## Spelling list: -ancy words

Some words ending in -ant are changed to nouns by using the ending -ancy.

accountancy He owned a large **accountancy** firm.

buoyancy He greeted everybody with much **buoyancy**.

discrepancy There was a **discrepancy** in the company finances.

flippancy There should be no **flippancy** during church services.

hesitancy Hesitancy to answer questions might be seen as suspicious.

infancy We learn to talk during our **infancy**.

malignancy Malignancy is the presence of a cancerous tumour.

militancy The crowds protested with **militancy**.

redundancy Every year, many people face **redundancy**.

tenancy I currently have **tenancy** of a flat in the city.

truancy Truancy will not be tolerated in this school.

vacancy The hotel only had one **vacancy**.