



# Scripps National Spelling Bee

## Study Words for Sixth Graders

### 2018-2019

warped	volley	alabaster	humanitarian	sturgeon
flail	perish	tendrils	culprits	clavicle
clanging	dismissal	invariably	stagnant	damask
qualify	temporary	scrimmage	diabolical	abolition
solely	anthem	procession	buzzard	extricates
refined	rebuked	writhing	martyr	lustrous
plodding	garret	rosette	garbanzo	diminutive
Japanese	irked	medicinal	cliques	sepia
advanced	prickliness	conservatory	antagonism	rivulets
sensible	narration	miniature	couriers	barbarous
beneath	dormer	accompany	miscreant	sagacity
penalty	realization* or realisation	fiddle-faddle	peasantry	gangrene
mockingly	supposedly	pronto	homily	chilblains
compartment	ruefully	calculus	suffocate	Jacuzzi
achieve	guise	fugitive	cavil	pad thai
hoisted	pennant	percussion	apprehend	relinquish
doffing	fulcrum	siesta	guava	Caribbean
banishment	recognition	hilarious	penitent	hibiscus
furled	governess	cooperage	vexation	jefe
immune	conquering	paramedic	cherished	Xanadu

This list includes 50 challenging sixth grade words and, to extend learning, 50 challenging seventh grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these 100 words, you will be well prepared for a sixth grade classroom bee. If you would like to be well prepared for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List.

\*preferred U.S. spelling



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accompany	miscreant	sagacity	clichés	valise
fiddle-faddle	peasantry	gangrene	impregnable	dissertation
pronto	homily	chilblains	trenchant	recompense
calculus	suffocate	Jacuzzi	catacombs	piedmont
fugitive	cavil	pad thai	salutation	sumptuous
percussion	apprehend	relinquish	dervishes	portentously
siesta	guava	Caribbean	consonants	antecedents
hilarious	penitent	hibiscus	velveteen	gaiters
cooperage	vexation	jefe	galleon	sachet
paramedic	cherished	Xanadu	wastrels	chloroform
humanitarian	sturgeon	pegasi	redundancy	metallurgy
culprits	clavicle	armada	inertia	Prague
stagnant	damask	promenade	bronchitis	balsam
diabolical	abolition	vocational	juniper	emaciated
buzzard	extricates	reprimand	haberdashery	kelpies
martyr	lustrous	éclair	offal	corrugated
garbanzo	diminutive	indelible	garrison	amethyst
cliques	sepia	cologne	feliculously	chivalrous
antagonism	rivulets	gondolier	treacle	phalanx
couriers	barbarous	muttonchops	attenuated	cyanide

This list includes 50 challenging seventh grade words and, to extend learning, 50 challenging eighth grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these 100 words, you will be well prepared for a seventh grade classroom bee. If you would like to be well prepared for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List.



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pegasi	redundancy	metallurgy	ligatures	asseveration
armada	inertia	Prague	grenadier	lobelia
promenade	bronchitis	balsam	canapés	balustrades
vocational	juniper	emaciated	voltaic	expiation
reprimand	haberdashery	kelpies	espionage	flambeau
éclair	offal	corrugated	rapacious	solomon
indelible	garrison	amethyst	prevaricate	ambuscade
cologne	feliculously	chivalrous	acclamations	excretions
gondolier	treacle	phalanx	Harlequin	fuchsia
muttonchops	attenuated	cyanide	fascist	proboscis
clichés	valise	galette	savanna or savannah	exordium
impregnable	dissertation	noisome	balacclavas	Leipzig
trenchant	recompense	munificent	courteous	phaeton
catacombs	piedmont	affidavit	aphorism	marengo
salutation	sumptuous	glutinous	diffidence	jacquerie
dervishes	portentously	Babylon	cinnabar	beryllium
consonants	antecedents	docile	eviscerated	ichor
velveteen	gaiters	tetrarch	unguents	tergiversation
galleon	sachet	frippery	concertina	mille-feuille
wastrels	chloroform	homo sapiens	electrolysis	auf Wiedersehen

This list includes 50 challenging eighth grade words and, to extend learning, 50 challenging ninth grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these 100 words, you will be well prepared for an eighth grade classroom bee. If you would like to be well prepared for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List.



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