

Winter Spelling Test – Year 6

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our seasonal literacy activities, Year 6 will be taking a **Winter Spelling Test**. This assessment helps us monitor progress and identify areas where pupils may benefit from further support.

Test Information

- **Date:** [Insert Date]
- **Focus:** Winter-themed vocabulary and key spelling patterns appropriate for Year 6
- **Format:** Pupils will be tested on a selection of words they have been practising in class and at home

Spelling List

Please encourage your child to practise the following words:

- frost
- temperature
- blizzard
- hibernate
- icicle
- shiver
- sleet
- arctic
- seasonal
- atmosphere
- crystal

- freezing
- snowfall
- chimney
- midnight
- celebrate
- decorations
- wander
- silent
- sparkle

How You Can Support at Home

- Practise little and often—short sessions can be very effective.
- Try fun activities like spelling games, flashcards, or using the words in sentences.
- Encourage your child to spot tricky parts of each word and break them down.

After the Test

Results will be shared with pupils, and we will continue to build on these spelling skills throughout the term.

If you have any questions or would like ideas for supporting spelling at home, please speak with a member of the Year 6 team.

Kind regards,

The Year 6 Teaching Team