

Unit Word List



You will use the Unit Word Lists every day, specifically using this resource to introduce Spelling Words on Day 1 and Vocabulary Words on Day 3.

The words in the *Unit Word Lists* meet several of the specific criteria listed below. The words are:

- words children need to learn in elementary school from research-based lists
- academic words that aid understanding across subject areas
- words frequently misspelled by elementary students
- words that contain useful morphemes (prefixes, suffixes, Greek and Latin roots) that children can apply to words beyond the *Unit Word Lists*
- words that exemplify broadly applicable syllable or spelling patterns
- words of interest to children to spur further engagement with vocabulary.

The selection of words within each Unit include four levels of difficulty as shown with this sample list from Unit 26.

Unit 26 Word List for Spelling			Expand Vocabulary	
Review Words	Spelling Words		Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
serious	form	airport	export	supportive
nervous	perform	transport	transportation	opportunity
dangerous	inform	imported	transformed	
tremendous	ports	reporter	formal	
nonfiction	seaport	important	informal	

↑ Review 5 Spelling Words from previous Units	↑ Level 1 5 familiar new <u>Spelling Words</u>	↑ Level 2 5 less familiar new <u>Spelling Words</u>	↑ Level 3 5 academically useful <u>Vocabulary Words</u>	↑ Level 4 2 advanced <u>Challenge Words</u>
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Unit 1 Word List

Unit 1 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
Starts in Unit 2	felt	upset
	drop	napkin
	grump	insult
	camp	contest
	drink	until

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
stump	bear
chest	log
stamp	
brush	
trip	

Unit 2 Word List

Unit 2 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
felt	win	gallon
drink	when	hundred
insult	think	pumpkin
contest	which	distant
napkin	shock	dolphin

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
blush	hectic
gasp	accomplish
shrug	
grasp	
stretch	

Unit 3 Word List

Unit 3 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
drop	months	flosses
until	across	along
hundred	nothing	tons
dolphin	lunches	among
distant	front	crushes

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
exist	hunch
extinct	evidence
fossils	
cause	
effect	

Unit 4 Word List

Unit 4 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
when	even	equally
pumpkin	talent	product
among	legally	panic
months	honest	focus
lunches	finally	totally

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
locally	original
frequently	timid
profit	
model	
slogan	

Unit 5 Word List

Unit 5 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
equally	state	fade
honest	life	escape
totally	wave	alive
front	delete	alike
across	polite	complete

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
theme	demonstrate
describe	strive
concrete	
locate	
revise	

Unit 6 Word List

Unit 6 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
fade	stove	clothes
escape	close	rude
polite	closed	invited
talent	hole	impress
product	whole	excused

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
included	increase
inhale	inquire
inspired	
inflate	
infer	

Unit 7 Word List

Unit 7 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
close	age	race
closes	cage	racing
excused	face	decide
alive	place	space
complete	placing	magic

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
volcanic	scientific
gigantic	historic
tragic	
toxic	
frantic	

Unit 8 Word List

Unit 8 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
cage	compete	leave
racing	scene	please
decide	feeling	misreading
whole	teeth	mistreat
hole	sunscreen	reason

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
mistake	misdirect
misplaced	conceal
misbehaving	
mischievous	
mislead	

Unit 9 Word List

Unit 9 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
teeth	plain	delay
mistreat	plane	chain
reason	painting	maybe
magic	Sunday	explained
placing	afraid	trail

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
unsafe	democracy
unequal	citizen
uneasy	
unfair	
unwilling	

Unit 10 Word List

Unit 10 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
plain	grinned	sloping
delay	peeking	beginning
afraid	winked	gulped
compete	gripped	stunning
scene	slogging	spotted

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
gazing	surface
skimming	scheming
brimming	
moping	
snagged	

Unit 11 Word List

Unit 11 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
sloping	write	shadows
spotted	right	midnight
beginning	bright	unknown
trail	coast	glow
maybe	goal	slight

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
coal	experiment
design	results
boasted	
hollow	
narrow	

Unit 12 Word List

Unit 12 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
write	grew	smooth
unknown	knew	lose
slight	move	chew
stunning	choose	viewed
grinned	group	through

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
groom	species
soothing	traits
spooof	
natural	
proof	

Unit 13 Word List

Unit 13 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
through	city	copy
choose	cities	copied
viewed	study	reply
shadows	studies	replying
midnight	studying	replied

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
chilly	migrate
blustery	forecast
cheery	
fluffy	
cozy	

Unit 14 Word List

Unit 14 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
cities	frown	bounce
copied	mouth	grouchy
relying	crowd	crown
smooth	sound	allowed
group	aloud	ground

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
doubt	accompany
willpower	composed
announced	
comedy	
improvise	

Unit 15 Word List

Unit 15 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
bounce	bought	sauce
power	caught	awesome
allow	because	awful
city	fault	taught
studied	thought	brought

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
wealthy	generous
audience	literacy
recipe	
success	
launched	

Unit 16 Word List

Unit 16 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
taught	parking	morning
thought	large	chore
awesome	before	apartment
awful	sports	chart
fault	charge	organize

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
council	architect
category	coordinate
landmark	
citizen	
mayor	

Unit 17 Word List

Unit 17 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
chart	actor	sailor
organize	walker	plumber
before	biker	teacher
taught	banker	elevator
fault	doctor	computer

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
counselor	ancestor
career	narrator
soldier	
pioneer	
engineer	

Unit 18 Word List

Unit 18 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
computer	stirred	earth
doctor	early	learned
sailor	disturb	different
apartment	answer	survive
sports	heard	purpose

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
predator	circulate
horizontal	social
vertical	
currently	
average	

Unit 19 Word List

Unit 19 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
stirred	airplane	compare
survive	beware	share
purpose	clear	beard
answer	repair	disrepair
heard	disappear	appear

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
distract	traction
retract	despair
extract	
attract	
subtract	

Unit 20 Word List

Unit 20 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
airplane	twelve	imagine
prepare	minute	private
compare	office	solve
share	promise	passage
disappear	improve	opposite

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
manage	motive
negative	immense
positive	
weightless	
advantage	

Unit 21 Word List

Unit 21 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
imagine	addition	location
minute	subtraction	caution
office	question	condition
solve	action	attention
promise	fiction	completion

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
incomplete	infinite
impatient	illusion
illegal	
independent	
immature	

Unit 22 Word List

Unit 22 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
action	preschool	retell
fiction	remember	replace
addition	rebuild	prefix
subtraction	prevent	preview
question	rewrite	predict

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
prevention	catastrophe
prediction	impact
recover	
respond	
prepare	

Unit 23 Word List

Unit 23 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
retell	its	there
replace	you're	it's
rebuild	your	who's
prevent	they're	contraction
rewrite	their	whose

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
erupt	abrupt
disrupt	ruptured
interrupt	
population	
scenic	

Unit 24 Word List

Unit 24 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
there	brief	niece
their	ceiling	believe
your	eighth	weigh
you're	receive	relieved
whose	neighbor	receipt

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
inspect	spectacular
suspect	speculate
expect	
spectator	
respectful	

Unit 25 Word List

Unit 25 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
niece	able	people
believe	possible	lovable
receive	gentle	flexible
neighbor	tackle	title
receipt	movable	muscle

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
adaptable	capability
responsibility	accessibility
manageable	
predictable	
possibilities	

Unit 26 Word List

Unit 26 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
possible	form	airport
able	perform	transport
lovable	inform	imported
gentle	ports	reporter
people	seaport	important

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
export	supportive
transportation	opportunity
transformed	
formal	
informal	

Unit 27 Word List

Unit 27 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
perform	nonfiction	enormous
reporter	serious	nonsense
important	nervous	nonliving
people	dangerous	tremendous
transport	poisonous	delicious

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
nonpoisonous	curious
suspicious	tenacious
thrive	
anxious	
generous	

Unit 28 Word List

Unit 28 Word List for Spelling

Review Words	Spelling Words	
nonsense	excitement	instrument
serious	amazement	embraced
nervous	loudness	employed
dangerous	enlarge	alertness
generous	fitness	encircled

Expanding Vocabulary

Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
fondness	emulate
engaged	vastness
announcement	
encouragement	
achievement	

Unit 29 Word List

Unit 29 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
excitement	unicycle	unison
embraced	bicycle	unicorn
loudness	tricycle	biceps
encircled	uniform	biannual
amazement	triangle	tripod

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
universe	bilingual
unique	triceratops
binoculars	
biped	
university	

Unit 30 Word List

Unit 30 Word List for Spelling		
Review Words	Spelling Words	
unicycle	photographs	thermometer
bicycle	graph	kilometers
tricycle	autograph	centipede
biceps	centimeters	photography
triangle	meters	biography

Expanding Vocabulary	
Vocabulary Words	Challenge Words
speedometer	diameter
photogenic	perimeter
autograph	
century	
percent	