

Year 6 Statutory Words	accommodate	available	environment	equipped/ equipment	guarantee	prejudice	secretary
	accompany	awkward	conscious	exaggerate	hindrance	privilege	signature
	according	cemetery	controversy	excellent	individual	profession	sufficient
	aggressive	committee	convenience	existence	necessary	pronunciation	temperature
	amateur	communicate	correspond	explanation	nuisance	relevant	twelfth
	ancient	community	criticise	frequently	parliament	restaurant	vegetable
	apparent	conscience	embarrass	government	physical	sacrifice	yacht

Endings which sound like /ʃəs/ spelt -cious or -tious

vicious	precious	conscious	ambitious	cautious
fictitious	anxious			

Endings which sound like /ʃəl/ -tial -cial

official	artificial	partial	confidential	financial
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Words ending in -ant, -ance/-ancy, -ent, -ence/-ency

observant	expectant	hesitant	innocent	decent
observance	frequent	hesitancy	innocence	decency

Words ending in -able and -ible

adorable	possible	enjoyable	considerably	terribly
understandable	changeable	legible	visible	incredibly

Words ending in -ably and -ibly

Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words ending in -fer

referring	referred	referral	reference	referee
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Use of the hyphen

co-ordinate	re-enter	co-operate	co-own	
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Words with the /i:/ sound spelt ei after c

deceive	conceive	receive	perceive	ceiling
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Words containing the letter-string ough

brought	through	borough	thought	although
plough				

Words with 'silent' letters

doubt	island	lamb	solemn	thistle
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Y5 and Y6 homophones and near homophones

advice: noun - telling a person what you think they should do (a piece of information)	advise: verb - to give somebody advice, informing
device: noun - something made for a particular purpose e.g. can opener to open tins	devise: verb - invent or plan
licence: noun - an official permit to do, use or own something e.g. driving licence	license: verb - to give a licence to a person/to authorise e.g. We are not licensed to sell alcohol
practice - noun - e.g. I have done my piano practice, the doctor's practice	practise - verb - to do something repeatedly in order to become better at it
prophecy - noun - the statement that prophesises something	prophecy - verb - say what will happen in the future
farther: further	father: a male parent
guessed: past tense of the verb guess	guest: visitor
draft: noun - a first attempt at writing something; verb - to make the first attempt; also, to draw in someone (e.g. to draft in extra help)	draught: a current of air.
led: past tense of the verb lead	lead: present tense of that verb, or else the metal which is very heavy (as heavy as lead)
morning: before noon	mourning: grieving for someone who has died
past: noun or adjective referring to a previous time (e.g. In the past) or preposition or adverb showing place (e.g. he walked past me)	passed: past tense of the verb 'pass' (e.g. I passed him in the road)
precede: go in front of or before	proceed: go on
principal: adjective - most important (e.g. <i>principal ballerina</i>) noun - important person (e.g. <i>principal of a college</i>)	principle: basic truth or belief
stationary: not moving	stationery: paper, envelopes etc.
steal: take something that does not belong to you	steel: metal
wary: cautious	weary: tired
who's: contraction of <i>who is</i> or <i>who has</i>	whose: belonging to someone (e.g. <i>Whose jacket is that?</i>)
aisle: a gangway between seats (in a church, plane).	isle: an island.
aloud: out loud.	allowed: permitted.
affect: usually a verb (e.g. <i>The weather may affect our plans</i>).	effect: usually a noun (e.g. <i>It may have an effect on our plans</i>).
altar: a table-like piece of furniture in a church.	alter: to change.
ascent: the act of ascending (going up).	assent: to agree/agreement (verb and noun).
bridal: to do with a bride at a wedding.	bridle: reins etc. for controlling a horse.
cereal: made from grain (e.g. breakfast cereal).	serial: adjective from the noun <i>series</i> - a succession of things one after the other.
compliment: to make nice remarks about someone (verb) or the remark that is made (noun).	complement: related to the word <i>complete</i> - to make something complete (e.g. <i>her scarf complemented her outfit</i>).
descent: the act of descending (going down).	dissent: to disagree/disagreement (verb and noun).
desert: as a noun - a barren place (stress on first syllable); as a verb - to abandon (stress on second syllable)	dessert: (stress on second syllable) a sweet course after the main course of a meal.

