## Year 3 Summer spelling test 1: Teacher's script

This test should take approximately 15 minutes to complete. Tell the children you are going to read out 20 sentences to them. Each sentence has a word missing on their answer sheet. Tell the children to listen carefully to the missing word and fill it in, making sure they spell it correctly. You will read the word, then the word within a sentence, then repeat the word a third time. Now read out each question to the children as below. At the end of the test read out all 20 sentences again.

1 Spelling one: the word is woman.
The woman on the left is my aunt.
The word is woman.
(2)

Spelling two: the word is remember.
I can never remember jokes.
The word is remember.
(3) Spelling three: the word is prefer.

Would you prefer an apple or an orange?
The word is prefer.
(4) Spelling four: the word is believe.

Do you believe in ghosts?
The word is believe.

5 Spelling five: the word is heard.
I heard that there will be free pizza at
lunchtime.
The word is heard.
(6)

Spelling six: the word is bicycle.
I'm getting a new bicycle for my birthday.
The word is bicycle.

7 Spelling seven: the word is eight.
Spiders have eight legs.
The word is eight.

8 Spelling eight: the word is groan.
There was a groan when the comedian told the same old joke again.
The word is groan.
(9) Spelling nine: the word is address.

What is the school address?
The word is address.

10 Spelling ten: the word is accident. Isaac broke the window by accident. The word is accident.

Spelling eleven: the word is opposite.
I live opposite the park.
The word is opposite.

Spelling twelve: the word is regular.
It is important to have a regular check-up with your dentist.
The word is regular.

13 Spelling thirteen: the word is calendar. Each year I buy a new calendar to put birthdays on.
The word is calendar.
(14) Spelling fourteen: the word is scene.

My favourite scene in the film was when the animals started to speak.
The word is scene.

Spelling fifteen: the word is enormous.
What an enormous ice-cream!
The word is enormous.
(16)

Spelling sixteen: the word is injection.
Having an injection is not as bad as you think. The word is injection.

17 Spelling seventeen: the word is gardener. The park gardener does a wonderful job. The word is gardener.

Spelling eighteen: the word is trouble.
I knew that dog would be trouble.
The word is trouble.

Spelling nineteen: the word is pleasure.
It is my pleasure to welcome you to this class. The word is pleasure.

Spelling twenty: the word is disobey. Why did you disobey my instructions? The word is disobey.

