



# The Russell School Pathway to Spelling

## Year 5 – Autumn 1

Practise reading and spelling the following words

**Year 5 Statutory Spelling  
words – science related**

**ough words  
silent letter words**

conscious	cough
equipment	sought
physical	tough
stomach	rough
temperature	though
system	thought
shoulder	enough
muscle	
occur	debt
	isle
	autumn
	knight
	thistle
	solemn
	whistle
	lamb
	knickers

**These words will be broken into sections in class to be focused on each week of the half term. They will all continue to be re-visited as the year progresses:**

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
conscious	system	cough	debt	solemn
equipment	shoulder	tough	isle	whistle
physical	muscle	rough	autumn	lamb
stomach	occur	though	knight	knickers
temperature	sought	enough	thistle	
	thought			

## Top Tips

Try out some of the following ideas to help. The secret to success is practising little and often. Use time wisely. Can you practise these words while walking to school or during a car journey? You don't need to practise them all at once: perhaps you could have a word of the day. If you would like more ideas, please speak to your child's teacher.

## Activity Ideas

Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check  
Say or write the word in a sentence  
Spot the words in your reading books  
Pyramid writing  
Check meaning in dictionaries  
Make flash cards and put them on a wall/fridge