

Read Write Inc. - Spelling



At Co-op Academy Portland, we use the RWInc Spelling scheme throughout Years 3 – 6. Year 1 and 2 have a tailored spelling scheme, which is based around the same concept as the RWInc Spelling scheme.

Read Write Inc. Spelling is a 15 / 20 -minute-a-day programme for Years 3 to 6. The programme runs on a one week cycle per unit, consisting of five sessions per week.

Using a proven approach underpinned by phonics, fast-paced lessons and an online subscription, Read Write Inc. Spelling prepares children for the higher demands of the statutory spelling assessments in England.

How does each unit run?

Session one: focuses on a rapid recall of the previous units spelling to consolidate their learning. This session then introduces the new sound / spelling rule for the unit through a short video. This is then followed with a spelling zone activity and children take home their spelling words to practise.

Session two: Dots and dashes and word changing activities (understanding how many sounds are in words as well as understanding root words, prefixes and suffixes)

Session three: Choose the right word activity (understanding how to use spelling words in context)

Session four: Four in a row activity (an opportunity for children to test each other on their spelling words)

Session five: Dictation (Partner work – Children read sentences to each other and peer assess each others spellings)

All activities are completed in a spelling practice book!