## Term 1

Revisit
Strategies at the point of writing: Have a

## Rare GPCs

Revise:

- The /ei/ sound spelt 'ei', 'eigh', or 'ey'
- The / $/ /$ sound spelt 'ch'
- The $/ \Lambda /$ sound spelt
'ou' (all from Year 3)


## Word endings:

Words ending /ure/ (treasure, measure)

## Prefixes and Suffixes

- Prefixes 'in-', 'il-', 'im-' and 'ir-'
- Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words of more than one syllable ('-ing',
'-en', '-er', 'ed')


## Homophones

peace/piece, main/mane, fair/fare

## Apostrophe

Possessive apostrophe with singular proper nouns (Cyprus's population)

## Proofreading

Teach proofreading strategies
Learning and Practising spellings
Pupils:

- Learn selected words taught in new knowledge this term.
- Learn words from the Years 3 and 4 word list. (Suggest an average of
5 or 6 words each term.)
- Learn words from personal lists.

Extend the knowledge of spelling strategies and apply to highfrequency and cross-curricular words from the Years 3 and 4 word list.

Term 3
Revisit
Prefixes from Year 3: 'un-', 'dis-', 'in-', 're-',
'sub-', 'inter-', 'super-', 'anti-', 'auto-
'. Focus where needed.

## Rare GPCs

Words with the /s/ sound spelt 'sc' (Latin in origin)

## Word endings

Endings that sound like
/zən/ spelt '-sion' (division,
confusion)

## Prefixes and Suffixes

Suffix '-ly'. Teach the exceptions, for example ' $y$ ' changed to ' $i$ ', 'le' ending changed to 'ly', 'ic' ending changed to '-ally'
Suffix '-ous' (poisonous, outrageous)

## Homophones

whether/weather, who's/whose, missed/mist, medal/meddle, team/teem

## Apostrophe

Apostrophe for possession, including singular and plural
Revise contractions from Year 2 and plural apostrophe rules

## Proofreading

Check writing for misspelt words that are on the Years 3 and 4 word list.

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