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5th grade spelling words

Learn how to spell a new word by reading it, spelling it out loud, and writing it. Write each word twice, then fold the paper and write it by heart. Look up starred words (or any you don't know) and write the definition on the back of this page.

Read it!

Spell it out loud!

Write it three times — the last time without looking!

exaggerate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>exaggerate</i>	<i>exaggerate</i>	<i>exaggerate</i>
nuisance	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
swerve	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
icicle	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
somersault	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
column	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
★ debt	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
hymn	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
★ colonel	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
★ solemn	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
daughter	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
rhinoceros	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
★ acre	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
★ debut	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
bologna	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____

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All of these are tricky words to spell because of silent letters, double consonants, or unusual sounds. Circle the words that don't sound the way they're spelled.