

## 250 Eighth Grade Spelling Words

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| 1. accommodate   | 43. brilliance     | 85. discrepancy    |
| 2. abstain       | 44. budget         | 86. dominance      |
| 3. accumulate    | 45. burglary       | 87. embargo        |
| 4. accustomed    | 46. cameos         | 88. endeavor       |
| 5. acoustics     | 47. capably        | 89. envious        |
| 6. acquaintance  | 48. caricature     | 90. epidemic       |
| 7. acquisition   | 49. catastrophe    | 91. equilibrium    |
| 8. acquittal     | 50. chameleon      | 92. erroneous      |
| 9. adolescence   | 51. chandelier     | 93. escalator      |
| 10. adolescent   | 52. characteristic | 94. excessive      |
| 11. advantageous | 53. chauffeur      | 95. existence      |
| 12. aerial       | 54. chrysanthemum  | 96. extremity      |
| 13. amateur      | 55. circumference  | 97. extricate      |
| 14. amnesty      | 56. collaborate    | 98. façade         |
| 15. anecdote     | 57. collateral     | 99. fashionable    |
| 16. annoyance    | 58. colleague      | 100. fiasco        |
| 17. anonymous    | 59. colonel        | 101. fibrous       |
| 18. antecedent   | 60. confiscate     | 102. fiery         |
| 19. antidote     | 61. confiscation   | 103. flamboyant    |
| 20. antiseptic   | 62. conscious      | 104. forgery       |
| 21. anxious      | 63. consequence    | 105. frivolous     |
| 22. apology      | 64. considerable   | 106. frostbitten   |
| 23. apostrophe   | 65. contagious     | 107. glamorous     |
| 24. appendixes   | 66. controversy    | 108. gorgeous      |
| 25. applicant    | 67. continuous     | 109. grotesque     |
| 26. approximate  | 68. correlation    | 110. gymnasium     |
| 27. archeology   | 69. council        | 111. haphazard     |
| 28. architect    | 70. counsel        | 112. hazardous     |
| 29. arrangement  | 71. criticism      | 113. headquarters  |
| 30. asphalt      | 72. criticize      | 114. honorary      |
| 31. asterisk     | 73. critique       | 115. horrific      |
| 32. asthma       | 74. crypt          | 116. hospitality   |
| 33. awkward      | 75. cylinder       | 117. incidentally  |
| 34. bachelor     | 76. deficiency     | 118. inconvenience |
| 35. bankruptcy   | 77. desirable      | 119. indulgence    |
| 36. barometer    | 78. desolate       | 120. inept         |
| 37. belligerent  | 79. deterrent      | 121. inevitable    |
| 38. berserk      | 80. diagnosis      | 122. innumerable   |
| 39. besieged     | 81. dialogue       | 123. insistent     |
| 40. biannual     | 82. dilemma        | 124. insufficient  |
| 41. bimonthly    | 83. disbursement   | 125. integrity     |
| 42. biographical | 84. discernible    | 126. intermittent  |

127. internally  
128. interrogate  
129. jewelry  
130. legitimate  
131. leisure  
132. lieutenant  
133. longevity  
134. lucrative  
135. lunar  
136. luncheon  
137. luxurious  
138. malady  
139. malicious  
140. malignant  
141. melodious  
142. mercenary  
143. mesmerize  
144. meteor  
145. meticulous  
146. metropolitan  
147. minimize  
148. miscellaneous  
149. mischievous  
150. misdemeanor  
151. necessity  
152. negligence  
153. neutral  
154. newsstand  
155. nostalgia  
156. noticeable  
157. obesity  
158. obscure  
159. obsolete  
160. obstinate  
161. occurred  
162. ominous  
163. optimism  
164. optimistic  
165. outrageous  
166. pageant  
167. parachute  
168. paralysis  
169. parliament  
170. penitentiary  
171. perceived  
172. permeate  
173. perseverance  
174. personality  
175. personification  
176. persuade  
177. phenomenon  
178. plaintiff  
179. pneumonia  
180. politician  
181. potential  
182. precipice  
183. precocious  
184. predecessor  
185. preferably  
186. prestigious  
187. procrastinate  
188. propeller  
189. prosperous  
190. protein  
191. pseudonym  
192. psychiatrist  
193. questionnaire  
194. radioactive  
195. rampage  
196. recurrent  
197. rehearsal  
198. relevant  
199. religious  
200. roommate  
201. sacrifice  
202. sacrificial  
203. sanctuary  
204. scandalized  
205. schedule  
206. scheme  
207. schism  
208. scholar  
209. semester  
210. serviceable  
211. shrine  
212. shuddering  
213. sieve  
214. snobbery  
215. solitary  
216. sophomore  
217. studious  
218. subtlety  
219. suburban  
220. surmise  
221. susceptible  
222. suspicious  
223. taboo  
224. technically  
225. technology  
226. tyranny  
227. unacceptable  
228. unconscious  
229. undernourished  
230. unduly  
231. unenforceable  
232. unique  
233. universal  
234. unpredictable  
235. unsanitary  
236. utopia  
237. vaccinate  
238. vacillate  
239. venom  
240. vertigo  
241. vessel  
242. vigilant  
243. villain  
244. vitamin  
245. vivacious  
246. vocalize  
247. voracious  
248. voucher  
249. vulnerable  
250. withhold