

Year 5 and 6 spelling flashcards

Cut each card along its outer border. Fold along the dotted middle line, with the text facing out.

1. THINK FIRST

The hotel can ____ two hundred guests.

TURN TO CHECK

accommodate

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The hotel can accommodate two hundred guests.

2. THINK FIRST

Will you ____ me to the shop?

TURN TO CHECK

accompany

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Will you accompany me to the shop?

3. THINK FIRST

____ to the map, the castle is just over the hill.

TURN TO CHECK

according

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

According to the map, the castle is just over the hill.

4. THINK FIRST

If you practise every day, you will ____ your goal.

TURN TO CHECK

achieve

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

If you practise every day, you will achieve your goal.

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5. THINK FIRST

The goose became ____ when we went near its nest.

TURN TO CHECK

aggressive

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The goose became aggressive when we went near its nest.

6. THINK FIRST

My uncle is an ____ footballer who plays at weekends.

TURN TO CHECK

amateur

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

My uncle is an amateur footballer who plays at weekends.

7. THINK FIRST

The ____ Egyptians built huge pyramids.

TURN TO CHECK

ancient

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The ancient Egyptians built huge pyramids.

8. THINK FIRST

It was ____ that the dog had eaten my homework.

TURN TO CHECK

apparent

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

It was apparent that the dog had eaten my homework.

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9. THINK FIRST

I ____ your help with the washing up.

TURN TO CHECK

appreciate

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I appreciate your help with the washing up.

10. THINK FIRST

A label was ____ to the present.

TURN TO CHECK

attached

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

A label was attached to the present.

11. THINK FIRST

Tickets for the show are ____ at the door.

TURN TO CHECK

available

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Tickets for the show are available at the door.

12. THINK FIRST

The ____ temperature in London in July is about 19 degrees.

TURN TO CHECK

average

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The average temperature in London in July is about 19 degrees.

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13. THINK FIRST

There was an ____ silence after the joke.

TURN TO CHECK

awkward

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

There was an awkward silence after the joke.

14. THINK FIRST

The jumper was a ____ at half price.

TURN TO CHECK

bargain

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The jumper was a bargain at half price.

15. THINK FIRST

I got a ____ on my knee when I fell off my scooter.

TURN TO CHECK

bruise

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I got a bruise on my knee when I fell off my scooter.

16. THINK FIRST

Sort the animals into the right ____.

TURN TO CHECK

category

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Sort the animals into the right category.

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17. THINK FIRST

The old church has a ____ full of mossy stones.

TURN TO CHECK

cemetery

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The old church has a cemetery full of mossy stones.

18. THINK FIRST

The school council is a ____ of pupils.

TURN TO CHECK

committee

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The school council is a committee of pupils.

19. THINK FIRST

Dolphins ____ using clicks and whistles.

TURN TO CHECK

communicate

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Dolphins communicate using clicks and whistles.

20. THINK FIRST

Our ____ planted trees in the park.

TURN TO CHECK

community

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Our community planted trees in the park.

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21. THINK FIRST

Our class won the poetry ____.

TURN TO CHECK

competition

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Our class won the poetry competition.

22. THINK FIRST

My ____ told me to own up about the broken vase.

TURN TO CHECK

conscience

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

My conscience told me to own up about the broken vase.

23. THINK FIRST

I was ____ of everyone looking at me.

TURN TO CHECK

conscious

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I was conscious of everyone looking at me.

24. THINK FIRST

There was a ____ about the referee's decision.

TURN TO CHECK

controversy

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

There was a controversy about the referee's decision.

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25. THINK FIRST

For _____, we keep the torch by the back door.

TURN TO CHECK

convenience

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

For convenience, we keep the torch by the back door.

26. THINK FIRST

I _____ with a pen pal who lives in France.

TURN TO CHECK

correspond

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I correspond with a pen pal who lives in France.

27. THINK FIRST

It is unkind to _____ someone for trying.

TURN TO CHECK

criticise

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

It is unkind to criticise someone for trying.

28. THINK FIRST

_____ made me open the mysterious box.

TURN TO CHECK

curiosity

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Curiosity made me open the mysterious box.

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29. THINK FIRST

We need a ____ answer by Friday.

TURN TO CHECK

definite

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

We need a definite answer by Friday.

30. THINK FIRST

The ____ climbers waited for the storm to pass.

TURN TO CHECK

desperate

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The desperate climbers waited for the storm to pass.

31. THINK FIRST

She was ____ to finish the race.

TURN TO CHECK

determined

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

She was determined to finish the race.

32. THINK FIRST

Tadpoles ____ into frogs.

TURN TO CHECK

develop

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Tadpoles develop into frogs.

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33. THINK FIRST

Look up the word in a ____.

TURN TO CHECK

dictionary

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Look up the word in a dictionary.

34. THINK FIRST

The cake was a ____ mess when it came out of the oven.

TURN TO CHECK

disastrous

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The cake was a disastrous mess when it came out of the oven.

35. THINK FIRST

Please do not ____ me in front of my friends.

TURN TO CHECK

embarrass

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Please do not embarrass me in front of my friends.

36. THINK FIRST

We should look after the ____.

TURN TO CHECK

environment

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

We should look after the environment.

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37. THINK FIRST

We will ____ the team with new shirts.

TURN TO CHECK

equip

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

We will equip the team with new shirts.

38. THINK FIRST

The explorers were ____ with maps and torches.

TURN TO CHECK

equipped

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The explorers were equipped with maps and torches.

39. THINK FIRST

Put the PE ____ back in the cupboard.

TURN TO CHECK

equipment

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Put the PE equipment back in the cupboard.

40. THINK FIRST

I love all fruit, ____ strawberries.

TURN TO CHECK

especially

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I love all fruit, especially strawberries.

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41. THINK FIRST

Do not ____: the fish was not as big as a shark.

TURN TO CHECK

exaggerate

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Do not exaggerate: the fish was not as big as a shark.

42. THINK FIRST

Your story was ____.

TURN TO CHECK

excellent

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Your story was excellent.

43. THINK FIRST

People argue about the ____ of the Loch Ness monster.

TURN TO CHECK

existence

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

People argue about the existence of the Loch Ness monster.

44. THINK FIRST

The teacher gave a clear ____ of the rules.

TURN TO CHECK

explanation

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The teacher gave a clear explanation of the rules.

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45. THINK FIRST

The street looked ____, but I could not remember why.

TURN TO CHECK

familiar

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The street looked familiar, but I could not remember why.

46. THINK FIRST

Learning a ____ language is fun.

TURN TO CHECK

foreign

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Learning a foreign language is fun.

47. THINK FIRST

There are ____ children in the choir.

TURN TO CHECK

forty

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

There are forty children in the choir.

48. THINK FIRST

Trains to the city run ____.

TURN TO CHECK

frequently

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Trains to the city run frequently.

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49. THINK FIRST

The ____ makes laws for the country.

TURN TO CHECK

government

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The government makes laws for the country.

50. THINK FIRST

I ____ you will love this book.

TURN TO CHECK

guarantee

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I guarantee you will love this book.

51. THINK FIRST

It is wrong to ____ other people online.

TURN TO CHECK

harass

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

It is wrong to harass other people online.

52. THINK FIRST

The heavy bag was a ____ on the long walk.

TURN TO CHECK

hindrance

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The heavy bag was a hindrance on the long walk.

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53. THINK FIRST

The spy kept her real ____ a secret.

TURN TO CHECK

identity

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The spy kept her real identity a secret.

54. THINK FIRST

The fire alarm needs an ____ response.

TURN TO CHECK

immediate

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The fire alarm needs an immediate response.

55. THINK FIRST

Come inside ____ because it is starting to pour.

TURN TO CHECK

immediately

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Come inside immediately because it is starting to pour.

56. THINK FIRST

Each ____ in the team has a job to do.

TURN TO CHECK

individual

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Each individual in the team has a job to do.

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57. THINK FIRST

Please do not ____ while I am concentrating.

TURN TO CHECK

interfere

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Please do not interfere while I am concentrating.

58. THINK FIRST

It is rude to ____ when someone is talking.

TURN TO CHECK

interrupt

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

It is rude to interrupt when someone is talking.

59. THINK FIRST

Welsh is a ____ spoken in Wales.

TURN TO CHECK

language

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Welsh is a language spoken in Wales.

60. THINK FIRST

Swimming is my favourite ____ activity.

TURN TO CHECK

leisure

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Swimming is my favourite leisure activity.

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61. THINK FIRST

A flash of ____ lit up the sky.

TURN TO CHECK

lightning

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

A flash of lightning lit up the sky.

62. THINK FIRST

We had a ____ day at the seaside.

TURN TO CHECK

marvellous

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

We had a marvellous day at the seaside.

63. THINK FIRST

The ____ kitten knocked the pens off the desk.

TURN TO CHECK

mischievous

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The mischievous kitten knocked the pens off the desk.

64. THINK FIRST

Your heart is a ____ that never stops working.

TURN TO CHECK

muscle

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Your heart is a muscle that never stops working.

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65. THINK FIRST

It is ____ to wear a helmet when you ride a bike.

TURN TO CHECK

necessary

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

It is necessary to wear a helmet when you ride a bike.

66. THINK FIRST

Our ____ looks after our cat when we are away.

TURN TO CHECK

neighbour

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Our neighbour looks after our cat when we are away.

67. THINK FIRST

The wasp was a ____ at our picnic.

TURN TO CHECK

nuisance

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The wasp was a nuisance at our picnic.

68. THINK FIRST

Board games ____ us on rainy days.

TURN TO CHECK

occupy

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Board games occupy us on rainy days.

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69. THINK FIRST

Big earthquakes rarely ____ in Britain.

TURN TO CHECK

occur

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Big earthquakes rarely occur in Britain.

70. THINK FIRST

The trip is a great ____ to see real penguins.

TURN TO CHECK

opportunity

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The trip is a great opportunity to see real penguins.

71. THINK FIRST

____ meets in London to discuss new laws.

TURN TO CHECK

parliament

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Parliament meets in London to discuss new laws.

72. THINK FIRST

Can you ____ your dad to let us stay up late?

TURN TO CHECK

persuade

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Can you persuade your dad to let us stay up late?

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73. THINK FIRST

Football is a very ____ game.

TURN TO CHECK

physical

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Football is a very physical game.

74. THINK FIRST

It is wrong to treat people with ____.

TURN TO CHECK

prejudice

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

It is wrong to treat people with prejudice.

75. THINK FIRST

It was a ____ to meet the author.

TURN TO CHECK

privilege

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

It was a privilege to meet the author.

76. THINK FIRST

Teaching is a rewarding ____.

TURN TO CHECK

profession

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Teaching is a rewarding profession.

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77. THINK FIRST

My favourite ____ is on at six o'clock.

TURN TO CHECK

programme

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

My favourite programme is on at six o'clock.

78. THINK FIRST

The ____ of some Welsh words is tricky.

TURN TO CHECK

pronunciation

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The pronunciation of some Welsh words is tricky.

79. THINK FIRST

We waited in a long ____ for the rollercoaster.

TURN TO CHECK

queue

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

We waited in a long queue for the rollercoaster.

80. THINK FIRST

I did not ____ you with your new haircut.

TURN TO CHECK

recognise

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I did not recognise you with your new haircut.

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81. THINK FIRST

I ____ the chocolate cake.

TURN TO CHECK

recommend

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I recommend the chocolate cake.

82. THINK FIRST

Only include facts that are ____
to the question.

TURN TO CHECK

relevant

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Only include facts that are relevant to the question.

83. THINK FIRST

We went to an Italian ____ for my
birthday.

TURN TO CHECK

restaurant

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

We went to an Italian restaurant for my birthday.

84. THINK FIRST

Cat and hat ____ with each
other.

TURN TO CHECK

rhyme

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Cat and hat rhyme with each other.

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85. THINK FIRST

Clap your hands to the ____ of the song.

TURN TO CHECK

rhythm

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Clap your hands to the rhythm of the song.

86. THINK FIRST

The knight made a ____ to save his friends.

TURN TO CHECK

sacrifice

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The knight made a sacrifice to save his friends.

87. THINK FIRST

The school ____ answered the phone.

TURN TO CHECK

secretary

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The school secretary answered the phone.

88. THINK FIRST

The parrot sat on the pirate's ____.

TURN TO CHECK

shoulder

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The parrot sat on the pirate's shoulder.

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89. THINK FIRST

Write your _____ at the bottom of the letter.

TURN TO CHECK

signature

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Write your signature at the bottom of the letter.

90. THINK FIRST

She gave a _____ apology.

TURN TO CHECK

sincere

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

She gave a sincere apology.

91. THINK FIRST

I _____ hope you feel better soon.

TURN TO CHECK

sincerely

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I sincerely hope you feel better soon.

92. THINK FIRST

The toy _____ stood guard by the castle.

TURN TO CHECK

soldier

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The toy soldier stood guard by the castle.

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93. THINK FIRST

My ____ rumbled before lunch.

TURN TO CHECK

stomach

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

My stomach rumbled before lunch.

94. THINK FIRST

We have ____ food for the whole trip.

TURN TO CHECK

sufficient

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

We have sufficient food for the whole trip.

95. THINK FIRST

I ____ we take an umbrella.

TURN TO CHECK

suggest

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

I suggest we take an umbrella.

96. THINK FIRST

The dove is a ____ of peace.

TURN TO CHECK

symbol

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The dove is a symbol of peace.

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97. THINK FIRST

The solar ____ has eight planets.

TURN TO CHECK

system

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The solar system has eight planets.

98. THINK FIRST

The ____ dropped below freezing last night.

TURN TO CHECK

temperature

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The temperature dropped below freezing last night.

99. THINK FIRST

Give the car a ____ wash, inside and out.

TURN TO CHECK

thorough

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Give the car a thorough wash, inside and out.

100. THINK FIRST

Today is my brother's ____ birthday.

TURN TO CHECK

twelfth

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

Today is my brother's twelfth birthday.

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101. THINK FIRST

The shop sells a ____ of sweets.

TURN TO CHECK

variety

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

The shop sells a variety of sweets.

102. THINK FIRST

A carrot is my favourite ____.

TURN TO CHECK

vegetable

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

A carrot is my favourite vegetable.

103. THINK FIRST

A fire engine is an emergency
_____.

TURN TO CHECK

vehicle

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

A fire engine is an emergency vehicle.

104. THINK FIRST

A white ____ sailed across the
bay.

TURN TO CHECK

yacht

Ask someone to read the whole sentence aloud. Write the missing word, then check each letter.

A white yacht sailed across the bay.