

Spelling list: Key Stage 3: Spelling Lists

A number of secondary schools have identified the following words as common errors among this age group.

receive	Did you receive my last letter?
reference	If you are stuck, use the instruction book for reference .
relief	There was great relief at the rescue.
remember	Remember to wash your hair with shampoo.
research	He prided himself as a wartime research boffin.
resources	Resources are things that are useful or valuable to people.
safety	The wounded climber was helped to safety .
Saturday	Jack goes to the pub every Saturday .
secondary	I moved to secondary school at age eleven.
separate	Can you separate those fighting dogs?
sequence	A byte is a sequence of 8 bits. (Computer data terminology).
shoulder	You can cry on my shoulder .
sincerely	I sincerely wish you all the best in life.
skilful	She is a skilful writer.
soldier	The soldier fired a bullet.
stomach	Unripe fruit can give you stomach ache.
straight	Cubism is an art style which uses different perspectives and combines them using fragments and straight lines.
strategy	Our coach explained his strategy for winning the game.
strength	Energy is the strength or power to work.

success

She was a great **success** as a rock singer.