Year 3 Autumn Term Class Spelling Words

Green words – everyone must learn to spell these words
Blue words – most people will learn to spell these words too
Red words – some people will also learn these words

-ful and -less	-ment and -ness	-ly	-ly	Homophones
helpful	sadness	sadly	final	there (There is a tree over there.)
mouthful	darkness	lovely	finally	their - possessive (They put on their coats.)
careful	weakness	lonely	recently	they're (they are)
careless	carelessness	carefully	probably	†O (can be pronounced 'tuh')
homeless	agreement	happily	possible	two (2)
beautiful	enjoyment	easily	possibly	too (as well, also)
useful	wickedness	painfully	usual	hole
delightful	forgiveness	wickedly	usually	whole
wonderful	happiness	beautifully	certainly	break
cheerful	loneliness	spitefully	magically	brake
colourful	business	certainly	completely	piece (of pie)
disgraceful	improvement	disgracefully	busy	peace (quiet)
worthless	excitement	thoughtfully	business	bury
tasteless	achievement	excitedly	accidentally	berry
thoughtless	government	carelessly	actually	

Words in bold are from the Year 3/4 National Curriculum word list.

Year 3 Spring Term Class Spelling Words

Green words – everyone must learn to spell these words
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Red words – some people will also learn these words

Focus: the prefix un-	Focus: Prefixes al- dis- mis-	-ly	Focus: National Curriculum Y3/4 Word List words	Focus: the sound /u/ written as ou
unhappy	almost	February	build	young
untidy	already	woman	arrive	touch
unkind	although	women	believe	rough
unfair	dislike	replay	question	tough
unlucky	disappear	return	answer	enough
unwrap	disappoint	report	suppose	country
unable	disinfect	recycle	therefore	couple
uncover	disagree	bicycle	promise	double
unhealthy	misspell	antiseptic	address	trouble
unusual	misbehave	anticlockwise	notice	cousin
unpopular	disqualify	antibiotics	medicine	courage
unknown	disqualified	submarine	breath	encourage
uncertain	dishonest	automatic	breathe	flourish
uncomfortable	mispronounce	autograph	potatoes	nourishment
unfortunately	misunderstand	supermarket	knowledge	southern

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Year 3 Summer Term Class Spelling Words

Green words - everyone must learn to spell these words
Blue words - most people will learn to spell these words too
Red words - some people will also learn these words

The sound s written as ce or c (+e/i/y)	ch	The sound /g/ written as gu and gue and the sound /k/ written as que	The sound /i/ written as y and words with ear	Words from National Curriculum Y3/4 Word List
place	chef	guide	gym	often
notice	chalet	guard	gymnast	island
city	school	guest	gymnastics	thought (think)
sentence	echo	guilty	learn	group
decide	orchid	guitar	heard (C)	through
bicycle	machine	plaque	earth	threw 🐔
centre	chorus	unique	early	minute (tiny / 60 seconds!)
century	anchor	mosque	heart	caught
circle	stomach	plague	Egypt	naughty
certain	character	league	mystery	strange
experience	brochure	antique	mysterious	surprise
exercise	choir	opaque	symbol	purpose
celebrate	architect	technique	physical	special
certificate	orchestra	synagogue	pyramid	forwards
cinema	technology	dialogue	oxygen	grammar
cylinder		tongue		calendar

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