

English Task – 6.5.20

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Well done with your grammar work yesterday. You will be able to apply these skills tomorrow in your writing task.

Today's English focus is:

Spelling & Handwriting

Task

Complete the spelling task below, focusing on your **handwriting** skills. Complete this activity in your **yellow homework book** so that you can work on your handwriting **joins**. You may like to take a photo of your neat handwriting, which I can display on the blog. You could also type one of your own sentences on the blog showing excellent spelling.






Spelling

Practise each word. Choose two and write their definitions. Choose two to write in sentences.

continue
describe
difficult
early
eight/eighth

decide
different
disappear
earth
enough

Top Tips:

LOOK 	Look at the word. How many parts are there? What are the tricky bits? Can you find any spelling patterns?
SAY 	Say the word to yourself. Break the word into syllables. How many parts are there? What sounds can you hear?
COVER 	Cover up the word so you cannot see it. Picture the word in your mind.
WRITE 	Write down the word, remembering how it sounds and what it looks like.
CHECK 	Check to see if it is correct. Tick the letters you got correct. Write the word correctly if you made any mistakes.

Nelson Handwriting Reminder:

The Nelson Handwriting font for teaching handwriting.

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0

The Four Joins

1. to letters without ascenders
2. to letters with ascenders
3. horizontal joins
4. horizontal joins to letters with ascenders

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

The **break letters** (letters that aren't joined **from**) are:

b g j p q x y z s

Challenge

Enjoying this activity?

Why not play some fun spelling games to challenge yourself!

<http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/lcwc/index.html>

<http://flash.topmarks.co.uk/4762>

<https://www.arcademics.com/games/coconuts>