

Spelling Words and Sentences

List D-1: /ă/ and /ě/



1. package When the package arrived, Danny hurried to open it.
2. meant Kaylee really meant it when she said she was sorry.
3. rapid The river is moving at a rapid pace, so you'd better not get too close.
4. taxes As an adult you will be responsible for paying taxes.
5. shelf Beth took one of the board games off the shelf to play with her family.
6. eggplant Aunt Linda used an eggplant from her garden for tonight's dinner.
7. alligator I saw an alligator sitting out on the golf course last Saturday!
8. spend Our neighbors spend three weeks at the seashore every August.
9. festive Those balloons and colorful streamers make the room look festive for the party.
10. special This year's Christmas celebration is going to be very special.
11. bandage The nurse carefully wrapped a bandage around his injured finger.
12. attitude If you have a positive attitude, the challenges you face will not seem so bad.
13. elephant The baby elephant at the zoo stayed close to its mother.
14. camper Gregory helped his dad hook the camper up to the back of the truck.
15. measure How do you measure success?
16. nonsense I am not sure what that speech was about, but it sounded like a lot of nonsense to me.
17. scrap Please write the phone number on this scrap of paper.
18. dwell Stephen tries not to dwell on negative thoughts.
19. activity We are going to learn a new flashcard activity in math class today.
20. enter You cannot enter the park until 10 o'clock in the morning.

Review Words

21. began Henry began a new chapter book for his summer reading assignment.
22. ramp The ramp will make it easier to move that heavy furniture into the moving truck.
23. edit Would you please look at this letter I wrote and edit any mistakes that you find?

Challenge Words

24. except How could you invite everyone in the class to your birthday party except him?
25. absence His absence from the meeting did not help him win the favor of his supervisor.