The 2020-2021 School Spelling Bee Study List is broken down into three levels of difficulty: One Bee, Two Bee and Three Bee. Two Bee words include words appropriate for fourth, fifth and sixth grades.

The list below includes 50 challenging sixth grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these words, you will be well prepared for your sixth grade classroom bee. To prepare for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the full 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List, which includes these words, the remainder of the Two Bee words, and the One Bee and Three Bee words.

- lento
- Scandinavia
- haggis
- dolce
- opus
- pedestrian
- snorkels
- lullaby
- FORTRAN
- tangents
- expression
- violin
- binary
- semicolon
- patent
- incantations
- treble
- feta
- ventured
- deities
- Baltic
- proverb
- indecipherable
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- convulsive
- runes
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- deference
- jasper
- deference
- detergent
- deference
- mantles
- streamlet
- swerve
- fountain
- garish
- gilded
- president
- Oregon
- purpose
The 2020-2021 School Spelling Bee Study List is broken down into three levels of difficulty: One Bee, Two Bee and Three Bee. Three Bee words include words appropriate for seventh and eighth grades.

The list below includes 50 challenging **seventh** grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these words, you will be well prepared for your seventh grade classroom bee. To prepare for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the full 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List, which includes these words, the remainder of the Three Bee words, and the One Bee and Two Bee words.

- cladding
- warden
- fester
- porcupine
- trough
- wrath
- dissuade
- divulge
- pretentious
- rummages
- engrossed
- eviction
- hooey
- authority
- pillage
- mechanics
- dismayed
- anguish

- scallion
- copious
- intoxicating
- lurching
- parchment
- corporate
- profusion
- meditation
- embellishes
- constricting
- strife
- protruding
- blight
- minimize OR
  *minimise
- bankrupt
- offspring
- increments

- stealthily
- hurtle
- outlandish
- ineffective
- leach
- propane
- appalling
- franchise
- appropriate
- inevitable
- hindmost
- substantial
- fronds
- flamingos OR
  flamingoes
- insurance

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### Scripps National Spelling Bee
#### Three Bee Study Words for Eighth Grade
#### 2020-2021

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The list below includes 100 challenging **eighth** grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these words, you will be well prepared for your eighth grade classroom bee. To prepare for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the full 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List, which includes these words, the remainder of the Three Bee words, and the One Bee and Two Bee words.

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