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Year 9 Spelling

Question breakdown

Q	Spelling	Reference	
1	budget	S14	the /dʒ/ sound spelt as g before e, i and y
2	stomach	S48	words with the /k/ sound spelt ch (e.g. scheme, chorus)
3	pearl	S8	ear
4	smudge	S14	the /dʒ/ sound spelt as –dge at the end of words
5	quotation	S42	the suffix –ation
6	rehearse	S8	ear
7	capacity	S15	the /s/ sound spelt c before i
8	ornamental	S20	the /l/ or /əl/ sound spelt –al at the end of words
9	imagination	S42	the suffix –ation
10	wreck	S17	the /r/ sound spelt wr at the beginning of words
11	irregular	S41	variations of prefix in- (il-, ir-, im-)
12	debt	S60	words with 'silent' letters (e.g. knight, psalm, solemn)
13	biography	S10	new consonant spelling ph
14	yolk	S60	words with 'silent' letters (e.g. knight, psalm, solemn)
15	voyage	S8	oi
16	financial	S54	endings which sound like /ʃəl/ (e.g. official, special, artificial)
17	vein	S52	the /eɪ/ sound spelt ei (e.g. vein, reign)
18	wrapper	S17	the /r/ sound spelt wr at the beginning of words
19	gnawing	S16	the /n/ sound spelt gn– at the beginning of words
20	applause	S8	au
21	gnat	S16	the /n/ sound spelt gn– at the beginning of words
22	astonishment	S34	the suffix –ment

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23	dehydrated	S41	prefix de–
24	assignment	S34	the suffix –ment
25	carnivorous	S46	the suffix –ous (e.g. poisonous, famous)
26	compression	S47	spelt –ssion (e.g. expression, possession)
27	specimen	S15	the /s/ sound spelt c before e
28	cynical	S39	the /ɪ/ sound spelt y other than at the end of words
29	discretion	S35	words ending in –tion
30	admittance	S55	words ending in –ance (e.g. observance, relevance)
31	trough	S59	words containing the letter string ough (e.g. ought, though, through)
32	noticeable	S56	words ending in –able (e.g. adorable, noticeable)
33	thoroughly	S59	words containing the letter string ough (e.g. ought, though, through)
34	replaceable	S56	words ending in –able (e.g. adorable, noticeable)
35	acquisition	S47	spelt –tion (e.g. invention, injection)
36	indestructible	S56	words ending in –ible (e.g. horrible, possible)
37	immeasurable	S41	variations of prefix in- (il-, ir-, im-)
38	tempestuous	S46	the suffix –ous (e.g. poisonous, famous)
39	cacophony	S10	new consonant spelling ph
40	manufactured	S44	endings sounding like /tʃə/ spelt –ture (e.g. picture, nature)
41	physiotherapy	S10	new consonant spelling ph
42	archaeology	S37	common exception words (Y5/Y6 word list)
43	misinterpretation	S41	prefix mis–
44	imperceptible	S56	words ending in –ible (e.g. horrible, possible)
45	chrysalis	S48	words with the /k/ sound spelt ch (e.g. scheme, chorus)

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46	surreptitious	S53	spelt –tious (e.g. ambitious, cautious, infectious)
47	phenomenon	S10	new consonant spelling ph
48	conscientiously	S53	spelt –tious (e.g. ambitious, cautious, infectious)
49	phlegm	S60	words with 'silent' letters (e.g. knight, psalm, solemn)
50	manoeuvre	S37	common exception words (Y5/Y6 word list)