

GUARDIAN ANGELS' RCPS PROGRESSION IN SPELLING

Year 2	Learning Journey 1		Learning Journey 2		Learning Journey 3	
	Step 1: Words where 'dge' makes a /j/ sound Step 2: Words where 'ge' makes a /j/ sound Step 3: Words where 'g' makes a /j/ sound Step 4: Words where 'c' makes a /s/ sound before 'e', 'i' and 'y' Step 5: Words where 'kn' and 'gn' make a /n/ sound at the beginning of words Step 6: Challenge Words	Step 7: Words where 'wr' makes a /r/ sound at the beginning of words Step 8: Words ending in 'le' Step 9: Words ending in 'el' Step 10: Words ending in 'al' Step 11: Words ending in 'il' Step 12: Challenge Words	Step 13: Words where 'y' makes an /igh/ sound Step 14: Words where 'es' is added to words ending in 'y' Step 15: Words where 'ed' is added to words ending in 'y' Step 16: Words where 'er' and 'est' are added to words ending in 'y' Step 17: Words where 'ing' is added to words ending in 'e' Step 18: Challenge Words	Step 19: Words where 'er', 'est' and 'ed' is added to words ending in 'e' Step 20: Words where 'ing' is added to single syllable words Step 21: Words where 'ed' is added to single syllable words Step 22: Words where 'a' makes an /or/ sound Step 23: Words where 'o' makes an /u/ sound Step 24: Challenge Words	Step 25: Words where the digraph 'ey' makes an /ee/ sound Step 26: Words where 'a' makes an /o/ sound Step 27: Words where 'or' and 'ar' make an /er/ or /or/ sound Step 28: Words where 'si' and 's' makes an /zh/ sound Step 29: Words ending in 'ment' and 'ness' Step 30: Words ending in 'ful' and 'less'	Step 31: Words that are homophones Step 32: Words that are homophones or near homophones Step 33: Words ending in 'tion' Step 34: Words with an apostrophe for contraction Step 35: Words with an apostrophe for possession Step 36: Challenge Words

Year 3	Learning Journey 1		Learning Journey 2		Learning Journey 3	
	Step 1: Words where the digraph 'ou' makes an /ow/ sound	Step 7: Words with the prefix 're-'	Step 13: Words with the digraph 'ai' and tetragraph 'aigh'	Step 19: Words ending in 'al'	Step 25: Words with the suffix '-er'	Step 31: Words ending in '-sion'
	Step 2: Words where the digraph 'ou' makes a /u/ sound	Step 8: Words with the prefix 'dis-'	Step 14: Words with the digraph 'ei' and tetragraph 'eigh'	Step 20: Words ending in 'le'	Step 26: Words where the digraph 'ch' makes a /k/ sound	Step 32: Challenge Words
	Step 3: Words where 'y' makes an /i/ sound	Step 9: Words with the prefix 'mis-'	Step 15: Words where the digraph 'ey' makes an /ai/ sound	Step 21: Words ending in '-ly' where the base word ends in 'le'	Step 27: Words ending in '-gue' and '-que'	Step 33: Revision words

	Step 4: Words ending in '-sure'	Step 10: Words where '-ing', '-er' and '-ed' are added to multisyllabic words	Step 16: Words with the suffix '-ly'	Step 22: Words ending in '-ly' where the base word ends in '-ic'	Step 28: Words where the digraph 'sc' makes a /s/ sound	Step 34: Revision words
	Step 5: Words ending in '-ture'	Step 11: Words where '-ing', '-en' and '-ed' are added to multisyllabic words	Step 17: Words that are homophones	Step 23: Words ending in '-ly'; exceptions	Step 29: Words that are homophones	Step 35: Revision words
	Step 6: Challenge Words	Step 12: Challenge Words	Step 18: Challenge Words	Step 24: Challenge Words	Step 30: Challenge Words	Step 36: Revision words

Year 4	Learning Journey 1		Learning Journey 2		Learning Journey 3	
	Step 1: Words that are homophones	Step 7: Words ending in '-ation'	Step 13: Words ending in '-sion'	Step 19: Words where 'au' makes an /or/ sound	Step 25: Words that are homophones	Step 31: Challenge Words
	Step 2: Words with the prefix 'in-' meaning 'not'	Step 8: Words ending in '-ation'	Step 14: Words ending in '-ous'	Step 20: Words ending in '-tion'	Step 26: Words spelled with 'c' before 'i' and 'e'	Step 32: Words that are plurals with possessive apostrophes
	Step 3: Words with the prefixes 'il-', 'im-' and 'ir-'	Step 9: Words ending '-ly'	Step 15: Words ending in '-ous' incl. those where 'ge' from the base word remains	Step 21: Words ending in '-sion'	Step 27: Words containing 'sol' and 'real'	Step 33: Revision words

	Step 4: Words with the prefix 'sub-' meaning 'below' or further divided	Step 10: Words ending '-lly'	Step 16: Words where a suffix is added to words ending in 'y'	Step 22: Words ending in '-cian'	Step 28: Words containing 'phon' and 'sign'	Step 34: Revision words
	Step 5: Words with the prefix 'inter-' meaning 'between or among'	Step 11: Words where 'ch' makes a /sh/ sound	Step 17: Words ending in '-ious' and 'eous'	Step 23: Words that are adverbs of manner	Step 29: Words with the prefixes 'super-', 'anti-' and 'auto'	Step 35: Revision words
	Step 6: Challenge Words	Step 12: Challenge Words	Step 18: Challenge Words	Step 24: Challenge Words	Step 30: Words with the prefix 'bi-' meaning 'two'	Step 36: Revision words

Year 5	Learning Journey 1		Learning Journey 2		Learning Journey 3	
	Step 1: Words ending in '-tious' and '-ious'	Step 7: Words ending in '-ant'	Step 13: Words ending in '-able', where the 'e' from the root word remains	Step 19: Words with 'ie' after 'c'	Step 25: Words that are homophones or near homophones	Step 31: Words with hyphens
	Step 2: Words ending in '-cious'	Step 8: Words ending in '-ance' and '-ancy'	Step 14: Words that are adverbs of time	Step 20: Words where 'ei' can make an /ee/ sound	Step 26: Words that are homophones	Step 32: Challenge Words
	Step 3: Words ending in '-cial'	Step 9: Words ending in '-ent' and '-ence'	Step 15: Words with suffixes where the base word ends in '-fer'	Step 21: Words where 'ough' makes an /or/ sound	Step 27: Words that are homophones	Step 33: Revision words

	Step 4: Words ending in '-tial'	Step 10: Words ending in '-able' and '-ible'	Step 16: Words with 'silent' first letters	Step 22: Words containing 'ough'	Step 28: Words that are homophones or near homophones	Step 34 Revision words
	Step 5: Words ending in '-cial' and '-tial'	Step 11: Words ending in '-ably' and '-ibly'	Step 17: Words with 'silent' letters	Step 23: Adverbs of possibility and frequency	Step 29: Words that are homophones or near homophones	Step 35: Revision words
	Step 6: Challenge Words	Step 12: Challenge Words	Step 18: Challenge Words	Step 24: Challenge Words	Step 30: Challenge Words	Step 36: Revision words

Year 6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Step 1: Challenge Words	Step 7: Challenge Words	Step 13: Adding the prefix 'over'	Step 19: Words with the /f/ sound spelled 'ph'	Step 25: Words with the suffix '- ably'	Step 31: Adjectives used to describe settings
	Step 2: Challenge Words	Step 8: Challenge Words	Step 14: Words with the suffix '- ful'	Step 20: Words with origins in other countries and languages	Step 26: Words with the suffix '- ible'	Step 32: Adjectives used to describe feelings
	Step 3: Challenge Words	Step 9: Challenge Words	Step 15: Words that can be nouns and verbs	Step 21: Words with unstressed vowel sounds	Step 27: Words with the suffix '-ibly'	Step 33: Adjectives to describe characters
	Step 4: Challenge Words	Step 10: Challenge Words	Step 16: Words with an /oa/ sound spelled 'ou' or 'ow'	Step 22: Words with 'cial'/shuhl/ after a vowel	Step 28: Words ending in '-ent' and '-ence'	Step 34: Grammar Vocabulary 1
	Step 5: Challenge Words	Step 11: Words with the short vowel sound /i/ spelled 'y'	Step 17: Words with a 'soft c' spelled 'ce'	Step 23: Words with 'tial'/shul/	Step 29: Words ending in '-er', '-or' and '-ar'	Step 35: Grammar Vocabulary 2
	Step 6: Challenge Words	Step 12: Words with the long vowel sound /igh/ spelled 'y'	Step 18: Words with the prefixes 'dis-', 'un-', 'over-' and 'im-'	Step 24: Words beginning with 'acc'	Step 30: Adverbs synonymous with determination	Step 36: Mathematical Vocabulary

