

tag	lace	north	brew
put	sank	tower	alarm
hill	acorn	dinner	pulp
jam	eel	number	soggy
rug	lung	kisses	popcorn
try	beat	slower	crane
cork	snore	morning	bacon
add	grass	pillow	crime
dime	never	myself	hobby
mint	July	snowflake	given
hope	sleep	both	bedtime
shy	punch	icon	shark
burn	lamp	link	dislike
mask	globe	wee	ladder
kite	always	poor	shout
tape	thank	grim	doctor
silly	moose	cowboy	shadow
ants	count	why	behind
week	foxes	taco	prize
grade	tooth	hotel	drink
		penny	joyful
		mister	broken



Study Words for First Graders

tenth
flavor
yellow
plastic
respect
quilt
view
animals
second
father
limited
partner
flower
glue
magnet
olive



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both	hobby	view	chalk	
icon	given	animals	royal	
link	bedtime	second	selfish	
wee	shark	father	misery	
poor	dislike	limited	deputy	
grim	ladder	partner	turnip	
cowboy	shout	flower	deaf	retire
why	doctor	glue	energy	award
taco	shadow	magnet	really	bumpy
hotel	behind	olive	fence	lesson
penny	prize	ploy	scarecrow	glitter
mister	drink	ivory	lasso	actress
brew	joyful	don't	pouch	urban
alarm	broken	safety	saying	correct
pulp	tenth	polite	wildlife	pluck
soggy	flavor	loaf	market	eggplant
popcorn	yellow	well-off	pastel	barge
crane	plastic	groove	grace	comma
bacon	respect	cactus	freeze	honor
crime	quilt	violin	honeybee	princely
		amber	bucket	inched
		birthday	prefix	cursive



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ploy	really	urban	transform	
ivory	fence	correct	so-called	
don't	scarecrow	pluck	minority	
safety	lasso	eggplant	arrow	
polite	pouch	barge	detective	
loaf	saying	comma	publish	
well-off	wildlife	honor	infant	motion
groove	market	princely	flung	property
cactus	pastel	inched	dictate	lumberjack
violin	grace	cursive	payment	million
amber	freeze	foray	composer	cowlick
birthday	honeybee	member	divine	gradual
chalk	bucket	shortfall	confess	hankering
royal	prefix	frump	insight	ledge
selfish	retire	aren't	fuel	yonder
misery	award	empower	another	possible
deputy	bumpy	mortal	shrimp	hollow
turnip	lesson	software	landslide	thawed
deaf	glitter	owner	predict	knock
energy	actress	nineteen	theater <i>or</i> theatre	piracy
		bebop	chimney	alpha
		peddle	scorpion	Tuesday



Study Words for Third Graders



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foray	dictate	hankering	humorist	
member	payment	ledge	sketch	
shortfall	composer	yonder	moviegoer	
frump	divine	possible	awash	
aren't	confess	hollow	fouled	
empower	insight	thawed	yeast	
mortal	fuel	knock	premium	enviable
software	another	piracy	logical	science
owner	shrimp	alpha	permission	hooligan
nineteen	landslide	Tuesday	smoothie <i>or</i> smoothy	entrance
bebop	predict	stubble	bassoon	joust
peddle	theater <i>or</i> theatre	dragnet	elude	bombard
transform	chimney	podium	merge	leeway
so-called	scorpion	introverted	gorgon	sought
minority	motion	domain	legacy	Halloween <i>or</i> Hallowe'en
arrow	property	uppity	obsidian	whimper
detective	lumberjack	historical	depict	lawyer
publish	million	swagger	gangster	trifle
infant	cowlick	quaver	spreadsheet	issue
flung	gradual	attitude	basically	wren
		cheapskate	presence	taught
		eternity	launch	carriage



Study Words for Fourth Graders



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**Study Words for
Fifth Graders**

stubble	permission	leeway	infamous	
dragnet	smoothie <i>or</i> smoothy	sought	talisman	
podium	bassoon	Halloween <i>or</i> Hallowe'en	hydra	
introverted	elude	whimper	genetic	
domain	merge	lawyer	sororal	
uppity	gorgon	trifle	turmoil	
historical	legacy	issue	infringe	dissemble
swagger	obsidian	wren	consternation	piety
quaver	depict	taught	disarray	agitation
attitude	gangster	carriage	ailment	permafrost
cheapskate	spreadsheet	imbibe	mollify	expunge
eternity	basically	endure	avenge	duplicity
humorist	presence	apiary	bulwark	qualms
sketch	launch	vouch	manufacture	wattage
moviegoer	enviable	bolide	cinematic	correlation
awash	science	rebuff	antipathy	vivacious
fouled	hooligan	levity	situation	lanai
yeast	entrance	cohesive	morale	Pulitzer
premium	joust	pliant	incentive	chicle
logical	bombard	kinsman	freight	equinox
		astonish	mugwump	lollid
		forbidden	pontiff	shiatsu



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Study Words for Sixth Graders

imbibe	disarray	qualms	divvy	
endure	ailment	wattage	betrothal	
apiary	mollify	correlation	lambasted	
vouch	avenge	vivacious	insinuate	
bolide	bulwark	lanai	travesty	
rebuff	manufacture	Pulitzer	bric-a-brac	
levity	cinematic	chicle	propulsion	tangible
cohesive	antipathy	equinox	leonine	evince
pliant	situation	lollid	hackamore	hermitage
kinsman	morale	shiatsu	emblazoned	congressional
astonish	incentive	grouse	stridency	rejuvenate
forbidden	freight	diadem	bulbous	bodega
infamous	mugwump	aura	photogenic	wheelde
talisman	pontiff	regnal	torsion	charioteer
hydra	dissemble	nigh	winnow	panache
genetic	piety	lucrative	bountiful	malaise
sororal	agitation	asylum	affluent	acrylics
turmoil	permafrost	famished	rosin	extinguish
infringe	expunge	derivative	mammalian	moustache <i>or</i> mustache
consternation	duplicity	verdure	corduroy	vitriolic
		dawdle	exorcism	netiquette
		adroitly	imperious	vice versa



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**Study Words for
Seventh Graders**

grouse	hackamore	wheedle	Herculean	
diadem	emblazoned	charioteer	ombudsman	
aura	stridency	panache	porosity	
regnal	bulbous	malaise	dodecahedron	
nigh	photogenic	acrylics	injurious	
lucrative	torsion	extinguish	prognosticate	
asylum	winnow	moustache <i>or</i> mustache	complacency	sapphire
famished	bountiful	vitriolic	omnibus	vestigial
derivative	affluent	netiquette	carcinogen	laureate
verdure	rosin	vice versa	tomahawk	plagiarism
dawdle	mammalian	sedentary	monochrome	ragamuffin
adroitly	corduroy	Pavlovian	gluttonous	agitprop
divvy	exorcism	cumbersome	ostracism	circumstantial
betrothal	imperious	histrionics	rappelled	guineas
lambasted	tangible	gustatory	presumptuous	armistice
insinuate	evince	perceived	annihilation	importunate
travesty	hermitage	illustrious	petroglyphs	lingua franca
bric-a-brac	congressional	quadrillion	courtier	occipital
propulsion	rejuvenate	anticipatory	bonsai	queue
leonine	bodega	abstruse	schism	focaccia
		chancellor	appellate	aficionado <i>or</i> afficionado
		recoup	elegiac	genoise



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sedentary	carcinogen	circumstantial	quorum	
Pavlovian	tomahawk	guineas	chimera <i>or</i> chimaera	
cumbersome	monochrome	armistice	comedienne	
histrionics	gluttonous	importunate	pyrotechnics	
gustatory	ostracism	lingua franca	maunder	
perceived	rappelled	occipital	satiety	
illustrious	presumptuous	queue	wildebeest	cephalopod
quadrillion	annihilation	focaccia	querulous	chiffonade
anticipatory	petroglyphs	aficionado <i>or</i> afficionado	isochronous	roustabout
abstruse	courtier	genoise	erstwhile	accoutrement <i>or</i> accouterment
chancellor	bonsai	matriculation	follicle	aphasia
recoup	schism	bazooka	cavalier	ventriloquy
Herculean	appellate	anthropomorphic	suasion	portmanteau
ombudsman	elegiac	bloviate	encryption	Freudian
porosity	sapphire	anonymity	collegiate	bourgeois
dodecahedron	vestigial	galoot	revanche	velociraptor
injurious	laureate	pariah	aubergine	hoi polloi
prognosticate	plagiarism	macrocosm	aerodynamic	scintillation
complacency	ragamuffin	juxtapose	circadian	fait accompli
omnibus	agitprop	smithereens	epizootic	dirndl
		unctuous	seraphic	sotto voce
		Caucasian	arraignment	fêng shui



Study Words for Eighth Graders



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This list includes 50 challenging eighth grade words and, to extend learning, 50 challenging ninth grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these 100 words, you will be well prepared for a eighth grade classroom bee.

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