DAVIS COUNTY SPELLING BEE

2018-2019 SCHOOL STUDY GUIDE

This guide is for the use of the teachers and students for use as the spelling list and study guide for the school bees.

Please review the Spelling Bee Rules that are provided on the davisclipper.com web site prior to your school spelling bee.

If a word has a homonym, a near homonym, or it is similar in spelling to another word, it will be noted in bold italics and underlined. It is important to inform your speller of these, to provide them, without them asking, the word's part of speech and the definition in order to avoid confusion and misspelling the word during your bee.

If you think a word is a homonym or is similar in sound or spelling to another word, but it is not noted, you may check the dictionary for further information.

During pronouncing for a bee, you may skip a word or move to another word if you feel that the word may present a problem to your speller, or you may change any order of words you provide.

1.	adorable	\ə-'dōr-əbəl\ Adjective	Middle French from Latin worthy of being adored; extremely charming Who is this adorable child? She should be in the movies!
2.	freckle	∖'frek-əl\ Noun	English one of the small brownish spots in the skin that are usually due to precipitation of pigment and that increase in number and intensity on exposure to sunlight Her little nose was covered in one freckle after another.
3.	secretary	∖'sekrə,terē\ Noun	From Latin one employed to handle correspondence and manage routine and detail word for a superior. My father has a secretary that can type very fast, but she isn't very nice when she answers the telephone.
4.	wrath	\'rath\ Noun	Middle English strong vengeful anger or indignation; retributory punishment for an offense or crime In the Bible the fall of the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah were manifestations of God's wrath.

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5.	piece	\pēs\	From Irish to Welch, to Latin to French to English
		Noun	a part of a whole : fragment, portion; a period of time,
			especially in brief.
			A piece of cloth from her baby blanket was used in the quilt
			that her grandmother made for Anna's new baby.
6.	curtain	\'kərt ^ə n\	From a Latin word that became French and then English
		Noun	a piece of material that serves to screen, divide, protect,
			conceal or decorate.
			I can't decide if I want the pink flamingo shower curtain or the
			zebra design shower curtain.
7.	address	\ə'dres\	From Latin to French to English
		\a'dres\	
		Noun	a place where a person or organization may be
			communicated with: directions for delivery on the
			outside of an object (as a letter or package)
			Be sure to put your return address on the letter to your
			pen-pal, just in case she has moved.
8.	salary	\sa-lə'rē\	From Latin to French to Middle English
		noun	a fixed wage for a year, quarter, or month for services
			My mother works for a salary of \$50,000 per year, but my
			father makes more for the same type of work.

	oun a	From Germanic, then French before becoming English a piece of absorbent cloth or paper often rectangular in shape for wiping or drying. Ben forgot to take his towel to the pool and had to air dry.
_	märjen∖ I oun a o	From Latin a vertical blank column to the right or left of an area occupied or to be occupied by the main body of a printed or written text or by a group of illustrations on a page or sheet. The English teacher requires a 1" margin on each side of the double-spaced, typed essay.
	äb-jikt\ ſ äb-jekt\	Middle English from Middle Latin
No	5 -	something material that may be perceived by the senses; something mental or physical toward which thought, feeling, or action is directed; the goal or end of an effort or activity. The object of this lesson is that you should learn many new words and how to spell them correctly.
-	kòfē\ \ oun a	Went from Arabic to Turkish to Italian before it became English a drink made by infusion from the roasted and ground seeds of small tropical or subtropical upland trees or shrubs having cherry-like fruits.
	skorn\ f erb t i	Starbucks is a very popular location to meet for coffee. Middle English from German to treat with disrespect, disdain, hate; to act like someone is worthless; an object of disdain, contempt The girls would scorn the others, simply because they were from a different neighborhood.
	bůl-ət- ^ə n∖ f oun a l	From French a brief public notice usually from an authoritative source: a brief news item intended for immediate publication or broadcast A weather bulletin was just announced to watch for severe rain with flash floods in the canyons.
\'1		From Greek
	oun a	a belief, policy, or procedure proposed or followed as the basis of action. The educational system is based on the theory that all children want to learn.

16. screech	\skrēch\	Middle English from Old Norse
	noun	a high pitched noise; a cry usually expressing pain or terror
		A few nights ago, I awoke to a very loud screech from an
		owl in my back yard.
17. altitude	\'altə,tüd\	From a word that went from Latin to English
	Noun	position at a height
		When the airplane suddenly lost altitude, everyone's drinks went
		flying.
18. harness	\'härnes\	From a word from Old Norse to French to English
	Noun	the gear or tackle other than a yoke of a draft animal (as a
		horse, dog or goat)
		The bells on the harness of the horse pulling the carriage
		through Central Park jingled loudly when the driver shook the
		reins.
19. cabinet	\'kabnet\	From French
	\'kabənet\	
	Noun	an upright case or cupboard-like repository.
		My aunt has a cabinet just for her fine china and crystal.
20. shepherd	\'shep-ərd\	Middle English from Old English
	Noun	one who tends sheep
		The shepherd wandered for hours trying to find the little lost
		lamb.
21. mildew	\'mil,dü\	Originally English
	\'mil,dyü\	
	Noun	a superficial usually whitish growth produced on various forms
		of organic matter and on living plants by fungi.
		The books that were stored in the basement were damaged
		from mildew.
22. avenue	∖′avə,nü\	From Latin to French
	∖′avə,nyü\	
	Noun	a city street especially when broad and attractive.
		Fifth Avenue is a very popular shopping area in New York City.
23. luxury	\'ləkshərē\	From Latin that became French then English
	\'ləgzhərē\	
	Noun	a nonessential item or service that contributes to self-indulgent
		living.
		Having a pedicure certainly feels wonderful, but to most it is a
		luxury.

24. marriage	\'marij\ \'merij\	From French to English
	Noun	the state of being married: the state of being united as spouses In a consensual and contractual relationship recognized by law; The mutual relation of married persons
		The key to a successful marriage is mutual love and respect.
25. exercise	\'eksər,sīz\	From a Latin word that became French then English
	Verb	exert the body for the sake of developing and maintaining physical fitness.
		It is proven that exercise leads to a healthier life.
26. shady	∖′shā-dē\	Middle English
	adjective	producing or affording shade; sheltered from the sun's
		rays; in the shadows; of questionable merit: uncertain, unreliable
		We wandered the park looking for the perfect shady spot for our picnic.
27. bargain	\'bärgen\	Originally Germanic that became French before English
S	Verb	Haggle especially over a purchase price.
		Sally was so embarrassed when her mother wanted to bargain
		with the child selling lemonade.
28. chemical	\'kemekəl\	From Greek to Arabic to Latin to French
	Adjective	relating to applications of a science that deals with the
		composition, structure, and properties of substances and of the
		transformations that they undergo.
		The professor is coming up with something more exciting than
		mixing vinegar and baking soda to demonstrate a chemical
		reaction in the science lab.
29. shield	\'shē(ə)ld\	Middle English
	noun	a broad piece of defensive armor carried on the arm; one
		that protects or defends; a fixture that protects a person
		from injury from moving parts or parts carrying electricity
		The dental hygienist moves behind a shield when taking
		an x-ray on a patient.
30. stalker	\'stòk-ər\	Middle English
	Noun	one who pursues by stalking; one who pursues quarry or prey
		with stealth
		That man over there kind of looks like a creepy stalker dude;
31. waft	\'wäft\	make sure he doesn't follow us out to our car. Middle English from Dutch
JI. Wall	\ warr\ Noun	a slight breeze: puff; something (as an order) that is wafted:
	Noull	whiff; a pennant or flag used to signal or to show wind direction
		Where did that horrible waft come from, you or the dog?
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32. mileage	∖′mī-lij∖ Noun	English an allowance for traveling expenses at a certain rate per mile; aggregate length or distance in miles : as the total miles
		traveled in a day: the amount of service that something will yield esp. as expressed in terms of gallon of gas The small compact cars get much better gas mileage than the sport utility vehicles.
33. vacuum	\'vak-yů-əm\ Noun	Latin emptiness of space; a space absolutely devoid of matter; a state of isolation from outside influences; a device creating or utilizing a partial vacuum There is a huge difference between vacuuming the house and
34. parka	∖′pär-kə∖ Noun	living in a vacuum. Russian/Slavic a hooded fur pullover garment for arctic wear; a usually lined fabric outerwear pullover or jacket Joan got a new ski parka for Christmas.
35. among	\ə'məŋ\ Preposition	From Old English surrounded by: in the midst of: intermingled with: through the midst of. The movie star was willing to walk among the crowd and chat
36. welfare	\'wel-,fa(ə)r\ Noun Adjective	with the press at the movie premier. Middle English the state of doing well especially in respect to good fortune; happiness, well-being; relief relating or or concerned with welfare and improvement of the
	·	welfare of disadvantaged social groups The agency is concerned about the welfare of the three children that live in the home without heat and not much food.
37. painful	\pān-fəl\ Adjective	Middle English from Latin feeling or giving pain: irksome, annoying; requiring effort or exertion
38. reptilian	\rep'til-ē-ən\ Adjective	When you shut your finger in the car door, it is very painful. Latin resembling or having the characteristics of the reptiles; of or relating to the reptiles Why isn't there a super hero that is reptilian? How great would it be to have Snake Man hanging out with Batman?

39. whisker	∖'hwis-kər∖ Noun	From Middle English a hair of the beard; part of the beard growing on the sides of the face; one of the long projecting hairs or bristles growing near the mouth of an animal A cat's whisker allows her to tell if she can fit into a space.
40. buffoon	\bə-ˈfün\ Noun	Medieval French, or Old Italian a ludicrous figure: clown; a gross and usually ill-educated or stupid person; ridiculous Stop acting like a buffoon! The children at the birthday party giggled at the buffoon's silly tricks.
41. quench	\'kwench\ Verb	Middle English to put out; subdue, overcome; destroy; slake, satisfy; to cool suddenly by immersion in water It was so hot that all I could think of was a way to quench my thirst.
42. nachos	\'näch-(,)ō Noun	Spanish (pl) a tortilla chip topped with cheese and a savory substance such as hot peppers and broiled One of my favorite football game treats is a good home made plate of nachos.

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of speech.	
\'him\	Middle English from Old English from Latin from Greek
pronoun	
noun	a song of praise to God; a song of praise or joy;
	Our Sunday church services always open with a hymn.
\'froth\	Middle English from Old Norse
noun	Bubbles formed in or on a liquid: foam
	Froth appeared on the water as the waves broke along the
	shore.
\'pes-kē\	Irregular form of pest
• •	troublesome, vexatious
,	Who left the screen door open so that this pesky fly could come
	in the house?
\'üziŋ\	Middle English
Verb	to pass or flow slowly through or as if through small openings or interstices, to exude moisture
	Blood was oozing out of the wounds he received in the motorcycle accident.
\'rān-di(ə)r\	Middle English from Old Norse
Noun	any of several large deer of Old World arctic regions and
	Greenland bun introduced elsewhere that have palmate antlers
	in both sexes and are grouped with the caribou in a single species
	Santa and his reindeer landed on my roof on Christmas Eve.
	\'him\ pronoun noun \'froth\ noun \'pes-ke\ Adjective \'üziŋ\ Verb \'rān-di(ə)r\

48. oyster	∖′òi-stər∖ Noun	Middle English from French any of various marine bivalve mollusks that have a rough irregular shell closed by a single adductor muscle and include important shellfish; something valuable and won by skill It took me a few tries, but ends up, I do like to eat a good oyster.
49. fixate	\'fik-ˌsāt\	Middle English Medical
	Verb	To focus or concentrate one's gaze or attention. An infant with normal vision will fixate on a light held before him.
50. rubbish	\'rəb-ish\ Noun	Middle English useless waste or rejected matter: trash; something that is worthless or nonsensical This script is simply rubbish, said the director of the movie.

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51. phony	∖′fō-nē\	origin unknown	
	alt spelling pho	alt spelling phoney	
	Adjective	intended to deceive or mislead; intended to defraud; false; sham; having no genuine existence : fictitious	
		She is such a phony, the way she tells everyone she is an	
		actress, when all she did was to be in the background crowd	
		in one shot of a tv show.	
52. zoology	\zō-'äl-ə-jē\	New Language	
	Noun	a science that deals with animals and is the branch of biology concerned with the animal kingdom and its members as individuals and classes and with animal life	
		Alise's favorite class at Bountiful High her senior year was	
		zoology because the teacher was so awesome.	
53. precinct	\'prē-si(k)t\	Middle English from Latin	
	Noun	a part of a territory having definite bounds or functions and often established for administrative purposes: District; an enclosure bounded by the walls or other limits of a building or place or by an imaginary line around it: domain	
		Many large cities organize their police stations by precinct, with a full staff at each precinct office.	
54. modesty	\'mäd-ə-stē\	Latin	
	Noun	freedom from conceit or vanity; propriety in dress, speech or conduct	
		Both women and men should conduct themselves with a good degree of modesty.	

55. penalty	∖'pen-(ə)l-tē∖ Noun	Latin the suffering in person, rights, or property that is annexed by law or judicial decision to the commission of a crime or public offense; the suffering or the sum to be forfeited to which a person subjects himself by agreement in case of nonfulfillment of stipulations; disadvantage, loss, or hardship due to some action The hockey player was sent to the penalty box after he
56. russet	\'rəs-ət\ Noun	checked a player in the back and sent him flying into the glass. Middle English from Old French coarse homespun reddish brown cloth; a variable color averaging a strong brown; any of various winter apples having reddish brown skin My mother puts those small russet potatoes in with carrots and onions into her pot roast.
57. utmost	\'ət-,most\ Adjective	American Southern situated at the farthest or most distant point; of the greatest or highest degree, quantity, number, or amount It is of the utmost importance that you show up to this meeting
58. warehouse	∖′wa(ə)r-haůs∖ Noun	on time. From Middle English a structure or room for the storage of merchandise or commodities
59. nectar	∖'nek-tər\ Noun	Costco is a warehouse store. Latin from Greek the drink of the Greek and Roman gods; a delicious drink; a sweet liquid that is secreted by the nectaries of a plant is is the chief raw material of honey
60. recluse	\'re,klůs\ \rē-klůz\	I swear this fresh grapefruit juice is the true nectar of the gods. Middle English
	Adjective	removed from society; shut up: cloistered; avoiding others: solitary; remote; secluded I hear the old recluse that lives in the cabin on top of the mountain finally came down for supplies last month.
61. laxative	\'lak-sə-tiv\ Adjective	Middle English from Latin having a tendency to loosen or relax; specifically relieving constipation
62. paradise	\par-ə-,dīs\ Noun	Aloe tablets are a natural, gentile laxative. Middle English from Old French from Latin an intermediate place or state where the righteous departed await resurrection and judgment; a place of bliss, felicity, or delight Our trip to Fiji was like visiting paradise.

63. seasonal	∖'sēz-nəl∖ Noun	Middle English from French from Latin of, relating to, or varying in occurrence according to the season; affected or caused by seasonal need or availability Many college students will soon be seeking seasonal jobs for their summer break.
64. magazine	\'ma-gə-zēn\ Noun	Arabic a place where goods or supplies are stored; a room in which powder and other explosives are kept in a fort or a ship; a periodical containing miscellaneous pieces and often illustrated She had always dreamed of working at a fashion magazine in New York City.
65. balcony	\ bal-kə-nē\	Italian
	Noun	a platform that projects from the wall of a building and is enclosed by a parapet or railing; an interior projecting gallery in a public building, as a theater Juliet stood on her balcony and said, "Romeo, Romeo, wherefore art thou, Romeo?"
66. cauliflower	\'kċ-li-flaů*ə)r	\ Italian
	Noun	a garden plant related to the cabbage and grown for its compact edible head of usually white undeveloped flowers; used as a vegetable Cream of cauliflower soup topped with cheese is a wonderful treat on a cold winter night.
67. pulpit	∖'půl-pit\	Latin
or. paipit	Noun	enclosed elevated platform or a high reading desk used in preaching or conducting a service of worship; an elevated platform for a public speaker The minister stepped up to the pulpit and began his weekly lesson to the congregation.
68. diagonal	\dīagən ^ə l\	From Greek that passed into Latin
·	Adjective	Running across from corner to corner. The interior designer wants to use the tile floor with a diagonal pattern.
69. romantic	\rō-mant-ik\ Adjective	French marked by the imaginative or emotional appeal of what is heroic, adventurous, mysterious, or idealized; of or relating to music of the 19 th century characterized by an emphasis on subjective emotional qualities and freedom of form; having an inclination for romance: marked by expressions of love or affection; conducive to love George set a romantic atmosphere with roses and violin music, candles and chocolates, and a ring to put on her finger.

70. operating	\äp-(ə),rāt-iŋ\	Latin
	Adjective	of, relating to, or used for or in operations – to perform a
		function
		iOS is the Apple operating system.
		The surgery took place in the operating room.
71. elegant	\'elegənt\	From Latin
	\'elēgənt\	
	Adjective	characterized by tasteful richness especially of design or
		ornamentation: luxurious or sumptuous in a refined way
		Miss America was wearing the most elegant formal dress made
		of blue satin.
72. faucet	\'foset\	From a Latin word that became French then English
	\'fäset\	
	Noun	a fixture for drawing a liquid from a pipe, cask, or other vessel.
		The kitchen faucet is leaking a small, non-stop trickle of water.

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73. va	ult	\'völt\	From Latin to French then to English
		Noun	an arched structure of masonry usually forming a ceiling or roof
			: an arched or dome shaped structure; a room or compartment
			for the safekeeping of valuables : a burial chamber
			Melissa put her ring in the vault in her hotel room so that she
			would not lose it while at the beach.
74. ex	amine	\ig'zamen\	From Latin, through French, then to English
		\eg'zamen\	
		Verb	inquire into systematically : investigate
			The doctor wanted to examine his patient to see why she had
			such a high fever.
75. da	ingerous	\'dānjərəs\	From a French word to English
		Adjective	involving risk: demanding caution or care as extremely unsafe.
			Trying to climb a ladder while blindfolded and one hand tied
			behind your back is very dangerous.
76. ab	ound	\ə-'baůnd\	Middle English from Middle French from Latin
		Verb	to be present in large numbers or in great quantity : be
			prevalent; to be copiously supplied
			When we went to the dog breeder's, bounding puppies were
			abound.

77. rubella	\rü-'bel-ə\	Latin
	Noun	German measles
		Most children are now immunized against rubella at birth.
78. artifacts	\art-i-,fakt\	Latin
	Noun	a characteristic product of human activity, usually a hand-made
		object representing a particular culture or stage of technological
		development
		The archeologists have discovered artifacts from the Indians
		that roamed the region hundreds of years before the English
		settlers moved in.
79. morbid	\'morbed\	From Latin
	Adjective	abnormally susceptible to or characterized by gloomy or unwholesome feelings.
		People that find enjoyment pulling the legs off of bugs have a
		morbid sense of humor.
80. pheasant	\'fez ^ə nt\	Originally Greek, to Latin, to French then to English.
·	Noun	any of numerous large, often long-tailed, and brilliantly colored
		birds with legs adapted for running and scratching the ground
		where most of their food is found.
		Uncle Larry's hunting dog flushed out a pheasant from the field.
81. saucer	\soʻsər\	Middle English
	noun	a small plate, usu. put under a cup to catch drips
		I put milk in a saucer for my cat to enjoy every morning.
82. centipede	\'sentə,pēd\	From Latin
	Noun	any various flattened elongated arthropods constituting the
		class Chilopoda, the body divided into a number of segments
		each bearing one pair of legs and being active, predatory, and
		chiefly nocturnal animals useful as destroyers of noxious
		insects.
		The centipede can be found in deserts, rainforests, and the arctic tundra.
83. diamond	\'dīmənd\	From a word that went from Greek to Latin to French to English
	\'dī,əmənd\	
	Noun	native crystalline carbon that is usually nearly colorless and is
		highly valued as a precious stone; a square or rhombus-shaped
		figure oriented with the long diagonal vertical; a baseball infield
		My sister got a diamond engagement ring for Christmas.
84. strengthen	\'streŋthən\ \'stren(t)thən\	Originally English
	Verb	give added physical force or vigor to; to make stronger
	-	Athletic trainers will work to strengthen athlete's muscles in
		order to help them avoid injury while engaged in their sport.
		order to help them avoid many time engaged in their sport.

85. shackle	\'shak-əl\	Middle English from Old Norse
	noun	something that confines the legs or arms; something that
		checks or prevents free action; a length of cable or anchor
		chain
		The prisoner was brought into the courtroom with a
		shackle on his legs so that he could not walk easily.
86. exhaust	\ig'zost\	From Latin
	\eg'zost\	
	Noun	an arrangement for withdrawing undesirable fumes, dusts, or
		orders from an enclosure (as a factory room or kitchen).
		It is a good thing the stove has an exhaust fan over it because
		mom burns the dinner quite often.
87. diesel	\'dē-zəl\ \'dē-səl\	Named for Rudolf Diesel
	Noun	a vehicle driven by a diesel engine
		Most big 18-wheeler trucks are diesel, and run on diesel fuel.
88. grueling	/grü-ə-liŋ/	English
5 5	adjective	Trying or taxing to the point of exhaustion
	•	Football practice is often a very grueling 3 hours.
89. obelisk	\'äb-ə- ,lisk\	From Greek, to Latin to Middle English
	\' ōb-ə- ,lisk\	, G
	Noun	an upright four-sided usually monolithic pillar that gradually
		tapers as it rises and terminates in a pyramid.
		The Washington Monument is the largest obelisk in the United
		States.
90. anthem	\'an(t)-thəm\	Middle English from Old French from Latin
	Noun	a psalm or hymn sung antiphonally or responsively; a sacred
		vocal composition with words usually from the Scriptures; a
		song or hymn of praise or gladness
		There wasn't a dry eye in the house as the veteran sang the
		anthem, Battle Hymn of the Republic.
91. breathe	\'brēth\	Originally English
	Verb	to draw air into and expel it from the lungs.
		During yoga class, Kim would teach her students how to breathe
		with their diaphragm.
92. substances	\'səb-stən(t)s-	ez\ Middle English from Middle French
	Noun	fundamental or characteristic part or quality; practical
		importance; a physical material from which something is made
		or which has discrete existence : matter of particular or definite
		chemical constitution
		A cigarette is made up of substances that are carcinogenic.

93. stomach	∖′stəm-ək\ Noun	Greek to Middle French to Middle English a dilatation of the alimentary canal of a vertebrate
		communicating anteriorly with the esophagus and posteriorly with the duodenum
		Sarah called in sick from a stomach ache this morning.
94. consonant	\'kän(t)sənənt\	From Latin
	Noun	one of a class of speech sounds characterized by constriction or
		closure at one or more points in the breath channel.
		All David needed to end the poem was a word that started with
		a consonant other than F and rhymed with fricassee.
95. almost	\'ol-,most\	From Middle English
	Adverb	very nearly but not exactly or entirely
		We almost won the game, it was very close.
96. spatula	\'spach-(ə)lə	Latin
	Noun	a flat, thin, usually metal implement used especially for
		spreading or mixing soft substances, scooping, or lifting
07	\	I use a special spatula made just for frosting to decorate cakes.
97. westerly	\'wes-tər-lē\	From Old English to Middle English
	Adjective Adverb	situated toward or belonging to the west; coming from the west
		A westerly wind is blowing tonight and rain showers will
		most likely follow sometime in the morning.
98. saga	\sä-gə\	Old Nors
	noun	a legend, a long drawn out story
		The saga of Scarlett O'Hara was laid out in the book
		Gone With the Wind.
99. laundry	\'Iȯndrē\	Originally English
	\'ländrē\	
	Noun	a collection of clothes or household linens to be washed.
		Mike asked his mother if she would do his laundry when the
		basket was overflowing with dirty clothes.
100. matronly	∖′mā-trən-lē\	English
	Adjective	having the character of or suitable to a matron : a married
		woman, a woman who supervises women or children
		The dress alone made her look so matronly, but her hair was
		so old fashioned, she looked like my grandma.
101. chronic	\'krän-ik\	French from Greek
	Adjective	marked by long duration or frequent recurrence; suffering from
		a chronic disease; always present or encountered: constantly
		vexing or troubling; being such habitually
		My sister suffers from chronic headaches she calls migraines.

102.	saying	\sā-ĭŋ\	English
		noun	a wise statement of truth, as a proverb or aphorism: adage
			As the saying goes, a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.
103.	brighten	\'brīt ^ə n\	From English
		Verb	becoming shining or luminous.
			The baby's eyes brighten whenever her mother walks into the room.
104.	cyclone	∖'sī-,klōn\	Modified from Greek
		Noun	a storm or system of winds that rotates about a center of low
			atmospheric pressure clockwise in the southern hemisphere
			and counter clockwise in the northern, advances at a speed of
			20 to 30 miles an hour, and often brings abundant rain: tornado
			Dorothy and Toto were swept up by a cyclone and deposited in
			the Land of Oz.
105.	porcupine	\'pōr-kyə,pīn\	Middle English from Middle French from Latin
		Noun	any of a various relatively large rodents having stiff sharp
			erectile bristles mingled with the hair and constituting an Old
			World terrestrial family and a New World arboreal family
			The dog tried to attack the porcupine, but ended up with quills
			in his nose and mouth instead.
106.	fulfill	\fə(l)-fil\	From Middle English
		Verb	to make full; to put into effect : to measure up to : satisfy
			To take an expedition to the North Pole would fulfill the
			scientist's wildest dreams.

The following word may be spelled two different ways, according to Webster's Third New International Dictionary. Preferred spelling and the word provided on the study list is shown.

107. license <u>preferred spelling</u>

Variant Spelling: licence

\'līs^an(t)s\ From Latin to French to English

Noun permission to act : a right or permission granted in accordance

with law by a competent authority to engage in some business or occupation, to do some act, or to engage in some transaction In the State of Utah, it is legal for a 16 year old to get a license to drive, once they have met all the course work and testing

criteria.

The following word could be confused with another word similar in sound. Provide the word's part of speech and definition.

108. prism \'prizəm\ From Greek that passed into Latin

Could be confused with prison

Noun a transparent body that is bounded in part by two nonparallel

plane faces and is used to deviate or disperse a beam of light.

The prism cast an array of colors on the wall.

109.	sculpture	\'skəlpchər\ \'skəlpshər\	Went from Latin to English
		Noun	a carved or molded stature or figure.
			Karen bought a marble sculpture to put near the pool.
110.	coffin	\'köfen\ \'käfen\	From a Latin word that became French and then English
		Noun	a box or chest in which a corpse is buried.
			Dracula would sleep during the day in a coffin.
111.	aorta	∖′ā-'ort-ə\	Greek
		Noun	the great arterial trunk that carries blood from the heart to be
			distributed by branch arteries through the body
			He died very quickly due to an aneurism in his aorta.
112.	purse	\'pərs\	Middle English from Latin bursa
		noun	a small bag for money; a small receptacle for carrying money
			and often other small objects
			I bought a new leather purse from a little Italian specialty shop.
113.	luggage	∖′lə-gij\	New English
		noun	something that is lugged; suitcases for a traveler's belongings :
			baggage
			Passengers are limited to two items of carry-on luggage.
114.	reputation	\re-pyə-tā-shər	n\ English from French from Latin
		noun	overall quality or character as seen or a judged by people in
			general; recognition by other people of some characteristic or
			ability; a place in public esteem or regard : good name
			Poor customer service has ruined the company's reputation.
115.	deafen	\'de-fən\	English
		verb	to make deaf
			We were deafened by the explosion.
116.	former	\'for-mər\	Old English
		adjective	coming before in time; of, relating to, or occurring in the past;
			preceding in place or arrangement; first in order of two or more
			Former President Obama wrote a book.
117.	agency	∖′ā-jən(t)-sē\	Perhaps Medieval Latin
		noun	the office or function of an agent; the capacity, condition, or
			state of acting or exerting power; an establishment engaged
			in doing business for another; an administrative division
			He owns his own advertising agency.

118. function	\'fə(k)-shən\	Latin
	noun	professional or official position; the action for which a person
		or thing is specifically fitted or used or for which a thing exists
		: purpose; an official or formal social gathering
	verb	to have a function : serve; operate
		The function of the heart is to pump blood through he body.
119. haphazard	\(,)hap-'ha-zər	d\ New English
	adjective	marked by lack of plan, order, or direction;
	noun	chance
		The living room appeared to be just a haphazard assemblage of Furniture.
120. smolder	\'smōl-dər\	Middle English
	verb	to burn sluggishly, without flame, and often with much smoke;
		to exist in a state of suppressed activity; to show suppressed
		anger, hate or jealousy
		The remains of the campfire will smolder unless someone dumps
		water on it.
121. convince	\kən-ʻvin(t)s\	Latin
	verb	to bring to belief, consent, or a course of action : persuade
		You could never convince me to eat escargot.
122. flagrant	∖′flā-grənt∖	Latin
	Adjective	conspicuously offensive, so bad as not to be ignored: gross,
		The referee called the player for a flagrant foul when he
		purposely grabbed his opponent's face mask and threw him
123. velour	\və-lůər\	From French
	Noun	any of various fabrics with a pile or napped surface resembling
		velvet used in heavy weights for upholstery and curtains, and in
		lighter weighs for clothing.
		My mother used to have the ugliest purple velour sweat suit
		that she would wear out to the grocery store.
124. embroider	\em'bröidər\	From a French word that became English
	Verb	ornament with needlework.
		Grandmother likes to embroider flowers on towels and aprons.
125. supine	\sů-'pīn\	Latin
	Adjective	lying on the back or with the face upward; exhibiting indolent or
		apathetic inertia or passivity
		The dentist laid me back in a supine position in order to work on
		my sore tooth.

126.	tolerant	\'tälərənt\ Adjective	From a French word showing understanding or leniency for conduct or ideas
			differing from or conflicting with one's own.
			The mother dog is very tolerant of all seven of her puppies while
			they are trying to eat and play at the same time.
127.	immature	\im,mə'tůr\	From Latin
		\im,mə'tyůr\	
		\im,mə'chůr\	
		Adjective	lacking complete growth, differentiation, or development.
			Now that Jane is a first grader, she can see how immature the
400			kindergartners are.
128.	serum	\'sir-əm\	Latin
		noun	the watery portion of an animal fluid remaining after
			coagulation; the watery part of a plant fluid; a lightweight
			cosmetic preparation for use on the face My mother bought a very expensive serum that claimed
			to immediately diminish her wrinkles.
129	heifer	\'hef-ər\	Middle English from Old English
123.	nenei	Noun	a young cow, one that has not had a calf
			The rodeo has a section where young cowboys and cowgirls
			can rope a small heifer.
130.	diabetes	dī-ə-'bēt-əz\	Latin from Greek
		Noun	any of various abnormal conditions characterized by the
			secretion and excretion of excessive amounts of urine
			Diabetes Mellitus is a metabolism disorder characterized by
			inadequate secretion of insulin.
131.	brindled	\brin-d ^ə ld\	English
		Adjective	having obscure dark streaks or flecks on a gray or tawny ground
			My dog is a brindled Old English Bulldog.
132.	estimate	\'estə,māt\	From Latin
		Verb	to judge the value of.
			The pawn shop owner will estimate the value of the diamond
			ring we want to sell.
133.	miraculous	\me'rakyələs\	From a Latin word that moved into French
		Adjective	interpreted as performed by a supernatural power or
			accomplished by the direct agency of an almighty power and
			not by natural causes.
124	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	\ ma \ (\mu = \mu = \)	Gabe made a miraculous recovery after his terrible accident.
134.	menorah	\mə-'nōrə\	Hebrew
		Noun	a candelabrum used in Jewish worship We light a menorah at Hanukkah as part of our family tradition.
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135. plague	∖′plāg∖ Noun	Middle English from Middle French a disastrous evil or affliction: calamity; an epidemic disease causing a high rate of mortality: pestilence; a virulent contagious febrile disease that is caused by a bacterium The Black Plague, also called the Black Death, killed and estimated 75 to 200 million people in the 1300's.
136. ballet	\băl´lã`\	French
	Noun	An artistic dance performed for theatrical entertainment. The Nutcracker is a popular ballet around the Christmas
		holidays.
137. pistol	\'pis-təl\	Middle French from Greek
	Noun	a short firearm intended to be aimed and fired with one hand;
		especially a handgun whose chamber is integral with the barrel
		The old westerns would have many duels where the feuding
		cowboys would see who could draw their pistol first and shoot
120 jargan	\'iär gan gä	at the other.
138. jargon	\ Jar-gən, - ˌgar Noun	n\Middle English from Anglo-French a hybrid language or dialect simplified in vocabulary and
	Noull	grammar and used for communication between peoples of
		different speech
		The doctor used medical jargon that the patient did not
		understand.
139. anvil	\an-vil\ \an-vəəl\	Middle English from Old English from Latin
	Noun	a heavy usually steel-faced iron block on which metal is shaped
		by hand
		The piece of metal was placed on the anvil and held in to place
		with tongs.
140. noisiest	\'nòi-zē-əst\	From Old English
	Adjective	making noise; full or characterized by noise or clamor;
		noticeable showy, gaudy or bright; loud
		The classroom of Mrs. Brown's sixth graders proved to be the
141. bachelor	\băch´ė`lẽr\	noisiest group of kids in the school. Middle English from Medieval Latin
141. Bachelol	Noun	A man of any age who has never been married.
		The bachelor was searching for a wife.
142. purchase	\'pər-chəs\	Middle English from Old French
	Verb	to get into one's possession: gain, acquire; to acquire by any
		means other than from inheritance; to obtain by paying money
		I would like to purchase a new computer for the office.

143.	wolverine	wůl-və-'rēn\ Noun	Probably from irregular wolv a carnivorous solitary mammal of the weasel family of northern forests and associated tundra that is blackish with a light brown band on each side pf the body and is noted for its strength
144.	feral	\'fe-rəl\ \'fir-əl\	The mountain man wore a hat made of wolverine hide. Latin
		Adjective	Having escaped from domestication and become wild <feral cats=""> Animal experts discourage homeowners from trying to adopt</feral>
1 4 5		\/\	feral animals as pets. German
145.	wobble	\'wäb-əl\	
		verb	to move or proceed with an irregular rocking or staggering motion or unsteadily and clumsily from side to side;
			unevenly mounted
4.46	cc.	\	"Weebles wobble but they don't fall down."
146.	effigy	\'e-fə-jē\	Medieval French from Latin
		Noun	an image or representation of a person; sometimes very simple
			or crude (made of wood or stone).
147	pedicure	\'nod i ku(a\r\	You may see an effigy in an ancient cemetery. French from Latin
147.	pedicure	Noun	care of the feet, toes, and nails; a treatment of these parts
		Noull	We love to treat ourselves to a good pedicure once in a while
			And have our toenails painted.
148.	plateau	\pla-tō\	French
		Noun	a usually extensive land area having a relatively level surface raised sharply above adjacent land on at least one side; a level
			of attainment or achievement;
			We were able to drive the Jeep out onto the plateau and
1.40	I	\	Overlook the river below.
149.	kumquat	\'kəm-ˌkwät\ noun	Chinese Any of several small yellow to orange citrus fruits with sweet spongy rind and somewhat acid pulp that are used chiefly for
			preserves. The retired man nicked a kumanat from the tree for breakfast
150.	vitamin	\'vīt-ə-mən\	The retired man picked a kumquat from the tree for breakfast. Latin
		Noun	any of various organic substances that are essential in minute quantities to the nutrition of most animals and some plant but do not provide energy or serve as building units and occur in natural foodstuffs
			My favorite vitamin to take is D because I can get it by just playing outside in the sunshine.

151. yeast	\'yēst\ Noun	Middle Eastern a yellowish surface froth or sediment that occurs esp. in saccharine liquids in which it promotes alcoholic fermentation, consists largely of cells of a fungus, and is used in the making of alcoholic liquors and and a leaven in baking If you forget to put yeast in your bread dough, it will not rise nor be fluffy.
152. ownership	∖'ō-nər-,ship\ Noun	Middle English to have or hold as property; to acknowledge to be true, valid You cannot just claim ownership of the wallet you found on the sidewalk, that is stealing.
153. waistband	∖'wās(t)-,band∖ Noun	
154. tabloid	∖'tab-,lòid∖ Noun	New Language digest, summary, a newspaper that is about half the page size of an ordinary newspaper and that contains news in condensed form and much photographic matter The tabloids love to stalk movie stars and get pictures of them in unflattering situations.
155. tirelessly	\'tī(ə)r-ləs-lē\ Adjective	Middle English – New Language seemingly incapable of tiring: indefatigable She worked tirelessly through the night to paint the background set so that it would be ready for the production the next day.
156. jealousy	∖'je-lə-sē∖ noun	Middle English from Anglo-French from Vulgar Latin feeling anger because of the belief that a loved one might be unfaithful; feeling a mean anger toward someone because he or she is more successful; hostile toward a rival or one believed to enjoy an advantage: envious Jealousy can ruin even the best of friendships.
157. winterize	∖′wint-ə-,rīz\ Verb	From Middle English to make ready for winter or winter use especially resistant or proof against winter weather Jim goes up to winterize the family cabin in the mountains in October and then opens it up again in May.
158. wrinkling	\'riŋ-kə-liŋ\ Verb	Middle English to become marked with or contracted into wrinkles The teacher hates it when we are caught wrinkling up our
159. jetty	\'je-tē\ noun	Middle English from Anglo-French a structure extended into a sea, lake, or river to influence the current or tide or to protect a harbor; a protecting frame of a pier; a landing wharf; long structure that is built out into water and used as a place to get on, get off, or tie up a boat. He didn't see any passengers waiting for the ferry, so the Captain sailed past the jetty.

160.	riddle	\'rid-əl\ Noun	Middle English a mystifying, misleading, or puzzling question posed as a Problem to be solved or guessed: conundrum: enigma; mystery
161.	moot	\müt\ Adjective	Have you ever been able to solve the riddle of Bilbo and Gollum? English open to question; debatable; subjected to discussion: disputed; made abstract or purely academic Which came first, the chicken or the egg, is a moot question.
162.	membrane	\mem-,brān\ Noun	Latin a thin soft pliable sheet or layer esp. of animal or plant origin; a piece of parchment forming part of a roll The building contractor put a sheet of protective membrane on the exterior of the house before he applied the siding.
163.	cleanser	\'klen-zər\	English
		Noun	a person or thing that cleanses something; a preparation used for cleaning;
			Sprinkle some cleanser on the floor and let it sit for a while
			before you start scrubbing.
164.	coyote	\kī-ō-tē\ \kī-ōt\	New Language from Mexican
		Noun	a buff-gray to reddish-gray swift carnivorous mammal of North America that is closely related to but smaller than the wolf, has a narrow pointed muzzle and triangular ears, hunts singly or in small groups and is known for its various distinctive vocalizations such as barks, yips, and howls. The coyote is often considered a threat to livestock.
165.	chocolate	∖'chä-k(ə)lət∖ Noun	New Language from Spanish a food prepared from ground roasted cacao beans that is eaten as candy or used as a flavoring ingredient in other sweet foods or beverage; a dark brown color
466	r	\	I would love a piece of chocolate cake about now!
166.	confirmation	kän-fər-'mā-s Noun	han\ English from French from Latin an act or process of confirming; the ratification of an
		NOUT	executive act by a legislative body; proof; the process
			of supporting a statement by evidence
			Final confirmation came only after the investigation was
			completed.

167.	supple	\'sə-pəl\ adjective	English from French from Latin compliant often to the point of obsequiousness; readily adaptable or responsive to new situations; capable of being bent or folded without creases, cracks, or breaks: pliant, limber, flexible She bought shoes made from supple leather while she was in Italy.
168.	enumerate	\i-'n(y)ü-mə-rāt	•
		verb	to ascertain the number of : count; to specify one after another : list
160	elimination	\i-li-mə-'nā-shə	Let me enumerate my reasons for doing this.
169.	elimination	noun	the act, process, or an instance of eliminating or discharging; the act of discharging or excreting waste products from the body The baseball team is facing down elimination from the
			playoffs with one more loss.
170.	nominee	\'nä=mə-'nē\	Latin
		noun	a designated person or entity; the proposed appointment to an office or place; the proposed candidate for election to office The nominee for the open Supreme Court seat will be voted on next month by the senate.
171.	forecast	\'for-kast\	English
		verb	to calculate or predict usually as a result of study and analysis of available pertinent data; to indicate as likely to occur; to calculate the future The weather forecast calls for rain for the next three days.
172.	predict	\pri-'dikt\	Latin
		verb	to declare or indicate in advance; foretell on the basis of observation, experience, or scientific reason I predict the Jazz will make it into the finals this year.
173.	technician	\tek-ni-shən\ noun	New Language a specialist in the technical details of a subject or occupation; one who has acquired the technique of an art or other area of specialization They hired a technician to help maintain the office's computers.
174.	journey	∖'jər-nē\ noun	Middle English from French from Latin something suggesting travel or passage from one place to another; an act or instance of traveling from one place to another: trip We loaded up the car with our camping gear and went on a three day journey through the state.

175. analytical	\a-nə-'li-ticəl\ adjective	Latin from Greek of or relating to analysis, esp.: separating something into component parts or constituent elements; skilled in or using analysis especially in thinking or reasoning She presented a very analytical argument for the defendant's guilt
176. caption	\'kap-shən\ noun	Middle English the part of a legal document that shows where, when, and by what authority it was taken, found, or executed; the heading esp. of an article or document; the explanatory comment or designation accompanying a pictorial illustration; subtitle Did you read the funny caption under the cartoon in the newspaper this morning?
177. fusion	∖'fyü-zhən\ noun	Latin a union by or as if by melting: a merging of diverse, distinct, or separate elements into a unified whole; popular music combining different styles; food prepared using techniques and ingredients of two or more ethnic or regional cuisines; the union of atomic nuclear to form heavier nuclei resulting in the release of enormous quantities of energy when certain light elements unite The show is a fusion of news and entertainment.
178. doubtful	\'dàut-fəl\ adjective	Middle English from French from Latin giving rise to doubt or uncertainty: open to question; lacking a definite opinion, conviction, or determination; undecided; marked by qualities that raise doubts about worth, honesty, or validity It is doubtful that I will get into medical school on the first try.
179. skillfully	\'skil-fə-lē\ adverb	New Language displaying skill: expert; accomplished with skill; having the training, knowledge, and experience that is needed to do something well She performed the magic trick very skillfully when she made the rabbit disappear.

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180. mourn	\'morn\	English from German
	verb	to feel or express grief or sorrow; to show the customary signs
		of grief for a death; to utter mournfully
		I will mourn the loss of my old dog when he passes.

181.	notary	\'nō-tə-rē∖ noun	Middle English from Latin a public officer who attests or certifies writings to make them authentic and takes affidavits; depositions, and protests of negotiable paper We had to get the loan papers signed by a notary public.
182.	access	\'ak-ses\ noun	Latin permission, liberty, or ability to enter, approach, or pass to and from a place or to approach or communicate with a person or thing; freedom or ability to obtain or make use of something; a way or means of entering or approaching We have internet access at the library.
183.	denim	\'de-nəm\ noun	French a firm durable twilled usually cotton fabric woven with colored warp and white filling threads She wore a faded denim skirt with cowboy boots
184.	school	∖'skül∖ noun	Dutch an organization that provides instruction: such as an institution for the teaching of children; college, university; a group of scholars and teachers pursuing knowledge together; an institution for specialized higher education often associated with a university; an establishment offering specialized instruction My sister is in school to be a massage therapist.
185.	parade	\pə-rād\ noun	French a pompous show; the ceremonial formation of a body of troops before a superior officer; an informal procession, a public procession, usually lengthy array or succession I love the giant floating characters in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade.
186.	sleazy	\slē-zē\ adjective	Origin unknown lacking firmness of texture; marked by low character or quality That new car salesmen has a bad reputation for being sleazy.
187.	dynasty	∖′dī-nə-stē∖ noun	Greek a succession of rulers of the same line of descent; a powerful group or family that maintains its position for a considerable time The Chinese Ming dynasty lasted 276 years.
188.	padlock	∖′pad-läk∖ noun	Middle English a removable lock with a shackle that can be passed through a staple or link then secured We have to bring our own padlock for a gym locker.

189.	pageant	∖′pa-jənt∖ noun	Middle English from French a mere show; an ostentations display; exhibition esp. an elaborate colorful exhibition or spectacle often with music that consists of drama, or a procession There are some very cute babies out there, but in my opinion, they should not be in a beauty pageant.
190.	scientist	∖'sī-ən-tist\ Noun	Latin a person learned in science and especially natural science : a scientific investigator The study was confirmed by a scientist.
191.	weightless	\wāt-ləs\ adjective	New Language from English having little weight: lacking apparent gravitational pull She floated in the pool, weightless.
192.	tawdry	∖'tö-drē∖ ∖'tä-drē∖	Short for St. Audrey's lace
		adjective	cheap and gaudy in appearance or quality; also: ignoble The scandal was a tawdry affair.
193.	pharmacy	\'färməsē\	From a Greek word that passed into Latin
		Noun	a place where medicines are compounded or dispensed.
			I have to run by the pharmacy to pick up a prescription my
			doctor called in for my sore throat.
194.	plural	\'plůrəl\ \'plürəl\	From Latin, then French before English
		Adjective	belonging to a class of grammatical forms used to denote more than one.
			"Geese" is the plural for goose, but "meese" is not the plural for moose.
195.	possess	\pə'zes\ \pō'zes\ \pə'ses\ \ pō'ses\	Began as Latin, to French then English
		Verb	to have and hold as property : to have a just right to : to be a master of : own
			Do you possess a key that will unlock this treasure chest?
196.	intelligent	\in'teləjən(t)s\	From a Latin word, to French to English
		Noun	the faculty of understanding: capacity to know or apprehend. Albert Einstein was a very intelligent individual.
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197. presence	\'prez°n(t)s\	From Latin to French to English
	Noun	the fact or condition of being present : the state of
		being within sight or call, at hand, or in attendance
		Howard sent an invitation to Sarah requesting her
		presence at his piano recital.

198. r	hythm	\'rithəm\ Noun	From Greek to French the regular recurrence of similar features in a literary, musical, or artistic composition. Jordan likes the rhythm of pop music because it is very easy to dance to.
199. р	perform	\pə(r)'förm\ Verb	From French to carry out, to bring about : accomplish, execute; to give a performance, to put on a show. Beyoncé is going to perform at the 2013 Super Bowl in New Orleans.
200. n	mathematics	mathə'madiks mathə'matiks\ \math'matiks\	
		Noun	a science that deals with the relationship and symbolism of numbers and magnitudes and that includes quantitative operations and the solution off quantitative problems. One must like and be good at mathematics to become an engineer or an accountant.
201. k	knowledge	\nälig\ Noun	Middle English the fact or condition of knowing something with a considerable degree of familiarity gained through experience of or contact or association with the individual or thing so known. Emma's knowledge of German came from her experience with the German exchange students that stayed with her family.
202. r	naturally	∖'nach(ə)rəlē∖ Adverb	Middle English by nature: by natural or inherent character: by native endowment: by innate tendency or feeling. Wrinkles and grey hair occur naturally in aging adults.
203. c	cemetery	∖'semə,terē\ Noun	From Sanskrit to Greek to Latin, to French and finally to English an area for burial or entombment: a consecrated churchyard: any burial ground, typically a large one: graveyard. Arlington National Cemetery is the final resting place for over 14,000 soldiers, and over 25 funeral services are conducted there each day for men and women who have served in the US Military.
204. r	neighbor	\'nābə(r)\ Noun	Middle English from Old English one whose house or other place of residence immediately adjoins or is relatively near that of another; one that lives next to or near another. Corbin went out every morning to get the paper to deliver to his elderly neighbor.

205.	prefer	\prē'fər\ \pre'fər\	From Latin, to French to English
		Verb	to have a preference for : choose : like better : value more highly.
			Dan would prefer to be coaching the team, than sitting on the sidelines watching.
206	prelude	\'prel-,(y)üd\	Middle French from Latin
200.	preiuue	∖′prā-,l(y)üd\	
		Noun	an introductory performance, action, or event preceding and
			preparing for the principal or a more important matter; a
			musical section or movement introducing the theme or chief
			subject or serving as an introduction to an opera or oratorio
			Mrs. Wright played the prelude hymn on the old pump organ.
207.	microchip	\'mī-krō-,chip\	-
		Noun	integrated circuit
			The computer microchip is getting so small and powerful, they
200		\	can make a computer the size of a watch.
208.	alias	\'ālēəs\	From Latin
		\'ālyəs\	
		Noun	an assumed name.
			To avoid unwanted attention, the actress registered at the hotel
200	rascal	\/*** (**)	under an alias.
209.	rascai	\'ras-kəl\ Noun	Originally English
		Noun	a mean, unprincipled or dishonest person; a mischievous person or animal.
			That little rascal, Peter, just knocked over our snowman.
210	essential	\e'senchəl\	From Latin
210.	essential	\\ē'senchəl\	Trom Latin
		Adjective	having or consisting of the basic, most fundamental nature,
			property, quality, or attribute peculiar to or necessary or
			indispensable to its kind.
			Food and water are essential for survival.
211.	mosquito	\mə'skēt'ō\	From Latin
		Noun	any of numerous two-winged flies with females that have a set
			of slender organs in the proboscis adapted to puncture the skin
			of animals and to suck their blood and that are in some cases of
			vectors of serious diseases.
			Dale slapped his arm smashing the mosquito that was biting
			him.

212.	sparkle	\'spär-kəl\ Verb	Middle English to throw out sparks; to give off or reflect bright moving points of light; to perform brilliantly Judy always wanted red shoes that would sparkle.
213.	senator	\'senədər\ \'senətor\	From Latin
		Noun	a member of the second chamber in the bicameral legislature of a major political unit (as a nation, state, or province). Mike Lee is a senator from the state of Utah.
214.	courage	\'kərij\	The first part of this word is Latin and went through French, the second part is a French combining form
		Noun	mental or moral strength enabling one to venture, persevere, and withstand danger, fear, or difficulty firmly and resolutely. The men and women in the armed forces should be praised for their courage.
215.	artificial	ärtə'fishəl\ ärdə'fishəl\	From Latin
		Adjective	produced or accomplished by the skill of humans to imitate nature: simulated. Elizabeth put an artificial rose in the bud vase on her desk because of her allergies to real flowers.
216.	yurt	\'yů(ə)rt\	Russian from Turkic
		Noun	a circular domed tent of skins or felt stretched over a collapsible lattice framework and used by nomads of Siberia
			During the winter season, the resort has a yurt that can be skied to where they serve a wonderful gourmet dinner.
217.	engineer	en-jə-'niər\ Noun	Middle English from French a designer or builder of engines; a person who is trained in or follows as a profession a branch of engineering; a person who runs or supervises an engine on an apparatus. Kids love it when they can get the train engineer to blow the
			train's whistle when they pump their arm up and down.
218.	evaluate	\e'valyə,wāt\ \ē'valyə,wāt\	Originally Latin, then French, then English
		Verb	examine and judge concerning the worth, quality, significance, amount, degree, or condition of. The city council will evaluate the need for a stop sign at the corner of Main and 300 West.

219.	pyramid	\'pir-ə-mid\ Noun	Greek an ancient massive structure of huge stone blocks found in Egypt having typically a square ground plan, outside walls in the form of four triangles that meet in a point at the top and inner sepulchral chambers
220.	zodiac	∖'zōd-ē-,ak∖ Noun	My grandparents traveled to Egypt to see the pyramids and got to ride a camel. Middle English from French from Latin an imaginary belt in the heavens usually 18 degrees wide that encompasses the apparent paths of all the principal planets except Pluto, has the ecliptic as its central line, and is divided
221.	ketosis	\kē-'tō-səs\	into 12 constellations or signs each taken for astrological purposes to extend 30 degrees of longitude My zodiac sign is Cancer the Crab, what is yours? New Latin
		Noun	An abnormal increase of <u>ketone</u> bodies in the body; a nutritional disease of cattle and sometimes sheep, goats, or swine that is marked by reduction of blood sugar and the presence of ketone bodies in the blood, tissues, milk, and urine and is associated with digestive and nervous disturbances <i>The sick boy was diagnosed with ketosis</i> .
222.	generally	\'jen(ə)rəlē\ \'jenərlē\	Middle English with an English combining form
		Adverb	in a general manner : on the whole : as a rule.
			Generally speaking, Visa and Mastercard credit cards are accepted more than American Express cards.
223.	happiness	\'hapēnes\	Middle English with an English combining form
		Noun	a state of well-being characterized by relative permanence,
			by dominantly agreeable emotion ranging in value from
			contentment to deep and intense joy in living; a pleasurable
			or enjoyable experience.
			Baily had never experienced such happiness as she did when
224	accountant	\ə-kaůnt\	she was at Disneyland. Middle English from Middle French
224.	accountant	Noun	one that gives an account or is accountable; one who is skilled
		. roun	in the practice of accounting or who is in charge of public or
			private accounts
			A third party accountant will verify that the audited books are in
			order.
225.	frostbite	/fros(t)-bīt/	Old English
		verb	The deep freezing of the tissues of some part of the
			body (such as hands or feet). Hiking in extreme cold increases the risk of frostbite.
			Thinly in extreme cold increases the risk of frostbite.

226.	aerate	\'a(-ə)r,āt\	New World
		Verb	to supply the blood with oxygen by respiration; to supply or
			impregnate (soil) with air; to charge with a gas
			This spring we hired a company to come aerate our lawn with a
			big machine that pokes holes and leaves these little balls of dirt
			and grass behind.

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227.	picture	\'pikchər\	From Latin
		Noun	a design or representation made by various means (as
			painting, drawing, or photography)
			Lonnie's school picture was not very flattering.
228.	piano	\pē'a(,)nō	From Italian, which formed it from a Latin word
		Noun	a stringed percussion instrument having steel wire strings
			stretched over a sounding board that sound when struck by felt
			covered hammers operated from a keyboard and pedals that
			alter or modify the quantity and quality of sound produced.
			Patti regretted that she never learned how to play the piano.
229.	airy	\'a(ə)r-ē\	From Latin from Greek
		Adjective	of or relating to air: atmospheric, lofty; unreal, illusory; being
			light and graceful in manner; open to the free circulation of air
			This frosting is so light and airy, I don't know how she makes it
220	ah otto	/ac to/	this good! Italian
230.	ghetto	/ge-to/ noun	A quarter of a city in which members of a minority group
		Houri	live especially because of social, legal or economic
			pressure
			Joseph grew up in the ghetto.
231.	ancient	\'ān-shənt\	Middle English from Middle French from Latin
	G.1.5.51.5	\'ān-chənt\	
		Adjective	having had an existence of many years; of or relating to a
		•	remote period, to a time earlier in history, or to those living in
			such a period or time; of or relating to the historical period
			beginning with the earliest known civilizations and extending to
			the full of the Western Roman Empire
			No one really understands what happened to the ancient
			people known as the Fairmont Indians of Utah.

232. honor	/ä-nər/	Middle English from French
	noun	A good name or reputation, a showing of merited respect
		or recognition
		We pay honor to the brave soldiers who help maintain our
		freedom each and every day.
233. awful	\'ofəl\	Middle English
	Adjective	inspiring awe: causing dread or terror: commanding reverential
		fear or profound respect : extremely unpleasant, disagreeable,
		or objectionable.
		Fargo, North Dakota, was an absolutely awful place to visit in
		January; the food and weather were both awful.

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234.	missile	\misəl\	From Latin
		(homonyms: m	issal, missel, mistle)
		Noun	a self-propelling unmanned weapon such as a rocket or a robot
			bomb.
			The fighter plane launched a missile to destroy the building.
235.	hyena	/hī- ē- nə/	Middle English from Latin
		noun	A large doglike mammal of Asia and Africa that lives on the
			flesh of other animals
			Seeing a hyena in the wild would be terrifying.
236.	directory	\də'rek tərē\	Modern English from Latin
		Noun	a book or collection of directions, rules or ordinances: an
			alphabetical list (such as of names): a body of directors.
			A phone book is a directory of names, addresses and phone
			numbers that is listed alphabetically by last name.
237.	salvation	\sal-vā-shən\	Middle English from French from Latin
		noun	saved from harm or loss, deliverance form evil
			Salvation came for the small village when the army
			appeared in the early morning hours.
238.	operate	\′äpə,rāt\	From Latin, from German
		Verb	to perform a work or labor : exert power or influence : produce
			an effect.
			Joe learned how to operate a forklift when he took the job at
			the warehouse.
239.	plantain	\'plant- ^ə n\	Spanish from Latin
		Noun	a banana plant; the angular greenish starchy fruit of the
			plantain that is a staple food in the tropics when cooked
			Do not confuse a banana with a plantain, they taste nothing
			alike.

240.	curfew	∖′kər(,)fyü∖ Noun	From two Latin words that became French and then English the stated hour usually of the evening at which persons (as juveniles, military personnel, or other specified classes) must be off the streets or at which business establishments or places of assembly must be closed. Megan has a curfew of 11:00 p.m. on weekends.
241.	onset	\on-,set\ Noun	Middle English attack, assault; beginning; commencement Early onset Alzheimer's is a terrible disease that can attack as early as 30 years old and lead to an early death.
242.	kerchief	\'kər-chəf, -ˌchē Noun	• •
243.	removable	\ri-müv-vəbəl\ Adjective	Middle English from Old French to change the location, position, station or residence of; to transfer from one court to another; ability to be moved by lifting, pushing aside; to be capable of being removed Unfortunately, the tumor is not removable with out doing severe damage to the brain.
244.	wholesome	\'hōl-səm\ Adjective	Middle English promoting health or well-being of mind or spirit; promoting health of body; having the simple health or vigor of normal domesticity; prudent; safe; healthful It is important to eat a wholesome diet and avoid a lot of fatty foods and added sugars.
245.	savory	\'sāv(ə)-rē\ Alternate spellii Adjective	Middle English from Old French from Latin
246.	octopus	\'äktəpəs\ \'äktəpůs\ Noun	Originally Greek into Latin a mollusk having a small saclike body, a large head, highly developed eyes, and eight arms united at the base by a membrane and usually provided with two rows of suckers by which the mollusk clings to the sea bottom or holds its prey. An octopus can change color to hide from predators.

247.	dynamite	\'dīnə'mīt\	Originally formed in Swedish, this word is from two elements in International Scientific Vocabulary from Greek
		Noun	a solid blasting explosive used especially in mining, quarrying, and engineering that contains nitroglycerin incorporated with a base which increases the safety of handling. The Swedish chemist, Alfred Nobel, invented dynamite in 1866.
248.	scalpel	\'skalpəl\	From Latin
		Noun	a small straight knife with a thin keen blade used especially for dissecting.
			The science teacher showed the students how to slide the scalpel down the center of the frog in order to see the internal organs.
249.	ornery	\orn`ərē\	Possibly from a Latin word
	•	Adjective	Bad tempered; having an irritable disposition: stubborn Dad gets so ornery when I miss my curfew.
250.	forty	\'fordē\	English
		\'fōrdē\	
		\'fōrtē\	
		Noun	four tens: twice 20: five times eight: two twenties: eight fives.
			My Aunt Jane just turned forty on her last birthday.
251.	breathing	brēth-ŋ\	Middle English
		Adverb	the action of drawing air into and expelling it from the lungs
			The expectant mothers were on the floor practicing their
			breathing with their delivery partners
252.	ероху	\'əpäksē\	Originally Greek
		\e'päksē\	
		\ē'päksē\	
		Noun	any of various usually thermosetting resins that are
			characterized by good adhesiveness, flexibility, and resistance
			to chemicals that re used chiefly in coatings and adhesives.
252	davalan	\ -1:71\	Bill reattached the broken handle with epoxy.
253.	develop	\di'veləp\ Verb	From French
		verb	to subject to chemicals in order to produce a visible image. In my photography class, I learned how to develop the
			film from pictures I took in a dark room.
254	excellent	\'eks(ə)lənt\	From Latin to French to English
254.	CACCHETT	Adjective	superior : very good of its kind
		, lajective	Tiger Woods is an excellent golfer.
255.	quite	\'kwīt\	Middle English
	•	Adverb	completely, wholly, totally, to an extreme : positively.
			Are you quite finished with that book report yet?

256. toward	\'tō(ə)rd\ \'to(ə)rd\ \'tw ō(ə)rd\ \'təw ō(ə)rd\	English
	Preposition	in the direction of : to a point approaching : along a course leading to : to the end or purpose of. The ambulance is driving toward the scene of the accident.
257. probably	\'präbəblē\ \'präbäblē\	From Latin to French then to English
	Adverb	insofar as seems reasonably true, factual, or to be expected Abigail will probably win the talent contest with her magnificent violin solo.
258. length	\'leŋ(k)th\ \'leŋ(t)th\	Old Norse, to Middle Dutch, to Old Frisian, to English
	Noun	a distance or dimension expressed in units of linear measure: the quality of being long: duration or extent in time. Can anyone tell me the length of one mile in inches?
259. quarter	\'kwörd.ər\ \'kwört.ər\	From Latin to Old French to Middle English
	Noun	one of four equal parts into which anything is divisible: a fourth part or portion. At the end of the first quarter of the basketball game, the Utah Jazz were up by 12 points.
260. truly	\'trülē\	English
,	Adverb	in agreement with fact: with exactness of construction or operation: without feigning, falsity, or inaccuracy in truth or fact. The Eifel Tower is truly a magnificent piece of architectural
		work.
261. weird	\'wi(ə)rd\ Adjective	Middle English curious in nature or appearance: of strange or extraordinary character: odd, unusual, fantastic. Some of his statements on local and state politics are a bit
		weird.
262. across	\ə'krös\ \ə'kräs\	Middle English from French, from Latin
	Adverb	so as to cross transversely: crosswise; to or on the opposite side; so as to be understandable, acceptable, or successful: over.
		Mr. Christiansen pounded on the desk to make sure that he was getting his point across.

263. criticize \'krid.isīz\ From Middle French and Latin

\'krit.isīz\

Verb to act as a critic; to find fault: stress faults, errors, or demerits.

Jerry was sure quick to criticize me if I did not do the job

Winnie the Pooh's best friend is either Tigger or Pigglet, or

exactly as he wanted.

The following word is a homonym. Inform the speller that this word is a homonym and provide the speller the part of speech and the definition.

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	264.	eight	∖′āt\	English from Greek
			Homonym: ate	
			Noun	one more than seven, twice four : four times two : eight units or
				objects
				My little sister is turning eight years old on Monday.
	265.	careful	\'keər,fəl\	Middle English from Old English
			Adjective	exercising thoughtful supervision or making solicitous
				$provision: taking \ good \ care; \ marked \ by \ care: attentive \ concern.$
				Be very careful when you step on that old ladder.
	266.	friend	\'frend\	English, akin to German and Norse
			Noun	an intimate associate especially when other than a lover or
				a relative : acquaintance.

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is it Christopher Robin.

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267.	lesson	\'lesən\	From Old French to Middle English
		Noun	a piece of instruction : teaching : a reading or exercise
			assigned to a pupil as part of his schoolwork.
			Today's lesson will be on diagraming sentences with
			proper nouns.
268.	scissors	\'sizə(r) z\	From French to English
		Noun	a cutting instrument consisting of two bevel-edged cutting
			blades that are connected to handles and that are movable past
			one another on a pivot by which they are held together.
			It is a very good suggestion to never run with scissors in your
			hand.
269.	extreme	\ik'strēm\	From Latin to French to Middle English
		\ek'strēm\	
		Adjective	existing in the highest or the greatest possible degree :
			very great : very intense : marked by great severity.
			Tyler is an extreme skier; he loves jumping off cliffs and
			skiing down steep mountain faces.

270. tattoo	\'ta tü\	From Dutch
	Noun	an indelible mark or figure fixed upon the surface of the body by
		the insertion of pigment under the skin or by the production of
		scars.
		Popeye The Sailor has a tattoo of an anchor on his forearm.
271. college	\'kälij\	From Latin, to French, to English
	Noun	a building or number of buildings used in connection with some
		specific educational or religious purpose; a self-governing
		constituent body of a university offering living quarters and
		instruction.
		Dr. Pantziris is a professor of astronomy at the college.

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272. reverse	\ri'vərs\	From Latin
Similar to revers		
	Verb	to turn completely about in position or direction : to turn upside
		down: to cause to go in the opposite direction.
		In order to get out of the driveway, I have to put the car into
		reverse.
273. sanity	\san-ə-tē\	Middle English from Latin
	noun	a healthy outlook, a state of being sane
		My family might question my sanity after I tell them that I
		want to sky dive for my 70 th birthday.
274. holiday	\'hälə,dā∖	This word consists of two originally English elements
	Noun	a day on which one is exempt from one's usual labor or
		vocational activity.
		Halloween is my favorite holiday because I love all of the free
		candy I get.
275. volume	\'välyəm\	Latin to French to English
	\'väl,yüm\	
	Noun	the degree of loudness or the intensity of a sound.
		Mom told Joe to turn down the volume of the music he was
		listening to on his iPod.
276. sardine	\sär'dēn\	From a word that may have come from a Lydian geographical
		name that went into Greek, then Latin, then French
	Noun	any of several small or immature fishes preserved for food
		One of grandpa's favorite snacks is a sardine on a saltine
		cracker.

The following word could be confused with a variant of the word that is pronounced differently. Ensure that the speller understands the pronunciation that is provided.

277. height \'hīt\ Middle English

Noun the highest part : summit; the distance from the bottom to the top of something standing upright; the extent of elevation above a level

Get the measuring tape and measure the height of that

bookshelf.

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278.	peace	\'pēs\	Middle English from French from Latin
		Noun	a state of tranquility or quiet; free from disturbance; a state of
			security and order within a community
			"Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me."
279.	urgent	\ər jənt\	From Latin
		Adjective	calling for or demanding immediate attention
			The blood bank has an urgent need for type O positive blood.
280.	awesome	\'o-səm\	New World, from Old English awe
		Adjective	expressive of awe; emotion in which dread, veneration, and
			wonder are variously mingled; wondering
			The Piano Guys' concert was awesome!
281.	elevator	\'elə,vād∙ ər	The first part of this word is from Latin, the second is an English
			combining form.
		Noun	a cage or platform and its hoisting machinery for conveying
			persons or goods to or from different levels.
			The hotel has a glass elevator that runs up the center of the
			thirty-five story building.
282.	gown	/gaůn/	English from French
		noun	A long formal dress that a woman wears especially during
			a special event
			Jane wore a beautiful gown to her senior prom.
283.	treasure	\'trezhər\	From Greek to French to Latin to English
		\'trāzhər\	
		Noun	something of great worth or value.
			The museum's greatest treasure is a recently unearthed
			dinosaur skeleton.
284.	pigeon	\'pijən\	Originally Latin, went through French, then became English
		Noun	a bird having a stout body with rather short legs and smooth
			and compact plumage.
			It was so cute when my two-year old niece ran through the park
			trying to catch the pigeon.

The following word could be confused with another word similar in sound. Provide the word's part of speech and definition.

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285.	aisle	∖′ī(ə)l∖ Noun	Middle English from Middle French from Latin the side of a church nave separated by piers from the nave proper; a passage separating sections of seats; a passage for inside traffic The father of the bride had a small tear in his eye as he walked his only daughter down the aisle.
286.	acne	\ak-nee\ noun	Latin a disorder of the skin caused by inflammation of he skin glands and hair follicles; a form found chiefly in adolescents and marked by pimples esp., on the face The teenager uses a cream to get rid of his bad acne.
287.	concert	\kän(t)-sərt\ \kän,-sərt\ Noun	French from Italian musical harmony: agreement in design or plan: union formed by mutual communication of opinion and views; a public performance of music or dancing The third grade class all played the national anthem on the kazoo in a concert for their parents.
288.	expert	\'ek,spərt\ \'ek,spert\ Adjective	From Middle French and Latin having special skill or knowledge derived from training or experience: knowing and ready as a result of wide experience or extensive practice: clever: skillful James Bond is an expert marksman, poker player, car driver, and secret agent.
289.	promise	∖'präm-es∖ Noun	From Latin, to English a declaration that one will do or refrain from doing something specified: a formal pledge of loyalty. The girls made a promise to each other that they would always be best friends, forever.
290.	quiet	\'kwīet\ Adjective	From Latin to English marked by little or no motion or agitation; making little stir: calm: causing no trouble: making no noise or uproar: resting in silence: free from noise: silent, still, hushed. The library is a nice, quiet place to study for a test.
291.	niece	\nēs\ Noun	From Latin to French to Middle English a daughter of one's brother or sister. It seems strange that my niece is getting married; I remember when she was born, and that seems like only yesterday.

292. potato	\pə'tād.ō\ \pə'tat.ō\	From Spanish
	Noun	the edible starchy tuber that is an enlargement of an
		underground stem of an erect herb, of the genus Solanum
		tuberosum.
		Idaho is well known for growing a great potato.
293. often	\offen\	Middle English
	\ oftən\	
	Adverb	on many occasions: in many instances or places: not seldom.
		The roses must be trimmed and fertilized quite often
		to keep their beautiful blooms all summer.
294. advice	\əd'vīs\	From Latin to French to English
	\ad\vīs\	
	Noun	recommendation regarding a decision or course of conduct :
		counsel; information or notice given: intelligence, news.
		The general gave the president advise on the battle plan for
		Valley Forge.
295. matrix	\'mā-triks\	Latin
	noun	something within or from which something else originates,
		develops, or takes form; a mold from which a relief surface is made; a natural material in which something is embedded; a
		rectangular array of mathematical elements
		The four groups were then asked to formulate a project matrix
		and present their recommendations.
296. custodiar	v	n\ Middle English
	noun	one that guards and protects or maintains; esp. one entrusted with guarding and keeping property or records or
		with custody or guardianship of prisoners or inmates
		The custodian at our school is so nice, she gives out candy
		if she sees you pick up trash in the hallway.
297. macho	\'mä-(,)chō\	Spanish
	adjective	characterized by machismo : aggressively virile
		He thinks he is all macho because he plays football.
298. kayak	\'kī-,ak\	Eskimo
	Noun	an Eskimo canoe made of a frame covered with skins except
		for a small opening in the center and propelled by a double-
		bladed paddle; a portable boat styled like an Eskimo kayak
		I was able to kayak around the island on our recent trip to
		Orcas Island, Washington.

299. guard	∖′gärd∖ Noun	From German to French to English a person assigned to protect or oversee another: the act or duty of protecting or defending: the state of being protected: a defensive position. Officer Redmond is a guard at the state prison.
300. separate	\sepə,rāt\ \se,prāt\	Middle English from Latin
	Verb	to set or keep apart : detach It is necessary to separate beta fish from each other or they will fight.
301. replica	\'rep-li-kə\	Latin
	Noun	a close reproduction or facsimile, especially by the maker of the original; copy, duplicate
		When in Paris, I bought a replica of the Eiffel Tower to
		remember our trip.
302. ogre	\'ō-gər\	French, from Latin <i>Orcus</i>
	Noun	a hideous giant of fairy tales and folklore that feeds on human beings
		The ogre lived in a cave, too hideous and frightening to come
		out any time of day or night, except to feed on small children.
303. contain	\kən-tān∖	From Latin to French
	Verb	to keep within limits : restrain, control; to have within : hold
		The firemen worked to contain the fire so that it would not
		spread to the neighboring houses.
304. revision	\ri vizh ən\	From Latin to French to English
	Noun	an act of revising: alteration
		Thomas is on his third revision of his English essay.
305. adorn	\ə-dö(ə)rn\	Middle English from Middle French from Latin
	Verb	to furnish, to decorate especially with ornaments
		I have a good friend who spends a week working to adorn her home for the Christmas holiday.
306. alert	\ə-'lərt\	Italian
	Adjective	watchful and prompt to meet danger or emergency; quick to perceive and act
		The lifeguard must stay alert at all times and not get distracted
		by cute boys at the pool.
307. saloon	\sə-lün\	French from Italian
	noun	a bar or tavern, an elaborately decorated public room
		In the old westerns, there was always a brawl in the
		saloon, which ended with someone getting thrown out of
		the swinging doors.