

Spelling Words – Reach for Reading

**Grade 2**

**Unit 7**

**Week 1**

Words with Prefixes un-, re-, mis-

unsafe

mistreat

Words with Suffixes -y, -ly, -ful

dusty

easily

High Frequency Words

animal

ball

eye

few

food

large

might

move

number

often

More Words

unhurt

rename

misbehave

mighty

softly

graceful

## Week 1

Words with Prefixes un-, re-, mis-

unsafe

It can be **unsafe** to try to tame wild animals.

mistreat

If you **mistreat** an animal, it may attack you.

Words with Suffixes -y, -ly, -ful

dusty

That old dirt road is very **dusty** in summer.

easily

With all the deep holes, you cannot **easily** drive on it.

High Frequency Words

animal

My favorite **animal** at the zoo is the seal.

ball

I saw one balance a big **ball** on its nose.

eye

The seal's **eye** is large, and it has long eyelashes.

few

Our zoo only has a **few** baby seals right now.

food

Of course, the seal's favorite **food** is raw fish.

large

An adult seal is **large**, but an adult sea lion is huge.

might

Walruses **might** be the strangest animal around.

move

They swim well, but they can barely **move** on land.

number

The **number** of sea lions at the zoo is more than ten.

often

You **often** see them just lying in the sun.

More Words

unhurt

He was **unhurt**, although he did fall off the boat.

rename

They may **rename** the boat after his tumble.

misbehave

If you do not **misbehave**, you will not get in trouble.

mighty

A **mighty** wind pushed the sailboat swiftly along.

softly

In a gentle wind, the sail snaps **softly**.

graceful

A sailboat is the most **graceful** kind of boat.

**Week 2**

Words with Vowel Digraphs oo, ea, au, aw

cookie

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High Frequency Words

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More Words

notebook

daughter

rough

tough

saucer

crawl

## Week 2

Words with Vowel Digraphs oo, ea, au, aw

cookie

I see something strange on my **cookie**.

thread

It's a little piece of green cotton **thread**.

fault

Whose **fault** is it that there is something on my snack?

drawing

I ate my snack while I was **drawing** at my desk.

High Frequency Words

along

Something is walking **along** the forest path at night.

change

It is a lizard that can **change** colors.

enough

It is light **enough** in the forest, so I can see the lizard.

head

It is now green from its **head** to its long tail.

own

The lizard can scratch its **own** head with its claws.

pick

I would love to **pick** the lizard up, but I might hurt it.

room

It would be fun to have a pet lizard in my **room**.

small

Oops, the lizard just ran under a **small** log.

sometimes

**Sometimes** it pops its head out to look around.

stay

I think it has decided to **stay** under the log.

More Words

notebook

I will write about different animals in my **notebook**.

daughter

One time I saw a mother fox and her **daughter**.

rough

I also saw a big toad with **rough**, dry skin.

tough

My dog's paws are very **tough** on the bottom.

saucer

Our cat drinks milk out of a little **saucer**.

crawl

Watch me **crawl** on my belly like a snake.

### **Week 3**

Words with Vowel Variant al, all

hallway

almond

Words with Diphthongs oi, oy

join

enjoy

High Frequency Words

close

cry

green

hurt

jump

plant

please

ride

show

sleep

More Words

salty

false

football

destroy

noisy

moist

### Week 3

Words with Vowel Variant al, all

hallway

Let's put a poster for our club in the school **hallway**.

almond

We can give an **almond** to people who sign up.

Words with Diphthongs oi, oy

join

I hope we get many people to **join** our club.

enjoy

People will **enjoy** the club because it is lots of fun.

High Frequency Words

close

**Close** the barn door so the lambs will not get out.

cry

When the mother leaves, the lambs often **cry** for her.

green

The spring grass is soft and **green**.

hurt

It **hurt** when the mother sheep stepped on my foot.

jump

It is fun to watch young lambs **jump** around.

plant

There is almost no **plant** the sheep will not eat.

please

Would you **please** give me that bag of corn?

ride

You can **ride** a horse or a pony, but not a sheep.

show

I will take some lambs to the animal **show** at the fair.

sleep

I am so tired from all this work that I need to **sleep**.

More Words

salty

Popcorn and peanuts are **salty** foods.

false

Don't believe that **false** story about the player.

football

I will eat some snacks at the **football** game.

destroy

I expect our team will **destroy** the other team's lead.

noisy

The crowd gets so **noisy** during games.

moist

My eyes were **moist** after we lost that game.

**Week 4**

Words with ou, ow

count

power

Words with Initial Schwa

ahead

across

High Frequency Words

black

brown

group

high

leave

open

point

soon

study

will

More Words

underground

bounce

crowded

amazing

alone

afraid

#### Week 4

Words with ou, ow

count

Let's **count** how many horses live on this farm.

power

A horse has the **power** to do hard work.

Words with Initial Schwa

ahead

Up **ahead**, I can see some horses pulling a wagon.

across

The farmer is leading the horses **across** the field.

High Frequency Words

black

This little fish has a yellow body and **black** fins.

brown

Another fish is light **brown**, like the sand.

group

Look at all the fish swimming in a big **group**.

high

The water comes up very **high** on the dock.

leave

If we **leave** now, we might miss some interesting fish.

open

That big fish can **open** its mouth very wide.

point

The tail on that fish ends in a sharp **point**.

soon

**Soon**, birds will come to the dock and hunt for fish.

study

I want to **study** animals when I grow up.

will

Maybe I **will** be a scientist.

More Words

underground

What kind of animals live in an **underground** cave?

bounce

In a cave your voice will **bounce** around and make an echo.

crowded

With the whole class in this cave, it is very **crowded**.

amazing

The colors in the cave are just **amazing**!

alone

I'm glad I'm not down in this cave **alone**.

afraid

I might be **afraid** in the dark all by myself.