

Spelling Revision

Spelling 1

(automobile – antioxidant – antiglare – antithesis – autograph – autodidact – autotimer – antiseptic – autobiography – antidote – antimatter – antibody – antibacterial – antiviral – autopilot)

1. An **automobile** is a motor vehicle with wheels, used for transporting passengers or cargo. (What kind of vehicle has an engine and can drive on roads?)
2. An **antioxidant** is a substance that slows down or prevents cell damage. (What molecule helps protect cells from damage?)
3. An **antiglare** coating is applied to a surface to reduce reflection. (What kind of coating reduces glare?)
4. The **antithesis** of kindness is cruelty. (What is the opposite of kindness?)
5. I would love to get an **autograph** from the famous singer. (What is a famous person's signature called?)
6. The airplane can be flown on **autopilot** which means it doesn't need a human pilot all the time. (What system allows a plane to fly without constant human control?)
7. She is an **autodidact** meaning she learned many things by herself without formal education. (What do you call someone who is self-taught?)
8. This camera has a built-in **autotimer** which allows you to take a picture after a set delay. (What function on a camera allows you to set a timer for taking a picture?)
9. **Antiseptic** solution is used to clean and disinfect wounds. (What kind of solution helps prevent infection?)
10. Her **autobiography** tells the story of her life. (What kind of writing tells the story of a person's life written by themselves?)
11. An **antidote** is a substance that counteracts a poison. (What can be used to reverse the effects of poison?)
12. **Antimatter** is the opposite of matter and can cause a massive explosion when they come into contact. (What is the opposite form of matter?)
13. An **antibody** is a protein produced by the immune system to fight off infection. (What does your body produce to fight germs?)
14. **Antibacterial** soap helps kill bacteria. (What kind of soap kills bacteria?)
15. **Antibacterial** medication is used to treat or prevent viruses. (What kind of medicine fights viruses?)

Spelling 2

The School Play Mishap

Ten-year-old Maya was practicing her lines for the school play. It was a silly story about a group of mischievous mice who take over a bakery. Maya played the head chef, a very strict woman named Madame Fromage.

Suddenly, a loud crash echoed through the hall. The old stage lights, which everyone knew were a bit **hazardous** had finally given way! The room plunged into darkness. Panic erupted, but Maya, ever the quick thinker, grabbed her **spacious** basket overflowing with fresh bread rolls.

Thinking fast, Maya started tossing the rolls around the room, yelling out in her best Madame Fromage voice, "Catch the rogue baguettes, my brave bakers!" The other kids, initially startled, quickly caught on to the **spontaneous** game. Laughter filled the room as they dodged and chased after the flying bread.

Even though the play was **obviously** ruined, the **vigorous** game of "Catch the Baguette" turned into a hilarious moment they would all remember. It was a **momentous** occasion, not because of the play, but because of the unexpected fun they had together.

The next day, the principal announced a contest for the best **anonymous** story about the school play. Maya, still chuckling about the **outrageous** events, secretly wrote a story about the mischievous baguettes and the **envious** stage lights.

The story, filled with **humorous** details, won first prize! Maya's quick thinking and the **contagious** laughter turned a potential disaster into a **prosperous** memory.

Read the following comprehension and answer the questions

1. What word means unplanned?

Spontaneous

2. What word means funny?

Humorous

3. What word means easily spread?

Contagious

4. What word means without a name?

Anonymous

5. What word means successful?

Prosperous

6. What word means jealous?

Envious

7. What word means shocking or unbelievable?

Outrageous

8. What word means dangerous?

Hazardous

9. What word means big and roomy?

Spacious

10. What word means clear or easy to see?

Obvious

11. What word means very important?

Momentous

12. What word means full of energy?

Vigorous

Fill in the blanks with these sentences

(ridiculous - miraculous - mischievous - contagious - anonymous)

1. The clown's act was so silly and over-the-top, it was almost **ridiculous** (Can you think of another word that means something is **absurd** or **unbelievable**?)
2. The doctor called her recovery **miraculous** (What word means something amazing or **extremely lucky**?)
3. The little boy with **mischievous** a grin kept hiding his sister's shoes. (What word describes someone who is **playful** and **likes to cause trouble**?)
4. Her laughter was so **contagious** it made everyone around her smile. (What word means something that can be easily **spread** from person to person, like a feeling or illness?)
5. The secret admirer sent love letters. (What word means something with **no name** attached?) **anonymous**