

Spring 2 Spelling

Words with prefixes *anti* and *inter*

anticlockwise	antihero	antidote	antibiotic	antiseptic
international	intercept	intertwine	interrupt	intervene

The suffixes *-cian*, *-tion*, *-ssion* and *-tion*

optician	physician	magician	politician	electrician
extension	collision	confusion	exclusion	corrosion
explosion	mission	profession	session	percussion
passion	possession	fraction	fiction	direction

Possessive apostrophes (plural) – e.g The cats' whiskers = The whiskers of (all) the cats

Reviewing the Year 3 and 4 statutory word list

Activities to try with the spellings (these do not need to be handed in):

- Can you write a sentence that uses the spelling correctly?
- What is the longest sentence you can write that includes as many of the week's spellings as possible?
- Could you write a paragraph or mini story using each spelling on the list?
- Have a go at making up a crossword puzzle with the spellings as the answers.
- How many more words can you find with the same spelling pattern?
- Which other words can you find that use the root word? E.g. **fraction** → **fracture**
- Anagrams: how many words can you make from the letters of the spelling? E.g. electrician: electric, eel, train...