

Term 4, Week Two

Dragonflies

calling	-all
tallest	
walled	
falling	
smallest	
singing	-ing
ringing	
stinger	
anything	
something	

Bull Ants

belief	"ie" says
briefly	
retrieve	"ee"
wield	
eighteen	"ei" says
reign	
sleigh	
neighbour	"ay"
oar	
ore	

Caterpillars

transport	trans- means across or beyond
translate	
transfusion	
transmit	
depress	de- means down
descend	
decrease	
demolish	homo- phones
thyme	
time	

Hornets

adumbrate
anathema
arrogate
aspersion
clemency
cursory
deprecate
desecrate
discursive
enervate
exculpate
extol
grandiloquence
impetuous
incontrovertible

Wasps

envious	change y to an i before adding -er, -er, -est, - ly, - ness, -ous
hungrier	
heavier	
occupied	
replied	
luckiest	
hurries	
rainiest	
supplier	
creepiest	
* all the original words end in a y - eg. envy, hungry, heavy etc.	

Bees

kite	double consonant after a vowel shortens the vowel sound
kitten	
bite	
bitten	
cute	
cutting	
dine	
dinner	
tube	
tubby	