

Strategies to learn spellings and their usage:

- Put word onto flash cards for fast review. (Get partner to ask for letters in word/or do this individually)
- Write down the word several times
- Highlight bits in given words that are harder to remember
- Doodle or annotate around given words
- Break given words into 'chunks' to learn e.g. mem-or-y (alteration of articulation to support the spelling if required)
- Link to knowledge of words from a similar class
- Self test e.g. covering word with hand
- Identification of something within the word to support retention of the meaning
- Identification of words with similar meanings
- Using the given word at the start of a sentence which included a paraphrase of the definition e.g. Articulate mean to say something aloud