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**Key Stage 2  
National Curriculum Tests  
English Grammar, Punctuation  
and Spelling**

**Spelling Dictation Test 4 -  
Dictation Script Sheets**

# KS2 English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Test Paper 4

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## Teacher notes:

- Each spelling test should take approximately 10 minutes to complete, although you should allow pupils as much time as they need to complete them.
- For each test, please read out the following instructions: 'Listen carefully to the instructions I am going to give you. I am going to read ten sentences to you. Each sentence has a word missing on your sheet. You should listen carefully for the missing word and fill this in, making sure you spell it correctly. I will read the word, then the word within a sentence, then repeat the word. Do you have any questions?'
- Once pupils' questions have been answered, you should read the ten spellings as shown on the following pages. Leave at least a ten-second gap between spellings.
- You should take care not to overemphasise spelling when reading out the words.

## The spellings should be read as follows:

1. Give the spelling number.
2. Say: The word is...
3. Read the context sentence.
4. Repeat: The word is...

## Spelling Dictation Test 4 - Dictation Script Sheet

Question Number	Answer
1	The word is <b>mystery</b> . The detective solved the great <b>mystery</b> . The word is <b>mystery</b> .
2	The word is <b>donation</b> . What a generous <b>donation</b> you have made! The word is <b>donation</b> .
3	The word is <b>tension</b> . You could feel the <b>tension</b> as you entered the room. The word is <b>tension</b> .
4	The word is <b>neighbour</b> . A friendly <b>neighbour</b> baked cakes for the community. The word is <b>neighbour</b> .
5	The word is <b>preferred</b> . I would have <b>preferred</b> to sit near the window. The word is <b>preferred</b> .
6	The word is <b>although</b> . I can read a lot of books <b>although</b> I am only five years old. The word is <b>although</b> .
7	The word is <b>guessed</b> . I would never have <b>guessed</b> that you would be here. The word is <b>guessed</b> .
8	The word is <b>overreacted</b> . Mum <b>overreacted</b> to the news of the missing bookbag. The word is <b>overreacted</b> .
9	The word is <b>exactly</b> . This is <b>exactly</b> how I pictured it would be. The word is <b>exactly</b> .
10	The word is <b>brochure</b> . Can we choose a holiday from the <b>brochure</b> ? The word is <b>brochure</b> .

You should now read all ten sentences again.

Give pupils the opportunity to make any changes they wish to their answers.

At the end of the test say: 'This is the end of the test. Please put down your pen or pencil.'