

## Archdiocesan Spelling Bee Word List

## LEVEL - Grades 1 & 2

about	booth	clean	evening
address	boxes	clock	everybody
afford	brave	cloud	everyone
afraid	breakfast	clown	exit
afternoon	brick	cookie	eyebrow
again	bridge	cottage	fable
afternoon	bright	couch	fabric
again	brother	count	false
aghast	brown	crash	family
airplane	brush	crawl	farmer
alarm	bubble	cricket	favor
alert	bunnies	cross	feast
alive	bushes	crowd	fever
altar	butterfly	crown	fifty
always	cabin	cube	fireman
amen	camera	cure	first
animal	candle	daily	float
apart	canoe	danger	foggy
apples	careful	debt	follower
April	carrots	decay	forever
around	carry	decided	fossil
awake	castle	delight	found
balloon	catch	differ	fountain
barnyard	Catholic	different	Friday
bashful	center	dinner	fruit
basket	chair	dishes	funny
bathtub	change	dive	galaxy
beach	chase	draft	gather
became	checkers	draw	glass
because	cheese	dream	globe
bedtime	chew	dress	gloomy
beehive	children	drink	glove
beetle	chimp	drive	God
began	chipmunk	drum	going
beginning	choose	dusty	goldfish
below	church	each	gone
bench	circle	easy	grade
better	circus	either	grandfather
birthday	city	empty	grapes
blanket	clapped	engine	green
blend	class	equal	growl

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grown	kitchen	moose	pencil
hailstone	kites	month	penguin
half	kitten	mouse	penny
happiness	knee	moving	people
harvest	knife	much	picnic
hatch	knock	muffin	pillow
hearing	know	must	place
heart	lace	myself	planet
heavy	lady	napping	playground
hilltop	large	nation	please
holiday	laughter	needle	pledge
holy	lawn	neighbor	porch
hope	lazy	never	potato
hopping	leaf	next	prayer
horn	learning	nickel	pretty
horse	leash	nobody	price
housetop	lemon	notebook	priest
idea	letter	nothing	print
igloo	light	number	prize
inch	little	oatmeal	puddle
inside	lizard	obey	purple
invent	longer	object	quarter
invite	lower	ocean	quick
ivy	lucky	October	quiet
jacket	lullaby	offer	quit
jelly	lunch	only	rabbit
Jesus	many	opening	racket
jiggle	market	orange	radio
joint	master	other	rainbow
joke	match	ouch	ranch
joy	maybe	outdoors	reading
judge	meeting	outside	ready
juice	melt	oval	really
jumping	melon	over	remain
jungle	mighty	page	reptile
junk	minute	paint	rescue
keepsake	mistake	panda	robe
kept	mitten	paper	robot
kicking	Monday	party	round
kiln	money	peanut	royal
kindness	moon	penance	rules

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rumble	soap	thread	wade
runner	soft	three	wagon
said	someone	tiger	walk
saint	something	tiny	want
Saturday	spaceship	today	warble
saved	sparrow	together	warm
scare	spelling	tomorrow	washer
scarf	spend	total	watches
school	spill	trade	waterfall
scrap	splash	traffic	weekly
screamed	spoon	trouble	welcome
second	spy	truck	what
seeds	square	trunk	whip
seven	stand	Tuesday	whisker
shade	state	twigs	white
shall	storm	twine	why
shape	story	twins	window
shark	summer	ugly	wish
shelf	sunny	uncle	wooden
shopping	sure	underline	working
short	swamp	untie	yard
should	swim	until	year
shrimp	swing	upon	yelling
sink	table	upper	yellow
sister	taste	usher	yesterday
sixth	teacher	value	young
size	teeth	vase	yourself
skating	thanks	verse	zebra
sleep	them	vest	zero
slide	think	view	zipper
slipper	thirty	violin	zone
slow	thorn	visit	zookeeper
smells	those	vote	

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aardvark	artistry	breakfast	cocoon
ablaze	Asia	breathe	coffee
abrupt	assignment	bruise	collage
academy	assistant	buffalo	colorful
access	astronauts	bulletin	commandment
accident	athlete	buried	compassion
ache	atrium	butterflies	compound
achieve	attitude	calcium	computer
acrobat	August	calendar	condensation
activity	Australia	canary	consonant
address	author	cancel	continent
adjective	aviator	canine	continued
Advent	avoid	canopy	contraction
advice	awhile	canteen	convince
against	baboon	canyon	cornea
agenda	background	capsule	correct
ailment	backpack	cardinal	cough
alley	badge	career	country
alphabet	bagel	carnival	county
although	baggage	carpentry	courage
altogether	balance	carriage	courtesy
amaze	balloon	cashew	cousin
America	bandage	cashier	covenant
amount	banjo	catchword	creation
ancestor	Baptism	caterpillar	creed
anchor	barely	cavern	curiosity
angel	barrier	celery	custom
angle	batteries	chalkboard	dairy
ankle	beard	challenge	dangerous
announcement	beast	championship	daughter
answer	Beatitudes	chapel	deacon
antenna	beautiful	charcoal	deadline
antique	because	charity	debt
anxious	begged	cheerfully	December
apology	believe	chimney	decent
applaud	bishop	choir	dedication
appreciate	blessing	Christmas	delivery
approach	booster	circular	demand
aquatic	bought	cleanliness	denial
armor	brainchild	clergy	detour
arrival	brainstorm	clubhouse	deviate

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diagnosis	fantastic	heaven	launch
diamond	faucet	helpfulness	legible
difference	February	hiccups	length
difficult	feud	homestead	leotard
discipline	field	homily	lethal
discourage	financial	honesty	libraries
discover	firefighter	horrible	lightning
disobey	fitness	hula	limited
divine	flatten	humble	listener
division	footage	hungry	liturgy
dolphin	forbidden	hurricane	loyalty
doubt	forgiveness	hymnal	lullaby
drought	formula	identify	machines
dungeon	fraction	identity	magazine
earthquake	freight	ignition	manage
Easter	fulfill	imaginary	marshmallow
education	funnel	industrial	martyr
either	funnier	industry	material
elementary	futon	information	medicine
eleventh	gadget	initial	mercury
emergency	galaxy	injury	mercy
empire	gardener	insulator	messenger
enemy	gasoline	integer	migration
enormous	generous	interesting	mineral
enough	gentleness	interrupt	missionary
envelope	geography	island	mistake
environment	giraffe	itchy	modern
epistle	glaciers	January	multiply
erosion	glory	jealous	multiply
essential	governor	journalist	mystery
Eucharist	gracious	joust	narrator
Europe	grandfather	joyfulness	necessary
evaporation	gratitude	judged	neighbor
excellent	gravity	justice	neither
expressway	guilt	kennel	nephew
extract	guitar	kindergarten	nervous
eyelash	handkerchief	kingdom	niece
factories	happiness	knob	ninety
faithful	harbor	labor	noisy
families	hazard	ladle	November
famous	healthy	lagoon	novena

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novice	rattlesnake	special	veteran
obtain	realize	spirit	victory
obvious	reason	squeeze	vitamin
octopus	rebuild	squirrel	vocation
olive	receive	station	volleyball
onion	recess	striped	vowel
opinion	recital	struggling	waffle
orchid	recoup	subtraction	waltz
ordinary	refrigerator	suburb	Wednesday
organized	refuge	succeed	weird
ounce	relative	success	whispering
oyster	remember	supermarket	whistle
package	remorseful	supposed	whittle
parable	renewal	surprise	wilderness
paragraph	repair	surrender	wisdom
passion	responsible	surrounds	wonderful
peacemaker	reward	tallied	worried
perfume	rosary	taught	worship
pigeon	rotation	temperature	wreath
pioneer	routine	thankfulness	wreck
pledge	royal	thimble	wrinkle
plumber	Sabbath	thought	wrist
poison	sacraments	thousand	written
possession	sacrifice	thumb	yawn
potatoes	sainthood	thunder	yeast
prayer	sandbar	thunderstorm	yesterday
predict	Saturday	tissue	yield
prepare	scorekeeper	tomorrow	yourself
president	scripture	trouble	youth
priest	seaweed	transportation	zeal
principal	selfish	traveler	zipper
problem	sentence	triangle	
progress	September	trivial	
proverb	sequence	underneath	
provide	serious	universe	
pupil	service	unknown	
qualify	several	unusual	
question	shiver	unwrapped	
quite	signal	vegetable	
quiver	silent	venue	
ration	spacecraft	vertical	

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abolish	artichoke	candidate	contemplate
abstain	article	canonize	continuous
accomplish	artificial	capacity	contour
adoration	ashamed	capillary	contrition
advantage	asphalt	carafe	convection
adverb	associate	cardigan	convertible
adverse	asteroid	cathedral	cooperation
advisory	astonished	cauliflower	cordially
affectionate	attraction	cautious	cornucopia
aggression	audience	celebrity	counselor
agility	auditorium	certificate	courteous
alibi	authority	chalice	covet
almond	autumn	chaotic	critical
alternative	avalanche	chemistry	crocodile
amateur	awkward	chocolate	crucifix
ambiguous	bacteria	Christianity	crystal
amendment	bailiff	cinnamon	culottes
ammonia	balsam	circuit	customer
amphibian	baptistery	circumference	cuticle
amusement	barbershop	civilizations	debris
ancient	barricade	classification	definitely
anguish	basilica	clavicle	definition
announcement	beige	clientele	democracy
annuity	beret	college	density
anointing	Bethlehem	cologne	descend
anthology	bias	colonel	devotion
antiseptic	binoculars	commemorate	diameter
apostles	biscuit	commitment	dictionary
appetite	blatant	companion	dilemma
applause	blustery	compelled	dimension
appropriate	bonsai	competition	diocese
archery	boycott	condemn	disciple
architecture	breathing	condensation	dissolve
argument	brilliant	conduction	document
arrogant	broccoli	congratulations	domesticate
arteries	cabana	congregation	durable
artesian	cafeteria	conservation	ecosystem
arthritis	campaign	construction	edible

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editorial	fortify	hydrogen	jubilee
electromagnetic	fortunately	hypocrite	justify
electron	fountain	hypothesis	kayak
embarrassment	fractional	icicle	kilogram
emergency	fraud	identify	kilometer
empathy	frequent	ignoring	kilowatt
encompass	generation	illiterate	knuckle
encourage	generosity	imagine	language
epicenter	genetics	immediately	lantern
equator	genuflect	impatient	larynx
equity	geometry	impossible	latitude
equivocal	ghastly	improvisation	laughter
erosion	giblet	Incarnation	lawyer
essential	gigantic	incomprehensible	league
establishment	gingham	individual	lector
estimate	glacial	industrious	legacy
eternal	glorious	inferior	lenient
Eucharist	glossary	infirmary	ligament
evaporation	grammar	innocence	limousine
evidence	gravity	insincere	linear
exaggeration	groceries	inspection	linoleum
exclamation	guidance	inspiration	literature
exercise	habitat	instruction	liturgical
exhausted	hallowed	interact	longitude
extremely	handicraft	intercede	luau
fabulous	hastily	intercession	macaroni
faculty	headache	interior	machinery
fascinate	headquarters	interrupt	magnetism
federate	heavyweight	invertibrate	majestic
feisty	Hebrew	investigator	majority
fertilize	hemisphere	invisible	maneuver
fidgeting	hexagon	ironically	manicure
fiery	hibernation	irritate	masterpiece
fifteenth	historical	jaguar	materialize
fluent	holiness	janitor	matinee
forefront	humbly	jealousy	matrimony
foreign	humorous	Jewish	mattress
formulate	hundredth	journey	mayhem

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mayor	omission	prevaricate	resignation
measurement	opposite	primitive	responsibility
meditation	orchestra	principle	restaurant
memorandum	ordination	privilege	retirement
mention	origami	procedure	revelation
merchant	original	prominent	reverence
metropolitan	orphan	proton	reversible
migration	overwhelm	punctual	rhyme
minerals	oxygen	puzzling	routine
miniature	pageant	pyramid	sacred
miracle	pajamas	quantity	salamander
monastery	parallel	quantum	salvation
moisture	parasite	quarry	sarcasm
monotonous	passenger	quarterly	satire
mosquito	patriot	quartet	scarce
muscular	peculiar	quasi	scarlet
musician	pentagon	quench	scenery
mysteries	peony	questionable	scheme
narrative	perceive	queue	scrounge
national	percentage	quietly	secrecy
naughty	perishable	radius	security
necessity	permanent	raspberry	segment
nectarine	perpendicular	rationale	senate
neutral	persecute	ravioli	sensible
neutron	persuaded	reconcile	separate
nitrogen	petroleum	recreation	servant
nominate	pheasant	rectory	shepherd
nominee	photograph	recycling	shoulder
nostril	physician	referee	silence
noticeable	pilgrimage	refreshment	sincerely
nourishment	plantation	regulation	soldier
nucleus	pleasant	relationship	solution
numerator	poetic	religious	sonata
oasis	porridge	reminisce	species
obedient	powwows	replied	spectacle
objectionable	precipitation	representative	spinach
observant	prehistoric	reprieve	squirt
occurred	prejudice	republic	staring

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static	valuables
stomach	variety
strategy	various
strengthen	Vatican
struggle	vegetable
stubborn	vein
submarine	vessel
succeed	victim
suddenly	victorious
summary	videotape
surgeon	village
suspicious	vinegar
symphony	violence
tabernacle	virtue
tedious	visible
television	vitamin
temptation	voices
terrorize	volume
testament	volunteer
theory	warehouse
therapy	weird
thief	whimper whispered
thoughtfully	wholesale
throughout	worthiness
tournament	worthwhile
transportation	wreckage
trespasses	xylograph
tricycle	xylophone
turbulent	yacht
underrated	Yahweh
unionize	yardsticks
university	yearning
unnecessary	youngster
unreliable	yourselves
upstairs	zealous
usually	zesty
vaccine	zigzagged
vacuum	zinnias

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abdomen	apostrophe	boulevard	comedian
Abraham	apparent	boundary	commandeer
abrupt	appease	bouquet	commercialize
absolution	apprehend	boysenberry	commissary
abundant	apprentice	bratwurst	communication
academia	appropriate	bravado	communities
accelerate	approximately	brevity	compassion
accommodate	architecture	buoyancy	confederate
achievement	arrangement	bureaucracy	confinement
acoustics	arrogance	burglary	congregate
acquaintance	articulate	Byzantine	connived
acronym	ascension	calamitous	conscience
acrylic	asparagus	calypso	consecration
adequately	assumption	camouflage	consensus
adjacent	atmosphere	candelabra	constellation
adjournment	attorney	candidacy	contagious
admiration	audacious	capable	contemplated
adoption	authorized	cartilage	continuity
adventurous	authorship	cataract	contradictory
advisable	bankruptcy	catastrophe	conversion
affectionately	barometer	catechist	copyright
affiliate	baroque	celestial	corduroy
affliction	battalion	cellular	Corinthians
aforesaid	battlesome	cellulose	counterfeit
agriculture	behavior	ensorship	covenant
alfalfa	benediction	chandelier	cultivation
algebraic	beneficial	characterization	dachshund
alkali	benevolent	chassis	dandelion
allegiance	biathlon	chenille	declarative
alliance	bibliography	chlorine	decorative
alligator	bilingual	chronological	definitely
ambassador	binary	circulation	delinquent
analyze	biochemistry	circumstantial	democratically
anecdote	biologist	clarification	demolition
annoyance	biopsy	codeine	demonstrate
anonymous	bizarre	cohesion	desperate
antecedent	blasphemy	Colossians	despondent
apocalypse	bludgeon	combination	destination

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developmental	euphoric	Galilee	hysteria
devour	evangelists	galleries	identical
dictatorship	evaporation	gawkiness	illegible
difficulties	eventually	generator	illiterate
dilapidated	exaggeration	generosity	illuminate
diminish	examination	genuine	illumination
disappointed	excellence	germination	illustrate
disarray	executive	gesture	imagination
discoveries	existence	glorification	imitation
discussion	exonerated	gnarl	immensely
disobedient	expedition	gradually	immigrant
diversity	experience	gratefully	immobilize
documentary	extracurricular	gravitational	impartial
dormancy	extravagant	grievous	impatience
dramatic	facetious	grommets	impeccable
ecologist	fainthearted	grotesque	impediment
economically	fallible	guaranteed	imperative
economist	feminine	guardian	impossibility
efficiently	ferocious	gymnastics	impromptu
effluent	fictitious	harmonica	incidentally
elaborately	figurative	harmonious	incubator
electrical	filibuster	harpsichord	indebted
electricity	financial	hereafter	indictment
elementary	finite	heredity	indispensable
eligible	flamingo	hesitation	indivisible
ellipse	flammable	hilarious	indulgence
emergencies	flourish	honorably	inevitable
eminent	fluorescent	horticulture	infallible
enchilada	foliage	hosanna	inflammation
enrichment	forbiddance	humanitarian	influenza
ensemble	forecaster	humanity	infrequently
enthusiasm	formation	humidity	inimitable
entrepreneur	fraudulent	humiliate	initially
equinox	fugitive	hydraulic	inoculate
esophagus	functional	hygiene	inquiry
essentially	fundamentally	hyperactive	institution
estimated	fuselage	hyperbole	intangible
eulogy	Galatians	hypersensitive	integrated

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intelligence	lucrative	necessity	Pentateuch
interfere	ludicrous	negotiable	perceive
intermittent	luxurious	neutralize	perennial
international	macaroon	nocturnal	perpetual
irascible	magnificently	nomination	persecution
irrelevant	mahogany	notorious	persimmon
irresistible	malicious	novelty	persistent
irresponsibility	mandatory	nuisance	personnel
irritable	manipulate	numerous	pessimistic
jeopardize	mannequin	nutrient	pestilence
Jerusalem	marathon	obedience	Pharisee
journalism	marinate	obsessive	pinnacle
jubilant	marmalade	obsolete	planetarium
judicial	masculine	obstinate	platinum
juvenile	masquerade	occasionally	plausible
karaoke	mauve	occupational	plebeian
khaki	maximize	occurrence	poisonous
kinetic	mayonnaise	odyssey	politician
knowledge	measurable	offensive	pompous
laboratory	mechanically	officially	porcelain
laceration	mechanize	opponent	potassium
lacrosse	melodrama	opportunities	precinct
lectionary	merchandise	optimistic	predecessor
legislation	meridian	orphanage	preferential
legitimate	meritorious	orthodox	preliminary
leisure	Messiah	ottoman	preoccupation
leniency	metaphor	pamphlet	probability
leverage	milieu	pantomime	procure
liability	millennium	parachute	prodigious
liaison	minimum	paradox	professional
liberally	minorities	parallelogram	pronunciation
licensing	moderation	paralyze	prospect
limerick	momentary	parody	protocol
linguistics	multiplication	patronize	psychiatry
litigation	mysteriously	pavilion	punishment
localities	mystify	peculiar	punitive
logistics	mythology	peninsula	pursuit
lubricate	nationalities	penitential	quadrant



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quaint	seclusion	testimony	valiant
quantum	secondary	tetraploid	vandalize
quarantine	secular	thermostat	vaporizer
quartz	semicircle	threatening	variance
quench	seminarian	tolerance	vegetarian
quiche	sentiment	toothache	velocity
quotient	separation	torturous	vertigo
radioactivity	sequence	tragedy	vestibule
ramification	simultaneous	transfiguration	victorious
ramshackle	sincerity	transformation	violation
realization	soprano	translation	visualize
reconciliation	sorcerer	transparent	vocabulary
redaction	sorehead	trauma	volatile
redundant	specifications	traverse	voracious
registration	spectrum	treacherous	weatherize
regulatory	spiritual	treasurer	weatherproof
rehearse	squadron	trepidation	weightless
reliability	standardization	triumph	wheelbarrow
religious	stereophonic	turmoil	whirlwind
reprieve	stimulation	turpentine	yearning
reputation	stratosphere	tyranny	zealous
resolution	stupendous	tyrant	zeppelin
restriction	stymied	ultimately	zirconium
restructure	substitute	ultraviolet	zoological
revelation	suffrage	umbilical	zoology
rhythmic	suggestions	unaccountable	zoomorphic
sabotage	supercede	unanimous	zucchini
sacramental	supposition	uncivilly	
sacrifice	surveyor	unequally	
sanctions	symmetry	unionize	
sapphire	sympathetic	unique	
sarcasm	synagogue	universal	
satellite	syndrome	unprofessional	
satisfaction	tambourine	uranium	
scholarship	tandem	utilize	
scholastic	tangerine	utterance	
scientist	tariff	vaccination	
scrimmage	technical	valedictorian	

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