

# Spelling Options - Consonants

**'b'**  
**b** bend  
 -----  
**bb** scrubbed  
**bu** buy

**'g'**  
**g** get  
 -----  
**gg** bigger  
**gu** guest  
**gue** league  
**gh** ghost

**'ng'**  
**ng** ring

**'t'**  
**t** ten  
 -----  
**tt** better  
**ed** jumped  
**te** private  
**pt** receipt  
**bt** doubt  
**th** Thames

**'th' 100%**  
**unvoiced**  
 thin  
 ether  
 through  
**voiced**  
 this  
 either  
 though  
 -----  
**the** breathe

**'k'**  
**c** cup  
 -----  
**k** kit  
**ck** black  
 -----  
**ch** chemist  
**cc** occur  
**que** antique  
**qu** mosquito

**'h'**  
**h** hat  
 -----  
**wh** who

**'n'**  
**n** nip  
 -----  
**nn** dinner  
**kn** knit  
**gn** gnat  
**pn** pneumatic  
**ne** imagine

**'v'**  
**v** van  
**ve** give  
 -----  
**f** of  
**ph** Stephen

**'y'**  
**y** yes  
 -----  
**i** onion

**Scotland Only**  
**'wh'** **wh** which  
**'ch'** **ch** loch

**'ch'**  
**ch** chin  
 -----  
**tch** witch  
**ture** future  
**ti** question

**'j'**  
**j** jive  
 -----  
**g** gel  
**ge** large  
**dge** nudge

**'p'**  
**p** pot  
 -----  
**pp** slipped

**'qu'**  
**2 sounds /kw/**  
**qu** queen  
 -----  
**cqu** acquaint

**'w'**  
**w** water  
 -----  
**wh** when  
**u** penguin

**'z'**  
**s** has  
**se** cheese  
**z** zip  
 -----  
**zz** puzzle  
**ze** sneeze

**'d'**  
**d** dig  
 -----  
**dd** middle  
**ed** tinned

**'l'**  
**l** leg  
 -----  
**ll** fell  
**'le' ending**  
**le** table  
 -----  
**al** rational  
**el** label  
**il** fossil  
**ol** symbol

**'r'**  
**r** red  
 -----  
**rr** carry  
**wr** wrap  
**rh** rhino  
**rrh** diarrhoea

**'x' - 2 sounds /ks/**  
**x** example, exit  
**xc** excel, excess  
 -----  
 (socks, picnics, walks)

**'zh'**  
**sion** vision  
 -----  
**s** measure  
**ge** massage

**'f'**  
**f** feed  
 -----  
**ph** phone  
**ff** coffee  
**gh** rough

**'m'**  
**m** mad  
 -----  
**mm** summer  
**me** some  
**mn** autumn  
**mb** lamb

**'s'**  
**s** sat  
**c** city  
 -----  
**ce** dance  
**ss** mess  
**se** horse  
**st** castle  
**sc** science  
**ps** psychology

**'sh'**  
**sh** shake  
**tion** fraction  
 -----  
**ss** tissue  
**s** sugar  
**ch** chef  
**ci** special  
**ce** ocean

# Spelling Options UK

## Vowels

adjust for accent

'a'

a plan

'o'

o dog

a want

ou cough

e ensemble

'e'

e bet

ea bread

ai said

a any

ie friend

eo leopard

'u'

u bus

o love

ou touch

oo blood

'i'

i tin

y myth

u busy

o women

e pretty

'oo' look

oo took

u full

oul would

'ay'

a-e cake

a table

ay say

ai rain

ea break

ey they

eigh eight

ei vein

aigh straight

'ie'

i-e time

i child

y try

igh fight

ie pie

eigh height

'oe'

o so

o-e stone

ow throw

oa float

ou soul

oe toe

ough though eau  
bureau

'ow'

ou proud

ow now

ough plough

'oy'

oi boil

oy boy

'oo' moon

oo soon

u super

u-e flute

o do

ew flew

ou you

ue blue

ui bruise

ough through

oe shoe

'ue'

u dual

u-e fuse

ew few

ue cue

iew view

eu feud

eau beauty

'ee'

ee see

e be

ea team

y baby

i taxi

e-e Pete

ey key

ie babies

ei receive

oe foetus

ay quay

ae archaeology

eo people

'ar'

ar car

a father

ear heart

are are

'ear'

ear clear

ere here

eer steer

eir weird

'air'

are care

air hair

eir their

ere there

'er' stressed

dessert

er term

ir skirt

or world

ur fur

ear earth

our journey

ture mature

'er' unstressed

desert

er hunter

or doctor

ar dollar

our colour

ure measure

re centre

ire Cheshire

'or'

or fork

ore sore

a water

aw paw

au August

ar war

our your

oar soar

ough thought

oor floor

al talk

ough taught

oa broad

ure sure