

Statutory word list for Years 3 and 4 – words which children are expected to be able to spell

accident(ally)	February	possess(ion)
actual(ly)	forward(s)	possible
address	fruit	potatoes
answer	grammar	pressure
appear	group	probably
arrive	guard	promise
believe	guide	quarter
bicycle	heard(h)	question
breath	heart	recent
breathe	height	regular
build	history	reign (h)
busy/business	imagine	remember
calendar	increase	sentence
caught	important	separate
centre	interest	special
century	island	straight
certain	knowledge	strange
circle	learn	strength
complete	length	suppose
consider	library	surprise
continue	material	therefore
decide	medicine	though/although
describe	mention	thought (Phase 5)
different (Phase 5)	minute	through (Phase 5) (h)
difficult	natural	various
disappear	naughty	weight (h)
early	notice	woman/women
earth	occasion(ally)	
eight (h)/eighth	often	extreme
enough	opposite	famous
exercise	ordinary	favourite
experience	particular	
experiment	peculiar	

