Statutory National Curriculum Spellings (in addition to differentiated Big Spelling lists)

At Connaught, the statutory spellings from the New Curriculum are targeted as half-termly lists. These spellings are displayed prominently in classrooms for the whole half term and teachers work them into lessons, guided reading and games/warm-ups.

Pupils should receive a list to put in their homework diary every half term and these should be practised at home in additional to their differentiated weekly lists.

Year 3 Autumn 1 st half	Year 3 Autumn 2 nd half	Year 3 Spring 1 st half	Year 3 Spring 2 nd half	Year 3 Summer 1 st half	Year 3 Summer 2 nd half
actual learn group heard arrive circle often build	eight caught centre century heart breath busy early	continue decide island minute difficult earth consider enough	perhaps address guard material recent guide forward fruit	though notice quarter length library famous describe mention answer appear	actually extreme February certain height history imagine increase interest important

Year 4 Autumn 1 st half	Year 4 Autumn 2 nd half	Year 4 Spring 1 st half	Year 4 Spring 2 nd half	Year 4 Summer 1 st half	Year 4 Summer 2 nd half
accident believe strange reign difficult various possible grammar	woman women promise therefore opposite ordinary breathe pressure	particular calendar popular position possess possession purpose potatoes	different exercise regular complete remember sentence separate special thought weight	straight favourite strength suppose surprise bicycle business medicine natural naughty	peculiar occasion occasionally probably knowledge experiment experience question disappear through

Year 5 Autumn 1 st half	Year 5 Autumn 2 nd half	Year 5 Spring 1 st half	Year 5 Spring 2 nd half	Year 5 Summer 1 st half	Year 5 Summer 2 nd half
accompany	available	average	attached	achieve	aggressive
awkward	communicate	competition	bargain	controversy	ancient
community	embarrass	dictionary	criticise	disastrous	category
conscience	excellent	exaggerate	desperate	government	definite
curiosity	immediate	frequently	explanation	interfere	hindrance
determined	muscle	guarantee	familiar	language	immediately
equipment	opportunity	interrupt	individual	prejudice	lightning
neighbour	sincere	necessary	marvellous	stomach	nuisance
queue	twelfth	physical	restaurant	thorough	recommend
symbol	vehicle	temperature	vegetable	variety	programme

Year 6 Autumn 1 st half	Year 6 Autumn 2 nd half	Year 6 Spring 1 st half	Year 6 Spring 2 nd half	Year 6 Summer 1 st half Some revision from Y5	Year 6 Summer 2 nd half
amateur appreciate conscious develop environment equipped privilege pronunciation relevant system	according bruise cemetery correspond especially foreign occur persuade recognise sufficient	accommodate critic forty leisure mischievous parliament profession rhyme shoulder yacht	apparent committee existence harass identity occupy rhythm sacrifice signature suggest	convenience definite embarrass government guarantee necessary prejudice restaurant secretary soldier	