

Year 5 Weekly Learning Update

Autumn 2, Week 4

Spelling



We are learning that the apostrophe usually replaces a vowel when writing contractions (e.g. could + not = couldn't)

We are learning that different words use different suffixes when pluralised.

When a word ends in a consonant and then a 'y' – the y changes to an 'i' + 'es'.

We are using different strategies to practise spellings.

Literacy



We are reading the personal story of activist Malala Yousafzai.

We are learning to find evidence in the text to support an opinion.

We are learning how to use brackets for parenthesis.

We are learning how to use a variety of persuasive techniques.

We are writing a persuasive speech to convince Leeds City Council to make Malala the face of a new £20 note.

Maths

We are adding two mixed number fractions.

We are subtracting fractions with different denominators.

We are subtracting from a mixed number fraction.

We are subtracting two mixed number fractions.

Spelling

I can spell words using Look, Cover, Write, Check.

Spelling	Look	Cover	Write	Check
couldn't				
wouldn't				
puppies				
babies				
ladies				
tomatoes				

Choose two of the most difficult spellings. Write a sentence for each.
