



Scripps National Spelling Bee

Study Words for Seventh Graders

2018-2019

accompany	miscreant	sagacity	clichés	valise
fiddle-faddle	peasantry	gangrene	impregnable	dissertation
pronto	homily	chilblains	trenchant	recompense
calculus	suffocate	Jacuzzi	catacombs	pediment
fugitive	cavil	pad thai	salutation	sumptuous
percussion	apprehend	relinquish	dervishes	portentously
siesta	guava	Caribbean	consonants	antecedents
hilarious	penitent	hibiscus	velveteen	gaiters
cooperage	vexation	jefe	galleon	sachet
paramedic	cherished	Xanadu	wastrels	chloroform
humanitarian	sturgeon	pegasi	redundancy	metallurgy
culprits	clavicle	armada	inertia	Prague
stagnant	damask	promenade	bronchitis	balsam
diabolical	abolition	vocational	juniper	emaciated
buzzard	extricates	reprimand	haberdashery	kelpies
martyr	lustrous	éclair	offal	corrugated
garbanzo	diminutive	indelible	garrison	amethyst
cliques	sepia	cologne	feliculously	chivalrous
antagonism	rivulets	gondolier	treacle	phalanx
couriers	barbarous	muttonchops	attenuated	cyanide

This list includes 50 challenging seventh grade words and, to extend learning, 50 challenging eighth grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these 100 words, you will be well prepared for a seventh grade classroom bee. If you would like to be well prepared for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List.