Year 4 Spellings

Hello Year 4,

Here are your spelling words for the next three weeks. These words have a mixture of different spelling rules and sounds.

This is voluntary, and we are learning these in school, but we would like you to spend some time:

- Identifying the difficult bits of the words,
- The sounds the individual, or group of letters make,
- Work through different ways to remember these spellings using the different spelling techniques from the spelling menu.

Thank you,

Miss McGee and Mr Thomas

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
w/c 2nd Nov.	w/c 9th Nov.	w/c 16th Nov.	w/c 23rd Nov.	w/c 30th Nov.	w/c 7th Dec	w/c 14th Dec
Inter - when adding the prefix inter- there is no spelling change required to the base word.	When the prefix anti- is added there is no spelling change to the root word.	Both ir and il are allomorphs of the negative prefix in-, which means 'not'.	Words that sound the same and have similar spellings but different meanings.	Near homophones	Plural possessive apostrophes with plural words.	
interlink interface internet intermediate international interrupt	anticlockwise antisocial antibiotic antiseptic antidote antifreeze	irregular irrational irrelevant irresponsible irresistible illiterate illegal illegible illogical illiteracy	ate/eight weight/wait missed/mist scene/seen board/bored which/witch	advice/advise quiet/quite won/one accept/except	girls' boys' babies' dogs' children's men's mice's	

1. ABC Order  Write all of your spelling words in alphabetical (ABC) order.	**2. Word Parts** Write your words. Then use a coloured pencil to divide the words into syllables. e.g. jumping caterpillar	**3. Other Handed** Write each word 5 times, switching the hand you write it with each time. Say the word as you spell it.	**4. Vowel Spotlight** Write your words using one colour for the vowels and another colour for the consonants. **(vowels: a, e, i, o, u)**
5. Use Technology Type out your spelling words on the computer. Try to use at least 4 different fonts. 	**6. Pyramid Words** s s p s p e s p e l s p e l l s p e l l i s p e l l i n s p e l l i n g (or make them boat shaped, star, smiley face, etc.)	**7."Ransom" Words** "Write" your words by cutting letters out of a newspaper or magazine and gluing the letters on a piece of paper to spell your words. 	**8. Rainbow Words** Write your spelling words with coloured pencils. Make each letter a different colour. 