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2024/25 Spelling Word List (Grade 5) Second Term

Week 4: 10th Dec

Oxford Discover Unit 6

Part A: Vocabulary

- 1. Kiko is **obedient**. He always listens to his parents.
- 2. I'm very fortunate. My family and friends are great.
- 3. This game is **tedious**! Let's play a less boring game.
- 4. Action movies are always exciting.
- 5. Do you think it's safe to cross the bridge? It looks **fragile**.
- 6. Joey was determined to pass the test, so he studied hard.
- 7. My brother is daring. He'll try anything!
- 8. Mum thinks I'm foolish for wearing T-shirts in the winter.
- 9. The roller coaster ride was thrilling.
- 10. You have to be courageous to be a firefighter.
- 11. It's too <u>risky</u> to cross the flooded river.
- 12. I was **fascinated** by the painting. I couldn't look away.
- 13. Far away in another **settlement**, others lived their lives differently.
- 14. The picture was **blurry**. I couldn't see it clearly.

- 15. He <u>adjusted</u> the telescope slightly, and he was fascinated to see activity on the blue planet.
- 16. The blurry figures he's seen before suddenly came into sharp focus.

Part B: Sentences

- The doctor and his four assistants came and carried his grandmother away on a special bed to make her better.
- 2. He looked through the brand-new telescope he'd received for his birthday the previous week.
- 3. Although he longed for a more exciting life, he felt fortunate that he had good friends and no serious problems.
- 4. He searched the night sky, looking for the magical planet he'd seen many nights in a row.
- 5. This meant dragging a heavy sled behind him to and from the store.
- 6. He occasionally glimpsed small figures with strange circular objects propelling them along.
- 7. He began to draw pictures of everything he could see, these wonderful machines with circles that made them move!
- 8. There were figures driving around in vehicles of all shapes, sizes and colors.



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Week 10: 21st Jan

Oxford Discover Unit 8

Part A: Vocabulary

- 1. Dolphins are **communicative** animals. They use sounds and movement.
- 2. Whales <u>locate</u> each other by singing songs.
- 3. I collaborate with my classmates on projects. We work together.
- 4. Parrots often imitate human words. They repeat what they hear.
- 5. We behave well in class! We are well disciplined.
- 6. Can you indicate on the map where you live?
- 7. Some birds attract a mate by building colorful nests.
- 8. The rattlesnake threatens its enemies by rattling its tail.
- 9. Animals have ways of **defending** their territory.
- 10. The lion approaches its prey silently.
- 11. People express themselves with their hands when they talk.
- 12. The sound a tiger **produces** is a growl.
- 13. Hippos communicate <u>underwater</u> and on land by makings noises called grunts and bellows.

- 14. Animals will defend their own territory from predators.
- 15. Monkeys have different alarm signals for each predator.
- 16. The honeyguide has difficulty getting into the hives.

Part B: Sentences

- 1. When monkeys hear the eagle signal, they hide on the forest floor.
- 2. Hippos bellow when they fight other hippos and when they want to attract a mate.
- 3. Rattlesnakes have a rattle on the end of their bodies that they shake when they feel threatened.
- 4. The gecko shakes its head to indicate to the treehopper that it wants honeydew.
- 5. The honey badger eats honey, but it has trouble finding hives, and so these two animals collaborate.
- Alex was a grey parrot who could imitate words, but he could also identify objects, colors and shapes.
- 7. Similarly, wolves growl and show their teeth to warn enemies that they will fight.
- 8. Dolphins, apes, and parrots are the animals that have communicated the most with humans.



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Week 14: 18th Feb

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Part A: Vocabulary

- 1. Cakes are **delicious**. I could eat them every day.
- 2. This ice cream is very **creamy**.
- 3. Chilies and peppers are **spicy**. They make food taste hot.
- 4. I would like some <u>nutty</u> cookies, especially ones with almonds.
- 5. The baker ladled milk into the flour and butter mixture.
- 6. The children's faces were sticky with chocolate.
- 7. The child was making so much noise eating that crunchy apple.
- 8. The sauce looked **runny** so I added some more flour.
- 9. This custard is deliciously **smooth** and creamy.
- 10. The washing machine was making a whirring sound.
- 11. The captain's **booming** voice can be heard all over the ship.
- 12. Did you spot any mistakes in my homework?
- 13. Everything went dark and she felt slightly dizzy.
- 14. The dog was lost so it was **sniffing** around for familiar scents to help it find the way home.

- 15. The bakery chef poured the mixture into the baking **molds** to create a certain shape.
- 16. The man behind the counter winked at her and gave her a big smile too.

Part B: Sentences

- The wheels on the train seemed to be talking to her. They made a rhythmic, whirring noise.
- She ran down a long street, where the air was full of delicious smells, creamy, nutty smells.
- 3. Looking up at the roof, she spotted a black, yellow, and red flag, and beyond the palace, a big town square.
- 4. A man was stirring chocolate in one of the pots. She approached him, sniffing the delicious smells around her.
- She mixed butter, sugar, chocolate, and almonds and ladled it into small molds to set.
- 6. There's one right down that street. It makes the crunchiest chocolate in town.
- 7. Not only had she tasted Belgian chocolates, but now she knew the recipe for pralines.
- 8. She opened her eyes, and to her astonishment she saw a strange kitchen with a large stove.