



# Scripps National Spelling Bee

## Three Bee Study Words for Eighth Grade 2021-2022

The School Spelling Bee Study List is broken down into three levels of difficulty: One Bee, Two Bee and Three Bee. Three Bee words include words appropriate for seventh and eighth grade.

The list below includes 100 challenging **eighth** grade words. If you learn the spellings and meanings of these words, you will be well prepared for your eighth grade classroom bee. To prepare for a school spelling bee, ask your teacher for the full 450-word School Spelling Bee Study List, which includes these words, the remainder of the Three Bee words, and the One Bee and Two Bee words.

**kimchi <b>OR</b>	menorahs	heirloom
kimchee	renal	mete
pallid	topologically	burgundy
russet	heresy	perdition
brocade	porcine	dispensation
incorrigibles	palpable	congealing
Richter scale	prioress	embroidery
bantlings	padre	mien
coronation	scree	chaplain
resinous	humus	Cantonese
feinted	fortuitous	poultice
herbalist	adduced	impertinent
guarantor	Darwinism	transept
fractious	rhetorical	phenomenal
condescendingly	covenant	throes
mortification	aversion	primordial
semblance	assassinate	moppet

\*\*preferred spelling

vuvuzela  
d'orsay  
justaucorps  
Yom Kippur  
Chelonia  
lachrymose  
bivouac  
Bayreuth  
linsey-woolsey  
coracle  
Bloomsbury  
Chaucerian  
Mantua  
Arapaho **OR**  
Arapahoe  
Kerala  
Des Moines

adzuki  
Wiesbaden  
ducats  
Firenze  
Quasimodo  
quatrains  
fata morgana  
vambrace  
Albion  
abalones  
aquiline  
Edinburgh  
Jains  
Durham  
chandleries  
conurbation  
presidio

allée  
Montmorency  
condyles  
kaddish  
Helvetia  
katabatic  
hawsers  
plastron  
paschal  
repast  
Confucianism  
Carlisle  
ziggurat  
derrick  
bier  
Sioux  
refectory