200 Difficult Grade 2 Spelling Words

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Say each word, spell it aloud, then tick the box once you can spell it without looking.

1. Silent Letters — kn, wr, gn, mb, gh (25 words)

- [ ] Comb
- [ ] Climb
- [ ] Doubt
- [ ] Gnat
- [ ] Gnaw
- [ ] Knee
- [ ] Kneel
- [ ] Knew
- [ ] Knife
- [ ] Knight
- [ ] Knit
- [ ] Knob
- [ ] Knock
- [ ] Knot
- [ ] Know
- [ ] Lamb
- [ ] Limb
- [ ] Thumb
- [ ] Wrap
- [ ] Wreck
- [ ] Wren
- [ ] Wrench
- [ ] Wrinkle
- [ ] Wrist
- [ ] Write

2. Vowel Teams & Diphthongs — ea, ie, ei, ou, ow, oi, oy, au, aw (25 words)

- [ ] August
- [ ] Avoid
- [ ] Beach
- [ ] Boast
- [ ] Boil
- [ ] Breeze
- [ ] Chief
- [ ] Choice
- [ ] Cloud
- [ ] Coach
- [ ] Cousin
- [ ] Draw
- [ ] Feather
- [ ] Field
- [ ] Flour
- [ ] Frown
- [ ] Heavy
- [ ] House
- [ ] Joyful
- [ ] Laugh
- [ ] Meadow
- [ ] Mouth
- [ ] Point
- [ ] Shout
- [ ] Spread

3. Soft C and Soft G (25 words)

- [ ] Badge
- [ ] Cage
- [ ] Cell
- [ ] Cent
- [ ] Center
- [ ] Chance
- [ ] Change
- [ ] Circle
- [ ] City
- [ ] Dance
- [ ] Edge
- [ ] Engine
- [ ] Face
- [ ] Fudge
- [ ] Gem
- [ ] Gentle
- [ ] Giant
- [ ] Giraffe
- [ ] Gym
- [ ] Huge
- [ ] Judge
- [ ] Ledge
- [ ] Magic
- [ ] Page
- [ ] Pencil

4. Double Consonants (25 words)

- [ ] Address
- [ ] Apple
- [ ] Banner
- [ ] Better
- [ ] Bottom
- [ ] Butter
- [ ] Button
- [ ] Carrot
- [ ] Class
- [ ] Dinner
- [ ] Glass
- [ ] Happen
- [ ] Kitten
- [ ] Lesson
- [ ] Letter
- [ ] Little
- [ ] Middle
- [ ] Office
- [ ] Pillow
- [ ] Puppy
- [ ] Rabbit
- [ ] Ribbon
- [ ] Summer
- [ ] Tunnel
- [ ] Yellow

5. Homophones & Confusing Words (25 words)

- [ ] Blew
- [ ] Blue
- [ ] By
- [ ] Bye
- [ ] Buy
- [ ] Dear
- [ ] Deer
- [ ] Eight
- [ ] Ate
- [ ] Hear
- [ ] Here
- [ ] Hole
- [ ] Whole
- [ ] Meat
- [ ] Meet
- [ ] No
- [ ] Know
- [ ] One
- [ ] Won
- [ ] Pair
- [ ] Pear
- [ ] Right
- [ ] Write
- [ ] Road
- [ ] Rode

6. Suffixes, Plurals & Word Endings — -ing, -ed, -ly, -es, -ful (25 words)

- [ ] Asked
- [ ] Cried
- [ ] Danced
- [ ] Easily
- [ ] Families
- [ ] Friendly
- [ ] Happily
- [ ] Helping
- [ ] Hopeful
- [ ] Jumping
- [ ] Kindness
- [ ] Loudly
- [ ] Playful
- [ ] Properties
- [ ] Quickly
- [ ] Running
- [ ] Slowly
- [ ] Stopped
- [ ] Stories
- [ ] Studied
- [ ] Swimming
- [ ] Useful
- [ ] Walking
- [ ] Wished
- [ ] Yelled

7. Multi-Syllable Academic & Sight Words (40 words)

- [ ] Always
- [ ] Animal
- [ ] Another
- [ ] Answer
- [ ] Beautiful
- [ ] Because
- [ ] Before
- [ ] Behind
- [ ] Between
- [ ] Brother
- [ ] Calendar
- [ ] Children
- [ ] Doctor
- [ ] Early
- [ ] Enough
- [ ] Family
- [ ] Father
- [ ] Friend
- [ ] Great
- [ ] Important
- [ ] Listen
- [ ] Minute
- [ ] Mother
- [ ] Number
- [ ] People
- [ ] Picture
- [ ] Please
- [ ] Pretty
- [ ] School
- [ ] Sister
- [ ] Special
- [ ] Teacher
- [ ] Today
- [ ] Together
- [ ] Tomorrow
- [ ] Trouble
- [ ] Under
- [ ] Water
- [ ] Weather
- [ ] World

8. Compound Words (10 words)

- [ ] Airplane
- [ ] Baseball
- [ ] Classroom
- [ ] Daylight
- [ ] Firefly
- [ ] Footprint
- [ ] Pancake
- [ ] Raindrop
- [ ] Snowman
- [ ] Sunlight