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Spelling

This week, the spellings all contain the ending **-que** or **-gue**.

unique	The only one of its kind.
antique	A valuable object like a piece of furniture or art which has a high value because of its age and quality.
mosque	A Muslim place of worship.
grotesque	Very ugly.
plaque	Something that is fixed to a wall or other surface to remember a person or event.
league	A group of sports clubs which play each other for a championship.
intrigue	To make curious or interested in someone or something.
vague	Thinking or communicating in an unclear way.
dialogue	A conversation between two or more people in a book, play or film.
rogue	A dishonest person.

Task 1

Practise spelling the words using a couple of the spelling strategies.

Task 2

Choose the correct word from the list to complete the sentence:

1. Billy's football team are currently top of the _____.
2. I have never seen anything like Klara's sculpture. It is totally _____.
3. Mr Wilks' instructions about how to bake bread were a little _____ and resulted in a poor loaf.
4. The expeditions of polar explorers and their desire to put themselves into extreme danger _____ me.
5. The goblin on top of the church looked down on me with a _____ grin on its face.
6. Simran looked through second hand shops and car boot sales to find an _____ she could sell for a quick profit!

Task 3


Use some of the spelling words in your own sentences. Try to use the ones I didn't use in Task 2.

Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check

- **Look** at the words carefully thinking about the spelling rule.
- **Say** it out loud several times
- **Cover** the word up.
- **Visualise** the word then write it down from memory.
- **Check** the word for spelling accuracy.

Spelling Tennis

One person starts with the first letter of the word; the other person says the next letter. The winner is the person who says the last letter.



Story Writing / Silly Sentences


Write a short paragraph, a story, or silly sentences that include your spelling words. Write the spelling word in fancy lettering or in a coloured pencil and underline it.

Speed Write

Choose a word from the spelling list. How many times can it be written accurately in one minute?


Bubble Words and Doodle Words Combined

Write the words in bubble writing and draw an image.



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Word Pyramid

Begin with the first letter of the word. Add another letter to each stage of the pyramid until the word is completed.


Challenge:



Remove a letter at each stage to reverse the process and end up with a diamond shape.

Bubble Words

Write the words in bubble writing.




Spelling Jumps

Learn your spellings while playing - jump up and down on the spot and say a letter of the word with each jump.



Word Shape

Draw around the word and try to remember the shape of it:



Rainbow Words

1. Use a different colour for each letter of the word:
b e c a u s e
2. Write the whole word in one colour. Change colour and write over the words again on top of the previous colour:
that



Doodle Words

Draw images around the word that linked to the meaning of the word to help you remember what it is.

