

English Half Term 4

Year 9 Spellings:

Spelling in Year 9 will be tested on alternative weeks and will be set by their class teacher. Students should use their home learning time to learn the spelling for a test in class at the end of the week.

Spelling Strategies:

Look, say, cover, write, check. This is the most common strategy used to learn spellings. **Look:** first look at the whole word carefully and if there is one part of the word that is more difficult, look at that part in more detail. **Say:** say the word as you look at it, using different ways of pronouncing it if that will make it more memorable. **Cover:** cover the word. **Write:** write the word from memory, saying the word as you do so. **Check:** Have you got it right? If yes, try writing it again and again! If not, start again – look, say, cover, write check.

Trace, copy and replicate. Write the word out on a sheet of paper ensuring that it is spelt correctly, and it is large enough to trace over. Trace over the word and say it at the same time. Move next to the word you have just written and write it out as you say it. Turn over the page and write the word as you say it, and then check you have spelt it correctly.

Spelling List 1	Spelling List 2	Spelling List 3	
Culture	Authenticity	Rhythm	Spelling Diagnostic Assessment – see sentences.
Diversity	Experiences	Rhyme	
Tradition	Colloquial	Onomatopoeia	
Heritage	Adaption	Personification	
Migration	Inclusivity	Enjambment	
Heritage	Nostalgia	Assonance	
Integration	Ethnicity	Consonance	
Assimilation	Intolerance	Hyperbole	
Multiculturalism	Globalisation	Quatrain	
Perspective	Displacement	Metonym	
Emigration	Stereotyping	Juxtaposition	

Spelling Diagnostic:

1. **Diversity** enriches communities by celebrating different cultures and traditions.
2. **Integration** promotes unity by bringing together diverse **perspectives** and experiences.
3. **Nostalgia** for childhood often evokes warm memories of simpler times.
4. **Intolerance** towards others' beliefs can lead to conflict and division.
5. **Authenticity** in art captures genuine emotions and experiences.
6. **Metonym** in poetry uses one word to represent a larger concept or idea.
7. **Personification** gives human qualities to objects or animals in literature.
8. Cultural **integration** blends diverse traditions to create a more inclusive society.