

Scholastic Motivation Ministries
International Spelling Bee
Master List

9th -12th

abalone
abdicate
abecedarian
abscissas
absenteeism
abstinence
acceleration
accelerator
accompaniment
acetaminophen
acquiesce
acquiescence
acupuncture
adjudicate
amorphous
ampullaceous
anachronism
anathema
animosity
anonymity
antediluvian
antipyretic
antithetical
aphaeretic
aphorism
apocalyptic
apparatus
appurtenances
assiduous
atrocious
auspicious
auxiliary
avoirduois
baccalaureate
balsamic
banausic
beaucoup
beguiled
benevolent
bereavement
bioluminescent
blasphemous
borborygmus
boudoir
bourgeoisie

buccaneer
burgeon
cadaver
calculate
camouflage
cappuccino
carbohydrate
carcinogen
catastrophe
charisma
choleric
clairvoyant
claustrophobia
clientele
coalition
coincidence
colloquial
commencement
commensurate
commissariat
commissioner
comportment
concurrent
condescending
connoisseur
consanguineous
conscientious
consciousness
constellation
consultant
contemporaneous
contiguous
correspondence
corroboration
debilitate
decaffeinated
delicatessen
delineate
demagogue
depredation
despotism
destination
deteriorating
Deuteronomy
dialogue

differentiate
dilemma
discombobulated
disenfranchise
disseminate
dissonance
distinction
Ecclesiastes
echelon
effervescent
egocentricity
einkorn
eleemosynary
embarrassment
embroidery
enunciate
enunciation
ephemeral
epitome
erudite
esoteric
etiquette
evanescent
exaggeration
exasperation
expediency
expeditionary
expostulation
extenuating
extraterrestrial
facsimile
fibranne
fictitious
figurative
fluorescent
fortuitous
frankincense
fricassee
frigidarium
frondescence
gastronomical
germinal
glockenspiel
grammatically
grandiloquence

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grandiose
hallucination
handkerchief
hazardous
hegemonies
herculean
hindrance
homogenize
hydrodynamics
hypothalamus
hypothetical
ichthyosaur
idiopathic
idiosyncrasy
idiosyncratic
ignominy
immaculate
impeccable
inaccessible
inconvenience
incorrigible
indiscriminate
indoctrinate
infinitesimal
ingurgitate
insecticide
insidious
insufficient
insurmountable
interruption
intractability
introspective
intuition
iontophoresis
irrefragable
irreproachable
irrevocable
judicious
kakistocracy
kinesiology
laborious
labyrinth
lackadaisical
lavalier
legislature
liaison
lugubrious
magnanimous
magnificence

maladroit
malicious
maneuver
mantelpiece
marsupial
metamorphosis
miasma
millennium
mitochondria
momentum
monograph
mononucleosis
multitudinous
narcissistic
nauseous
nebulous
nefarious
neologism
nonagenarian
nonchalance
nostalgia
nuisance
obnoxious
onomatopoeia
oriflamme
panorama
parachute
paraphernalia
parody
parsimonious
patriarch
peculiarities
pediatrician
pejorative
penumbra
pernicious
perspicuous
phenomenal
philanthropist
piscatorial
planetarium
plethora
podiatrist
poignant
poultice
predecessor
preeminent
premonition
prerequisite

proletarian
proliferation
pronunciation
protuberant
psalmody
ptomaine
pulchritude
punctilious
punctuation
querulous
questionnaire
raconteur
raillery
rampageous
recalcitrant
rejuvenate
renaissance
ridiculous
salutatorian
sanctimonious
sauerbraten
scrupulous
serendipitous
silhouette
simulacra
sobriquet
sophomore
spontaneity
staggering
stalactite
stratagem
summons
supposition
surreptitious
sycophantic
tenacious
theogony
therapeutic
tremolo
trichinosis
tripartite
troglodyte
truculence
utilitarianism
valedictorian
ventriloquism
verisimilitude
vigorously
voluptuous