



GRADE 8 SPELLING WORDS

- abate** (*Living Things*)
- abolish** (*Heroes*)
- abroad** (*My World*)
- abrupt** (*Friends and Family*)
- abstract** (*Personal Feelings*)
- academic** (*Heroes*)
- accommodations** (*Friends and Family*)
- accustomed** (*Social Issues*)
- activist** (*My World*)
- adequate** (*Environment*)
- admirable** (*Personal Feelings*)
- admiration** (*Personal Feelings*)
- Advent** (*Walking with God*)
- aesthetic** (*Environment*)
- affect** (*Environment*)
- affliction** (*Yesterday*)
- allegory** (*Social Issues*)
- amaranth** (*Living Things*)
- ambiance** (*My World*)
- ambient** (*My World*)
- ambiguity** (*My World*)
- ambiguous** (*My World*)
- ambition** (*My World*)
- ambitious** (*My World*)
- ambivalent** (*My World*)
- amphibian** (*My World*)
- amphibious** (*My World*)
- amphitheater** (*My World*)
- amphora** (*My World*)
- anachronism** (*My World*)
- anagram** (*My World*)
- analogous** (*My World*)
- analogy** (*My World*)
- analysis** (*My World*)
- analytical** (*My World*)
- analyze** (*Heroes*)
- anaphylaxis** (*My World*)
- anarchy** (*My World*)
- anathema** (*My World*)
- anatomical** (*My World*)
- anecdote** (*Walking with God*)
- anesthesia** (*Environment*)
- anesthetist** (*Environment*)
- anniversary** (*Friends and Family*)
- annotate** (*Heroes*)
- annuity** (*Friends and Family*)
- annulled** (*Heroes*)
- anoint** (*Social Issues*)
- anther** (*Living Things*)
- anthesis** (*Living Things*)
- anthology** (*Living Things*)
- anthropic** (*Living Things*)
- anthropocentric** (*Living Things*)
- anthropogenesis** (*Living Things*)
- anthropologist** (*Living Things*)
- anthropology** (*Living Things*)
- anthropomorphic** (*Living Things*)
- anticipation** (*Personal Feelings*)
- appearance** (*Social Issues*)
- appropriate** (*Social Issues*)
- arbitrator** (*Social Issues*)
- arduous** (*Personal Feelings*)
- argue** (*Walking with God*)
- articulate (adj.)** (*Living Things*)
- ascend** (*Social Issues*)
- assail** (*Social Issues*)
- assertion** (*Walking with God*)
- assumption** (*Yesterday*)
- attain** (*Walking with God*)
- attitude** (*Friends and Family*)
- audience** (*Living Things*)
- authenticity** (*My World*)
- authoritative** (*My World*)
- avail** (*Personal Feelings*)
- barometer** (*Friends and Family*)
- bellow** (*Yesterday*)
- benevolence** (*Living Things*)
- bias** (*Friends and Family*)
- bibliography** (*Yesterday*)
- bicentennial** (*Friends and Family*)



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blog (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	chasten (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	composure (<i>Living Things</i>)
brazen (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	chromatic (<i>Walking with God</i>)	conceivable (<i>Living Things</i>)
cache (<i>Walking with God</i>)	chromatist (<i>Walking with God</i>)	conceptualize (<i>Living Things</i>)
camouflage (<i>Yesterday</i>)	chromatometer (<i>Walking with God</i>)	concordance (<i>Walking with God</i>)
campaign (<i>My World</i>)	chrome (<i>Walking with God</i>)	condemnation (<i>Social Issues</i>)
captivating (<i>Living Things</i>)	chromium (<i>Walking with God</i>)	conduct (<i>Yesterday</i>)
captivity (<i>Living Things</i>)	chromogenic (<i>Walking with God</i>)	conferred (<i>Heroes</i>)
captor (<i>Living Things</i>)	chromosome (<i>Walking with God</i>)	conferring (<i>Heroes</i>)
cardiogram (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	chronological (<i>My World</i>)	conflicting (<i>My World</i>)
carnage (<i>Walking with God</i>)	chrysanthemum (<i>Living Things</i>)	connoisseur (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
carnal (<i>Walking with God</i>)	citation (<i>Environment</i>)	connotation (<i>Heroes</i>)
carnivorous (<i>Walking with God</i>)	cite (<i>Heroes</i>)	constrained (<i>Social Issues</i>)
catacaustic (<i>Living Things</i>)	clad (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	context (<i>Heroes</i>)
cause (noun) (<i>My World</i>)	classification (<i>Living Things</i>)	continuum (<i>Living Things</i>)
caustic (<i>Living Things</i>)	cliché (<i>Yesterday</i>)	contradiction (<i>Living Things</i>)
caustically (<i>Living Things</i>)	collaborative (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	contrast (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
causticity (<i>Living Things</i>)	colleague (<i>Social Issues</i>)	contribution (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
cauterization (<i>Living Things</i>)	commentary (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	controversial (<i>Heroes</i>)
cauterize (<i>Living Things</i>)	commission (<i>Environment</i>)	conventions (<i>Yesterday</i>)
cautery (<i>Living Things</i>)	commotion (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	conviction (<i>Walking with God</i>)
cease (<i>Social Issues</i>)	comparison (<i>Living Things</i>)	cordial (<i>Living Things</i>)
cephalic (<i>Walking with God</i>)	compassion (<i>Social Issues</i>)	correlation (<i>Living Things</i>)
cerebellum (<i>Walking with God</i>)	compelling (<i>Heroes</i>)	corruption (<i>Social Issues</i>)
cerebra (<i>Walking with God</i>)	compiled (<i>Heroes</i>)	credible (<i>Living Things</i>)
cerebral (<i>Walking with God</i>)	comply (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	critique (<i>Heroes</i>)
cerebrate (<i>Walking with God</i>)		crochet (<i>Yesterday</i>)
cerebrum (<i>Walking with God</i>)		curt (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
chaos (<i>My World</i>)		customary (<i>Friends and Family</i>)



deceased (<i>Social Issues</i>)	diagnosis (<i>Social Issues</i>)	efficient (<i>Living Things</i>)
deception (<i>Living Things</i>)	diagonal (<i>Social Issues</i>)	electrocautery (<i>Living Things</i>)
decipher (<i>Heroes</i>)	dialogue (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	electrodynamics (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
decline (<i>Social Issues</i>)	diameter (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	elements (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
decompose (<i>Social Issues</i>)	diaphragm (<i>Social Issues</i>)	embark (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
deem (<i>My World</i>)	differentiate (<i>Living Things</i>)	emissary (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
defend (<i>Walking with God</i>)	dignified (<i>Yesterday</i>)	emoticon (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
deference (<i>Heroes</i>)	diode (<i>Environment</i>)	emphasize (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
deferring (<i>Heroes</i>)	discern (<i>Walking with God</i>)	encephalitis (<i>Walking with God</i>)
defy (<i>My World</i>)	discriminate (<i>Yesterday</i>)	encephalogram (<i>Walking with God</i>)
delegation (<i>Social Issues</i>)	dismissal (<i>Environment</i>)	encephalography (<i>Walking with God</i>)
delicatessen (deli) (<i>Heroes</i>)	dispense (<i>Environment</i>)	endocrine (<i>Environment</i>)
delineate (<i>Social Issues</i>)	disperse (<i>Environment</i>)	endorphins (<i>Environment</i>)
demonstrate (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	dispirited (<i>Walking with God</i>)	endoscope (<i>Environment</i>)
demotion (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	distinction (<i>Living Things</i>)	endoskeleton (<i>Environment</i>)
dental (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	distinguish (<i>Yesterday</i>)	endotoxins (<i>Environment</i>)
dentistry (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	distorted (adj.) (<i>My World</i>)	engage (<i>Heroes</i>)
dentures (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	diversity (<i>Environment</i>)	enormity (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
derive (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	docudrama (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	enthrall (<i>Walking with God</i>)
derogatory (<i>Social Issues</i>)	drone (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	ephemeral (<i>Environment</i>)
desolate (<i>Social Issues</i>)	dynamic (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	epigram (<i>Environment</i>)
despise (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	dynamite (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	epilogue (<i>Environment</i>)
determine (<i>Social Issues</i>)	dynasty (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	episode (<i>Environment</i>)
determine (<i>Social Issues</i>)	ebb (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	epistle (<i>Environment</i>)
deterred (<i>Heroes</i>)	eddy (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	epitaph (<i>Environment</i>)
deterrent (<i>Heroes</i>)	edict (<i>My World</i>)	
devour (<i>Environment</i>)	effect (<i>Environment</i>)	
	effective (<i>Walking with God</i>)	



epitome (<i>Environment</i>)	feature (<i>My World</i>)	grammatical (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
erroneous (<i>Heroes</i>)	feign (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	grave (adj.) (<i>My World</i>)
etiquette (<i>Yesterday</i>)	felonious (<i>Yesterday</i>)	gruesome (<i>Living Things</i>)
etymology (<i>Heroes</i>)	fend (<i>Heroes</i>)	guesstimate (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
eucalyptus (<i>Environment</i>)	fiercely (<i>Living Things</i>)	gymnasium (gym) (<i>Heroes</i>)
eulogy (<i>Environment</i>)	figurative (<i>Walking with God</i>)	harmonious (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
euphemism (<i>Environment</i>)	format (<i>Environment</i>)	hazmat (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
euphonium (<i>Environment</i>)	fraction (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hectare (<i>Yesterday</i>)
euphoric (<i>Environment</i>)	fractious (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hectogram (<i>Yesterday</i>)
euthanasia (<i>Environment</i>)	fragile (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hectograph (<i>Yesterday</i>)
evacuate (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	fragment (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hectoliter (<i>Yesterday</i>)
evaluate (<i>Environment</i>)	fragmentation (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hectometer (<i>Yesterday</i>)
evidence (<i>Living Things</i>)	<i>Feelings</i>)	hemiplegia (<i>Yesterday</i>)
exact (verb) (<i>My World</i>)	fundamentalist (<i>My World</i>)	hemispheric (<i>Yesterday</i>)
excelled (<i>Heroes</i>)	genealogy (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hemistich (<i>Yesterday</i>)
excellent (<i>Heroes</i>)	generally (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	heparin (<i>Yesterday</i>)
exception (<i>Environment</i>)	generate (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hepatic (<i>Yesterday</i>)
excerpt (<i>Heroes</i>)	generic (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hepatitis (<i>Yesterday</i>)
exhibited (<i>Living Things</i>)	genesis (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hepatoma (<i>Yesterday</i>)
exhume (<i>Living Things</i>)	genre (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	hepatotoxic (<i>Yesterday</i>)
explicit (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	geriatric (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	herbal (<i>Yesterday</i>)
extensive (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	geriatrician (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	herbalist (<i>Yesterday</i>)
extolling (<i>Heroes</i>)	gerodontology (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	herbicide (<i>Yesterday</i>)
extract (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	gerontology (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	herbivore (<i>Yesterday</i>)
fable (<i>Social Issues</i>)	gingerly (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	herbivorous (<i>Yesterday</i>)
facial (<i>My World</i>)	girth (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	
facsimile (fax) (<i>Heroes</i>)	gourmet (<i>Yesterday</i>)	
fatigue (<i>Heroes</i>)	graduate (grad) (<i>Heroes</i>)	



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holocaust (<i>Living Things</i>)	incarnate (<i>Walking with God</i>)	jurisdiction (<i>Social Issues</i>)
homogenous (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	incisive (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	ketchup (<i>Yesterday</i>)
hydrocephalus (<i>Walking with God</i>)	incurring (<i>Heroes</i>)	kinesthetic (<i>Environment</i>)
hydrodynamic (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	indicate (<i>Environment</i>)	kleptomaniac (<i>Social Issues</i>)
hyperbole (<i>Yesterday</i>)	indigenous (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	laboratory (lab) (<i>Heroes</i>)
hyperchromia (<i>Walking with God</i>)	indignant (<i>Yesterday</i>)	legitimate (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
hypocaust (<i>Living Things</i>)	inference (<i>Heroes</i>)	literal (<i>Walking with God</i>)
hypocrite (<i>Social Issues</i>)	inferring (<i>Heroes</i>)	localize (<i>Living Things</i>)
idiom (<i>Yesterday</i>)	influential (<i>Heroes</i>)	logical (<i>Living Things</i>)
idle (<i>Heroes</i>)	influenza (flu) (<i>Heroes</i>)	malice (<i>Yesterday</i>)
illiterate (<i>My World</i>)	infomercial (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	malware (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
illustrious (<i>Social Issues</i>)	infuriate (<i>Heroes</i>)	maniac (<i>Social Issues</i>)
immerse (<i>Walking with God</i>)	ingenious (<i>Heroes</i>)	manifest (<i>Living Things</i>)
immobile (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	innovative (<i>Heroes</i>)	marvelous (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
immobilize (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	inquiry (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	media (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
immortal (<i>Social Issues</i>)	integrate (<i>Living Things</i>)	medium (<i>Environment</i>)
immortality (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	intense (<i>Environment</i>)	memorandum (memo) (<i>Heroes</i>)
impact (<i>Environment</i>)	intention (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	menace (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
impartial (<i>Yesterday</i>)	interaction (<i>Social Issues</i>)	metamorphic (<i>Living Things</i>)
impeccable (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	intermittent (<i>Environment</i>)	metamorphosis (<i>Living Things</i>)
implicit (<i>Social Issues</i>)	interpretation (<i>Living Things</i>)	methodical (<i>Environment</i>)
implore (<i>Social Issues</i>)	interred (<i>Heroes</i>)	microanalysis (<i>My World</i>)
imply (<i>Yesterday</i>)	intervene (<i>Walking with God</i>)	militant (<i>My World</i>)
impose (<i>My World</i>)	involuntary (<i>Living Things</i>)	millennium (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
improbability (<i>Living Things</i>)	ironic (<i>Living Things</i>)	miraculous (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
	irrelevant (<i>Environment</i>)	mirage (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
	itinerant (<i>Walking with God</i>)	mire (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
	itinerary (<i>Walking with God</i>)	misanthropy (<i>Living Things</i>)



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misconception (<i>Living Things</i>)	neural (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	pamper (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
missive (<i>Environment</i>)	neurologist (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	parable (<i>Social Issues</i>)
moderate (<i>Yesterday</i>)	neurology (<i>Living Things</i>)	paraphrase (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
modify (<i>Environment</i>)	neuron (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	paratrooper (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
monochrome (<i>Walking with God</i>)	neurosurgeon (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	paresthesia (<i>Environment</i>)
monogram (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	neurotic (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	particular (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
monotony (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	nimble (<i>Environment</i>)	patent (<i>Walking with God</i>)
moral (<i>Social Issues</i>)	noninvasive (<i>Living Things</i>)	patriot (<i>Heroes</i>)
morpheme (<i>Living Things</i>)	objective (<i>My World</i>)	patronize (<i>Yesterday</i>)
morphine (<i>Living Things</i>)	obscure (<i>Environment</i>)	pedometer (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
morphology (<i>Living Things</i>)	odometer (<i>Environment</i>)	perennial (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
mortal (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	offensive (<i>Social Issues</i>)	perimeter (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
mortician (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	omission (<i>Environment</i>)	periodical (<i>Environment</i>)
mortified (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	omniscient (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	periodontal (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
mosquito (<i>Yesterday</i>)	opportune (<i>Social Issues</i>)	permutation (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
motivation (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	opportunistic (<i>Living Things</i>)	perspective (<i>My World</i>)
murmur (<i>Living Things</i>)	opposition (<i>Social Issues</i>)	persuade (<i>Walking with God</i>)
mused (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	origami (<i>Yesterday</i>)	pertinent (<i>Living Things</i>)
mutation (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	orthodontia (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	philanthropic (<i>Living Things</i>)
mutilate (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	orthodontist (<i>Social Issues</i>)	philanthropist (<i>Living Things</i>)
mutiny (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	orthodox (<i>Social Issues</i>)	philanthropy (<i>Living Things</i>)
navigable (<i>Social Issues</i>)	orthography (<i>Social Issues</i>)	pictogram (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
navigator (<i>Social Issues</i>)	orthopedist (<i>Social Issues</i>)	placid (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
navy (<i>Social Issues</i>)	osteoarthritis (<i>Social Issues</i>)	plagiarism (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
negate (<i>Walking with God</i>)	osteopathy (<i>Social Issues</i>)	plaintive (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
<i>neglect</i> (<i>Walking with God</i>)	osteoporosis (<i>Social Issues</i>)	pliant (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
negligence (<i>Walking with God</i>)	oxymoron (<i>Yesterday</i>)	polychromatic (<i>Walking with God</i>)
negotiate (<i>Walking with God</i>)		



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postmortem (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	reconciliation (<i>Walking with God</i>)	sociogram (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
precise (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	redundant (<i>Social Issues</i>)	souvenir (<i>Yesterday</i>)
preconceived (<i>Living Things</i>)	referee (ref) (<i>Heroes</i>)	spectacles (specs) (<i>Heroes</i>)
prejudice (<i>Yesterday</i>)	reform (<i>Heroes</i>)	speculation (<i>Walking with God</i>)
prodigal (<i>Social Issues</i>)	refraction (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	spontaneous (<i>Environment</i>)
progeria (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	reincarnation (<i>Walking with God</i>)	stamina (<i>Friends and Family</i>)
prominent (<i>Yesterday</i>)	relevance (<i>My World</i>)	stereotypes (<i>Yesterday</i>)
promotion (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	remittance (<i>Environment</i>)	stigma (<i>Environment</i>)
propel (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	renegade (<i>Walking with God</i>)	style (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
propelled (<i>Heroes</i>)	renowned (<i>Living Things</i>)	subdue (<i>My World</i>)
propeller (<i>Heroes</i>)	repelling (<i>Heroes</i>)	subject (<i>My World</i>)
prosecutor (<i>Yesterday</i>)	resolute (<i>Yesterday</i>)	subjective (<i>My World</i>)
protracted (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	resolve (<i>Yesterday</i>)	submerge (<i>My World</i>)
protruded (<i>Living Things</i>)	retract (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	submission (<i>Environment</i>)
provoke (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	retroactively (<i>Living Things</i>)	subordinate (<i>My World</i>)
pummel (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	revealing (<i>Heroes</i>)	subsequent (<i>My World</i>)
pungent (<i>Environment</i>)	revolutionary (<i>Heroes</i>)	subside (<i>Yesterday</i>)
purpose (<i>Walking with God</i>)	rhetoric (<i>Yesterday</i>)	subterranean (<i>My World</i>)
pyromaniac (<i>Social Issues</i>)	roguish (<i>Heroes</i>)	subtrahend (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
qualify (<i>Walking with God</i>)	rue (<i>Walking with God</i>)	succinct (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
quarantine (<i>Friends and Family</i>)	scheduled (<i>Heroes</i>)	succinct (<i>Social Issues</i>)
quest (<i>Heroes</i>)	scoff (<i>Living Things</i>)	summarize (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)
rapport (<i>Walking with God</i>)	seize (<i>Heroes</i>)	superficial (<i>My World</i>)
rapt (<i>Walking with God</i>)	shard (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	superimpose (<i>My World</i>)
reasoning (<i>Walking with God</i>)	shrewd (<i>Living Things</i>)	superlative (<i>My World</i>)
rebuke (<i>Social Issues</i>)	sluggard (<i>Personal Feelings</i>)	supersede (<i>My World</i>)
recede (<i>Friends and Family</i>)		supervise (<i>My World</i>)
receptacle (<i>Living Things</i>)		supportive (<i>Social Issues</i>)



suppress (*Social Issues*)

symmetrical (*Friends and Family*)

technique (*Friends and Family*)

telecommute (*Friends and Family*)

televangelist (*Friends and Family*)

temperance (*Yesterday*)

testimony (*Social Issues*)

thermodynamics (*Personal Feelings*)

thrive (*Environment*)

toxic (*Environment*)

tract (*Friends and Family*)

traction (*Personal Feelings*)

tranquil (*Living Things*)

transceiver (*Living Things*)

transition (*Yesterday*)

translucent (*Personal Feelings*)

trepidation (*Personal Feelings*)

trivial (*Friends and Family*)

tsunami (*Yesterday*)

tumultuous (*Environment*)

typographical error (typo)
(*Heroes*)

unscathed (*Walking with God*)

validity (*My World*)

vary (*Heroes*)

vehemently (*Social Issues*)

veneration (*Living Things*)

viable (*Environment*)

vicious (*Friends and Family*)

vulnerable (*My World*)

warrant (*Yesterday*)

webinar (*Friends and Family*)