



Spelling Stumpers Grades 5-9

Developed by teachers and reading specialists, **Spelling Stumpers Grades 5-9** teaches the 450 most frequently misspelled words from grades 5 to 9. Through its 600 exercises, the program teaches grade-appropriate spelling rules with follow-up activities. **Spelling Stumpers Grades 5-9** uses a wide variety of audio and visual content to keep students' attention, ensuring that the program will contribute to improving their spelling skills.

Targeted Skills

- Word Recognition and Spelling
- Visual Memory
- Practicing Spelling Rules
- Using Spelling Words in Context

Teacher Dashboard

The Teacher Dashboard tracks student progress throughout each program and records the percentage score for every activity completed. This feature provides an overview of how well a student is progressing and allows the teacher to identify strengths and weaknesses.

- Records students' results automatically as they work.
- Prints reports quickly and easily for sharing with parents and staff.
- Provides summary reports by subject or detailed reports by activity.
- Allows teachers to print reports for individual students or an entire class.
- Stores student marks in one central location for all programs.

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Activity Key - For All Lists of Words

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTIONS
Hear and Match	Click on the word you hear then say it.
Type Right	Type each word in the list.
Word Shapes I	Choose the word that fits into each word shape.
Word Shapes II	Type the words that fit into their word shape.
Comprehension	Find the word that belongs in the given sentence and click on it.
Word Search	Find the hidden word and click on each letter of the word.
Concentration	Find the matching words to see a hidden picture.
Word Wizard	Click on the letters to uncover the hidden list word.
Scrambler	Type or click on the letters in the correct order to unscramble the word you hear.
Stomp the Stumpers	Choose the correct spelling of the word you hear.
What's Missing (2 activities)	Type the word you hear and fill in the missing letters.
Spelling Bee - Flashcard Spelling	Type the letter of each word that appears on the screen.
Spelling Bee - Spelling Dictation	Type the letters of the word that you hear.

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Word Lists

Level 5

LIST #	WORDS
1	answer, believe, bicycle, address, bought, brought, carrying, awful, argue
2	cough, certain, caught, control, crowd, cousin, chief, choose, chose
3	exciting, enough, discover, different, dairy, doubt, fasten, everybody, dining
4	guessed, giant, invited, fought, heard, folks, hoping, hurrying, hungry
5	nature, noisy, knee, knock, noise, none, minute, listen, pastime
6	perhaps, perform, peace, promise, prove, pudding, pleasant, prepare, planned
7	rough, scene, safety, scored, reason, remember, quiet, recess, quarter
8	sugar, suppose, shopping, shining, soccer, since, special, stretch, stranger
9	travel, voice, trouble, thought, there's, surprised, toward, thief, weather
10	vacation, wonderful, whether, weren't, weigh, wrote, whose, written

Level 6

LIST #	WORDS
1	accept, ache, although, all right, allowed, already, against, achieve, annual
2	arguing, bowling, attempt, author, awesome, balloon, buried, beginning, awhile
3	bury, capital, circle, complete, decorate, consider, captain, comfortable, dangerous
4	dessert, desert, describe, divided, drowned, easily, either, except, exercise
5	forward, heroes, height, further, expensive, guard, happened, hospital, explain
6	impossible, knowledge, juice, interesting, length, keyboard, knot, karate, laid
7	library, neither, ninety, natural, niece, mirror, loose, meant, lose, marriage
8	poison, personal, omitted, omit, practice, possible, probably, receive, pickle, rhyme
9	serious, straight, similar, separate, sandwich, sense, software, soldier, studying, strength
10	succeed, success, totally, surely, taught, terrible, therefore, volleyball, weird, wrapped

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Level 7

LIST #	WORDS
1	actually, acquire, amusing, ambition, accomplish, accurate, affect, advice, advise
2	announce, argument, arithmetic, article, arctic, ancient, banquet, athlete, arrangement
3	celebrate, character, business, breathe, ceiling, belief, chocolate, college, benefit
4	continuous, conquer, difference, disappear, column, controlled, conscious, definite, develop
5	fierce, equipment, effect, disease, finally, experience, excitement, disappoint, excellent
6	ignorant, grateful, guilty, fuel, fortunately, foresee, importance, generally, independent, hesitate
7	occasion, moral, literature, occur, lightning, intelligent, judgment, opinion, monitor, mischief
8	relief, physical, profession, ordinary, original, performance, proceed, realize, prefer, practical
9	satisfactory, secretary, salary, route, responsible, repetition, religious, science, several
10	truly, temperature, stubborn, visible, vegetable, though, surrounded, unusual, system, twelfth

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Level 8

LIST #	WORDS
1	approximately, apparent, appreciate, advertisement, achievement, appropriate, absolutely, appearance, analyze
2	bargain, career, calendar, cemetery, category, assistance, athletic, basically, awkward
3	description, dependent, definition, development, consistent, continually, council, defect, decision
4	disagreeable, evidently, discussion, eventually, discipline, equipped, environment, especially, encourage
5	exhibit, existence, familiar, explanation, extremely, grieve, handkerchief, experiment, government
6	muscle, miniature, innocent, mere, immediately, individual, incredible, humorous, leisure, medicine
7	permanent, perceive, parallel, mysterious, particularly, obedience, necessary, opportunity, occasionally, persuade
8	pursue, possess, possession, preparation, privilege, publicity, quantity, preferred, principal, procedure
9	seize, receipt, responsibility, quizzes, recognize, sensible, relieve, ridiculous, sacrifice, recommend
10	yield, similar, usually, unnecessary, vacuum, skiing, suggestion, thorough, summary, villain

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Level 9

LIST #	WORDS
1	adolescent, analysis, boundaries, accommodate, anxious, amateur, accidentally, attendance
2	comparatively, changeable, chamois, condemn, committee, conscience, brilliant, controversy
3	disappearance, desirable, desperate, courageous, convenient, criticism, democracy, criticize
4	efficient, extraordinary, exaggerate, embarrass, eliminate, disastrous, encouragement, dissatisfied
5	frantically, guarantee, fiery, foreign, harass, hierarchy, fascinate, genuine
6	maneuver, maintenance, laboratory, mischievous, manufacture, influential, loneliness, imaginary, incidentally
7	occurrence, permissible, obstacle, occurred, noticeable, optimistic, official, misspell, peculiar
8	politician, prominent, principle, pursuit, prejudice, perseverance, precede, possibility, practically
9	questionnaire, schedule, reference, representative, recommendation, specimen, rhythm, restaurant, resistance
10	tendency, transferred, technique, stationary, valuable, vague, undoubtedly, substantial, unanimous

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Levels 5 to 6 Rules

RULE NAME	RULE
I Before E Can't Fool Me!	I comes before e except after c.
Two for One	Most nouns add the letter s to make the word plural nouns that end in ch, sh, x, z use es to form the plural.
F-f-frustrating!	To form plural for nouns ending in f, fe, or lf, change the f to t and add es.
A Little Bit Goes a Long Way	A prefix is a word part added to the beginning of a word. While it changes the meaning of the word, it does not change the spelling of the base word
The Never Ending Suffix	A suffix is a word part added to the end of a word to change its meaning. Suffixes can often be added to words without changing the spelling of the base word.
Beware of the Double Trouble!	If a one or two syllable word ends with one vowel followed by one consonant, then double the final consonant before adding a suffix that begins with a vowel such as ing, ed, er, est or y.
Don't Double Up!	If a word ends in two vowels and one consonant, don't double the consonant before adding a suffix. If a word ends in one vowel and two consonants, don't double the consonant before adding a suffix.
Can't Spell Without Ya!	Keep the final e when adding a suffix that begins with a consonant such as ful, ly, or ment.
E-e-enough!	Drop the final e when adding suffixes that begin with a vowel such as ed, ing, er, able, or ous.
Y Worry?	When adding the last two letters are a vowel and y, keep the y when adding an ending.
See Y Change!	If a word ends in a consonant and y, change the y to i, then add a suffix such as es, ed, er, ly, ness or ful. Always keep the final y when adding ing.

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Levels 7 to 9 Rules

RULE NAME	RULE
I Before E Can't Fool Me!	I comes before e except after c.
Oh Say Can you Spell?	For a noun ending in o that has a consonant before it, form the plural by adding es.
F-f-frustrating!	To form plural for nouns ending in f, fe, or lf, change the f to t and add es.
A Little Bit Goes a Long Way	A prefix is a word part added to the beginning of a word. While it changes the meaning of the word, it does not change the spelling of the base word
The Never Ending Suffix	A suffix is a word part added to the end of a word to change its meaning. Suffixes can often be added to words without changing the spelling of the base word.
The Gruesome Twosome!	If a one or two syllable word ends with one vowel followed by one consonant, then double the final consonant before adding a suffix that begins with a vowel such as ing, ed, er, est or y.
It's a Keeper!	Keep the final e when adding a suffix that begins with a consonant such as ful, ly, ment, and less.
Lose that E!	Drop the final e when adding suffixes that begin with a vowel such as ed, ing, er, able, or ous.
Can't Spell Without Ya	When a word ends with ce or ge keep the e when adding a suffix that begins with any letter other than e y or i. If the suffix begins with e, y or i then drop the e.
Y Worry?	When adding the last two letters are a vowel and y, keep the y when adding an ending.
See Y Change!	If a word ends in a consonant and y, change the y to i, then add a suffix such as es, ed, er, ly, ness or ful. Always keep the final y when adding ing.