Read each sentence and circle the words...

There was an increased amount of weight in the bag.

Sam is about the average height of a year four pupil.

The plane flew at a height of 12,000 metres.

I used a weight to measure the amount of flour that I needed.

Match the word to its meaning

weight ~~—~~ The distance from the top to the bottom of something or someone
height ~~—~~ a measurement of how heavy someone or something is; a heavy piece of metal used to measure how heavy something is; an object that is heavy

Unscramble the words.

thewg > weight

getih > height

Put the correct word into each sentence.

The apple tree's branches were bent with the weight of the fruit.

Adam fell off the ladder from a great height.

The nurse came and measured the weight and height of each pupil.
(in either order)

The shelf creaked under the weight of all of the books.

Mr Frank lowered the height of the whiteboard.

Write your own sentence for each word.

Answers will vary. Each sentence must have the word indicated on the sheet and be written as a full sentence with a capital letter and full stop (or ? or ! where needed).

calendar, increase

Underline the part or parts of the word that make them tricky to spell.

calendar increase

Read each sentence and circle the words...

Steve bought a new **calendar** to hang on the wall.

Smoking can **increase** people's risk of heart and lung disease.

There are many important celebrations in the church **calendar**.

Most shops **increase** their prices regularly.

Match the word to its meaning

calendar to make something larger in amount or size
increase a system to measure days, weeks and months of the year

Unscramble the words.

dralenac > **calendar**

snairce > **increase**

Put the correct word into each sentence.

My mum always marks everyone's birthday on the family **calendar**.

There was an **increase** in the number of children at the school.

The road works led to an **increase** in traffic jams in the town.

I used the **calendar** to count the days until my birthday.

The Ancient Egyptians had their own **calendar**.

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position century

Read each sentence and circle the words...

What **position** do you play in netball?

My grandparents were born in the last **century**.

Ian scored a **century** in the cricket game.

Gary changed his seating **position** so that he was more comfortable.

Match the word to its meaning

position ——— the place where someone or something is in relation to other things

century ——— one hundred years or a score of one hundred in a game

Unscramble the words.

stiopino > **position**

truncey > **century**

Put the correct word into each sentence.

The clothing shop had a good **position** on the High Street.

The army pinpointed the enemy's **position** on a map.

Many buildings in the town were built in the eighteenth **century**.

This summer was the hottest for a **century**.

In maths we changed the **position** of the triangle by rotating it.

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believe centre

Read each sentence and circle the words...

Bella visited the shopping **centre** to buy new shoes with her mum.

Believe it or not, Max has already completed his homework!

Mr Singh did not **believe** in ghosts.

The children were the **centre** of her universe.

Match the word to its meaning

centre ~~to think that something is true or correct~~
believe ~~the middle point or part~~

Unscramble the words.

trence > **centre**

eliveeb > **believe**

Put the correct word into each sentence.

The teacher didn't **believe** the stories that she was told.

The **centre** of the earth is called the core.

The dining table was positioned in the **centre** of the room.

"You need to **believe** in yourselves," the head teacher said.

The archer hit the **centre** of the target.

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