Frequently Misspelled Words

one syllable 1. two or three syllables 2. 4. 5. always two syllables 6. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. always three syllables 17. 18. 19. 20.



Connections to THINKING

Read the spelling words and sentences.

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1. diamond	diamond	She wore a diamond ring.
2. handsome	handsome	Morris is a handsome boy.
3. truly	truly	Sara truly enjoys doing math.
4. camera	camera	We will not forget the camera.
5. language	language	His first language is Filipino.
6. beautiful	beautiful	Look at the beautiful bird.
7. government	government	The city government approved the tax.
8. umbrella	umbrella	We sat under the beach umbrella.
9. thorough	thorough	That house painter is very thorough.
10. judgment	judgment	He always tries to use good judgment.
11. separate	separate	I can separate the coins from the bills.
12. suppose	suppose	Do you suppose they got lost?
13. chocolate	chocolate	Kai had a chocolate birthday cake.
14. route	route	This route goes across the river.
15. cousin	cousin	My cousin Melvin plays basketball.
16. sincerely	sincerely	I sincerely hope he arrives early.
17. address	address	Our new address is 12 Spring Lane.
18. poison	poison.	The skull symbolizes poison.
19. although	although	Lib is here, although he looks sick.
20. skiing	sking	Neesa likes cross-country skiing.
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Think & Sort the spelling words.

- 1. Write the word with one syllable.
- 2-5. Write the words that can be pronounced as either two or three syllables.
- 6-16. Write the words that are always two syllables.
- 17-20. Write the words that are always three syllables.

Remember

It is important to know the correct spellings of words that are often misspelled.





Connections to VOCABULARY

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Word Categorization

Write the spelling word that belongs in each group. Circle the word that is sometimes confused with **root**. Underline the word that contains a silent consonant that is sounded in the base word.

1.	laws,	taxes,	politicians,	
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Word Structure

The consonant letters or the vowel letters are missing in the following spelling words. Write the words correctly.

Use the Dictionary

Write the spelling word for each dictionary respelling.

15. /ôl thō'/

18. /kam'ər ə/

16. /chô'kə lĭt/

19. /dī'mənd/

17. /sĕp'ə rāt'/

20. /thûr'ō/

Dictionary Check Check your **Spelling Dictionary** to find which words have more than one respelling. Circle those words.

Word Categorization

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Use the Dictionary

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Use Context Clues
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Connections to READING

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Use Context Clues

Write the spelling word that best completes each sentence.

- 1. A ____ rainbow appeared after the storm.
- **2.** After the marathon, I you were tired.
- 3. He is so that he will wash every window twice.
- **4.** A _____ forms from a combination of carbon, heat, pressure, and a long period of time.
- 5. This will take you to San Antonio.
- **6.** An can turn inside out in a high wind.
- 7. Some islanders speak a ____ unique to them.
- 8. Marcia likes ____ bars with nuts.
- 9. I have a first ____ who lives in Sicily.
- 10. Can you ____ the yolk from the white of the egg?

Match the Clues

Write the spelling word that matches each clue.

- 11. It contains two smaller words and means "pleasing in appearance."
- **12.** Ours has three branches: a president, a congress, and a supreme court.
- 13. One kind makes videos; another, snapshots.
- 14. This sport can be done on snow or on water.
- 15. Making a good one requires careful thinking.
- **16.** This includes a number, a street name, a city, a state, and a ZIP code.
- **17.** A venomous animal is one that produces this to attack its prey or defend itself.
- 18. This means "even though."
- 19. This means "with sincerity."
- 20. This means "really" or "truthfully."

Unit 31

Proofread a Journal Entry

Proofread the journal entry below for ten misspelled words. Then rewrite it. Write the spelling words correctly and make the corrections indicated by the proofreading marks.

The snow-capped Mountain shone like a dimond in the dawn light. We looked forward to skiying down powdery slopes someday. The sightseeing roote took us to a rest stop area with a beautifal view. We took some pictures with my new camura. by then it had started to rain No one had an ombrella, so we went inside and drank hot choclit until the shower was over. Allthough the rain was disappointing we truely had a great time! I sincerly hope we can go again.

Proofreading Marks

- Make Uppercase
- / Make Lowercase
- ∧ Add
- Delete
- Add a Period
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Informative/Explanatory Writing

Write a Journal Entry

Write or type a journal entry about an experience that was different than you expected. Begin with what you expected and explain in sequence what happened. Use as many spelling words as you can.

- Use the writing process: prewrite, draft, revise, edit, and publish.
- Be sure to include your thoughts and feelings about your experience.
- Use complete sentences with correct capitalization, punctuation, grammar, and spelling.
- Use the spell-check function in word processing or a print or online dictionary to check your spelling.

Transfer

Choose five easily misspelled words and write a context clues sentence for each word in your Spelling Journal.

Extend& Transfer

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Commonly Confused Terms

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Word Clues

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Commonly Confused Terms

Write the spelling word that is commonly confused with each word below.

- 1. alright
- 2. through
- 3. wave

- 4. croquette
- 5. favored
- 6. inquire

Word Clues

Write the spelling word that fits each clue. Use your **Spelling Dictionary** to check your answers.

- 7. from the Latin word lingua, meaning "tongue"
- 8. your aunt's or uncle's child
- 9. a substance that can cause injury or death
- 10. take apart
- 11. a street number (noun) or to make a speech (verb)
- 12. expect and guess
- 13-14. words that can describe what people look like
- 15-16. contain the Latin suffix -ment, meaning "state or quality"
 - 17. can be pronounced with either three or four syllables

Science

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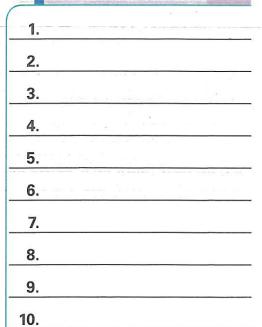
Read the article below and look for spelling words that are synonyms for the underlined words or phrases.

There is an old saying, "A hard precious stone is a girl's best friend." Some people, both men and women, believe that beyond doubt. However, there are many who would say, "Food made from roasted, ground cacao seeds is my best friend."

This won't come as a shock, but some people in both groups go further than what is necessary to obtain their treat.

Chocolate, whether it is real or synthetic, is easy to make. Until recently, however, it was not possible to make diamonds. At last, there is a process for actually growing diamonds. They are not fake. They are real diamonds, but they are grown by machines. It is a slow process that is, of course, secret.

Many experts have looked at the stones. They have made a detailed and complete examination. The decision is almost always the same. One thing that might "give them away" is they are perfect. Most mined diamonds aren't. They are real, and they are gorgeous. The people who grow the diamonds want everyone to know that the diamonds are real and made by people and machines. So, each diamond has the maker's mark on it. They don't want anyone to confuse their diamonds with mined diamonds.





1-10. Write the spelling words for each underlined word or phrase. Circle the three words that can be pronounced as either two or three syllables. Underline the one word that is always pronounced as three syllables.