200 Difficult Grade 5 Spelling Words

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

1. Compound & Blended Words (25 words)

- ☐ Bentwood
- ☐ Bicarbonate
- ☐ Camcorder
- ☐ Coralene
- ☐ Curability
- ☐ Cyclical
- ☐ Demagnetize
- ☐ Deprogram
- ☐ Doornail
- ☐ Downpour
- ☐ Endosperm
- ☐ European
- ☐ Everyday
- ☐ Fathogram
- ☐ Fluffy
- ☐ Foamy
- ☐ Foxhound
- ☐ Fuseplug
- ☐ Honeydew
- ☐ Incongruity
- ☐ Jasponyx
- ☐ Keelboat
- ☐ Musicology
- ☐ Player
- ☐ Realist

2. Words Borrowed From Around the World (25 words)

- ☐ Aardvark
- ☐ Alligator
- ☐ Alpenglow
- ☐ Billabong
- ☐ Brockage
- ☐ Calamari
- ☐ Chickaree
- ☐ Coda
- ☐ Cruiser
- ☐ Daze
- ☐ Drum
- ☐ Duffel
- ☐ Elope
- ☐ Flamenco
- ☐ Gabbroid
- ☐ Garganey
- ☐ Gill
- ☐ Glen
- ☐ Gong
- ☐ Juba
- ☐ Kale
- ☐ Kinkajou
- ☐ Knap
- ☐ Kohl
- ☐ Lama

3. Latin & Greek Word Roots (25 words)

- ☐ Absonant
- ☐ Accipiter
- ☐ Actuality
- ☐ Adjutancy
- ☐ Advertent
- ☐ Algometer
- ☐ Ampliate
- ☐ Anatomical
- ☐ Appendage
- ☐ Armature
- ☐ Artemisia
- ☐ Authority
- ☐ Banausic
- ☐ Barbicel
- ☐ Biologic
- ☐ Bitumen
- ☐ Bryology
- ☐ Capsicum
- ☐ Causality
- ☐ Chloride
- ☐ Chrysopal
- ☐ Cohesive
- ☐ Colubrine
- ☐ Computer
- ☐ Conductive

4. Nature, Animals & the Natural World (25 words)

- ☐ Amberjack
- ☐ Cablegram
- ☐ Charlock
- ☐ Coal
- ☐ Dabchick
- ☐ Dung
- ☐ Ebony
- ☐ Epilithic
- ☐ Fen
- ☐ Fishhook
- ☐ Gamekeeper
- ☐ Gentiana
- ☐ Gull
- ☐ Hardwood
- ☐ Hiss
- ☐ Hothouse
- ☐ Howler
- ☐ Hunter
- ☐ Ichthyism
- ☐ Jurassic
- ☐ Ligustrum
- ☐ Limestone
- ☐ Maw
- ☐ Mettlesome
- ☐ Milk

5. Common Prefixes & Suffixes (25 words)

- [ ] Attentive
- [ ] Avoidable
- [ ] Collectable
- [ ] Commonality
- [ ] Decennary
- [ ] Decumbent
- [ ] Deformity
- [ ] Dentelle
- [ ] Describable
- [ ] Detector
- [ ] Devitalize
- [ ] Discrepant
- [ ] Disputant
- [ ] Diversify
- [ ] Duality
- [ ] Emergency
- [ ] Excessive
- [ ] Extrusion
- [ ] Fervency
- [ ] Fixative
- [ ] Humidify
- [ ] Inequity
- [ ] Misspeak
- [ ] Mordancy
- [ ] Nationalize

6. Double Consonants (25 words)

- [ ] Balletic
- [ ] Bassinet
- [ ] Beletter
- [ ] Boundless
- [ ] Braillist
- [ ] Casserole
- [ ] Consomme
- [ ] Crabby
- [ ] Effectuate
- [ ] Enroll
- [ ] Erratum
- [ ] Filler
- [ ] Footless
- [ ] Glabella
- [ ] Hill
- [ ] Hootenanny
- [ ] Impellent
- [ ] Landfall
- [ ] Lass
- [ ] Less
- [ ] Luckless
- [ ] Marcella
- [ ] Moss
- [ ] Pall
- [ ] Papagallo

7. Tricky Vowel Combinations & Diphthongs (25 words)

- [ ] Acierage
- [ ] Anteroom
- [ ] Backfield
- [ ] Bathroom
- [ ] Bordeaux
- [ ] Cliquism
- [ ] Cookbook
- [ ] Dietary
- [ ] Equiangular
- [ ] Fiercest
- [ ] Flier
- [ ] Fruitful
- [ ] Gluey
- [ ] Goad
- [ ] Hereinafter
- [ ] Laughter
- [ ] Lieblich
- [ ] Liquidator
- [ ] Loamy
- [ ] Moon
- [ ] Nainsook
- [ ] Obeisant
- [ ] Obsequity
- [ ] Outdoor
- [ ] Outpatient

8. Longer Words Worth Knowing (25 words)

- [ ] Fantastical
- [ ] Florescence
- [ ] Homeopathic
- [ ] Physicality
- [ ] Presumptive
- [ ] Reiterative
- [ ] Semitrailer
- [ ] Silversmith
- [ ] Stereoscope
- [ ] Unendurable
- [ ] Earthquake
- [ ] Hydrometer
- [ ] Notifiable
- [ ] Optimality
- [ ] Redundance
- [ ] Standpoint
- [ ] Unapparent
- [ ] Undershirt
- [ ] Unofficial
- [ ] Ventilator
- [ ] Watchtower
- [ ] Wealthiest
- [ ] Wickerwork
- [ ] Afterwale
- [ ] Airstream