Commonly Misspelled Words With Correction Practice

Student answer sheet

Name _____ Date _____

Listen to the reader. Write one spelling on each numbered line.

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After checking, circle the two spellings you want to try again.

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1. necessary

Required for a particular purpose.

A warm jacket is necessary for our winter hike.

2. occasion

A particular event or time.

We baked a lemon cake for the occasion.

3. accommodate

To make enough room for someone or something.

The new rack can accommodate six bicycles.

4. embarrass

To make someone feel awkward or self-conscious.

An unexpected solo can embarrass a shy singer.

5. recommend

To suggest something as a good choice.

I recommend the trail beside the creek.

6. definitely

Without any doubt.

The old map definitely shows a bridge here.

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7. separate

To place things apart from one another.

Please separate the glass jars from the paper bags.

8. calendar

A chart that organizes the days of the year.

Nora circled the concert date on her calendar.

9. privilege

A special right or opportunity.

Choosing the first story was a privilege for the birthday child.

10. cemetery

A place set aside for burying people who have died.

A stone wall surrounds the old cemetery.

11. tomorrow

The day after today.

We will plant the bean seeds tomorrow.

12. beginning

The first part of something.

A single drumbeat marked the beginning of the show.

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13. truly

In an honest or genuine way.

I truly enjoyed your story about the comet.

14. argument

A reason or set of reasons offered in support of a point.

Tara gave a convincing argument for a longer lunch break.

15. surprise

Something unexpected.

The tiny mural behind the door was a surprise.

16. rhythm

A pattern of beats or sounds.

The drummer tapped a steady rhythm on the table.