

Class 8 Writing

Spelling

Your spelling rule for this week is.... Here are the words you need to practise.

Adding ed to words of more than 1 syllable:

tempted, amazed, excited, confused, planted, succeed, handed, listened, transferred, preferred, copied, hurried

Practise writing the words and write the words in sentences to make sure you understand what the words mean.

You can also use the following website to practise your spelling rule by playing games.

<https://spellingframe.co.uk/spelling-rule/93/16-Adding%E2%80%93ing%E2%80%93ed%E2%80%93er%E2%80%93est-and%E2%80%93y-to-wordsWriting>

We have learnt about rocks and fossils in our science lessons. Read the Fossils comprehension set for your reading task. Create a fact file about a special rock or fossil you might find. You can use the facts you have learnt in school as well as what you learn from the text/research. In your fact file, you could include:

- Information about your chosen rock/fossil. (What it is called, where it might be found)
- The process of how it is made (fossil, sedimentary, metamorphic, igneous)
- What it might be used for (give examples)
- Draw a picture of your rock/fossil

When writing your fact file don't forget to include the following:

- Full stops and capital letters
- Subordinating conjunctions (if, so, because, when, which, however etc.)
- A variety of sentence openers
- Plus anything else you usually include in your writing.

Don't forgot to check your writing for missing words, spelling and punctuation.