

## American Library Spelling Bee 2018

**Bee Word List** (for students taught primarily in a language other than English)

abolish	dimples	neither	solemn	vapid
aborigine	disease	niece	solitaire	vapor
abracadabra	doze	ninety	soothsayer	vein
abreast	dubious	nostalgia	species	vendor
accuracy	effect	nutmeg	squawk	view
ache	efficiency	oak	strait	visible
acorn	eggplant	occasion	suede	voyage
adhesive	eloquence	onion	sundial	waist
affection	equation	oxymoron	surpass	wavy
aggravate	equidistant	physician	suspense	weaken
aisle	exercise	physicist	swivel	willow
almond	fennel	piranha	sword	wreck
altogether	fir	pistachio	taciturn	xenon
amateur	fleeting	playwright	tadpole	yacht
anonymity	fortitude	poignant	tangle	yeast
apparent	freeze	poise	tease	yelp
arctic	garlic	porridge	thesaurus	yesterday
artichoke	genius	pumpkin	thigh	zeal
astronomy	gentle	punctuation	thyme	zinger
balance	ginger	quagmire	tomatoes	zoom
balderdash	grateful	rapscallion	tomorrow	
balloon	guilty	receipt	tongue	
baseball	haberdashery	recommend	towel	
believe	harvest	rehearse	treason	
boil	hoarse	rescue	tremendous	
bounce	holy	rhythm	turbine	
bridesmaid	hospitality	saintly	turret	
camera	huge	salary	twelfth	
cashew	hypocrite	saline	twine	
castle	jeopardy	sassy	twinge	
chive	juniper	satire	tycoon	
cinnamon	latter	scald	umpire	
clothes	lifeguard	scale	uncomfortable	
coax	loom	scallop	unkempt	
colonel	lovely	scarves	unlace	
concussion	lullaby	scathing	untangle	
cone	maggot	scheme	unzip	
consistent	manor	segregation	uprising	
courtesy	maple	semicolon	uproot	
cranium	measles	several	usage	
cringe	mercator	shepherd	usher	
decent	meticulous	showdown	utmost	
decorum	miscellaneous	simmer	utterly	
defunct	moniker	soar	vaccination	
descent	narrative	socket	vanilla	