

**Main Criteria:** Spelling Classroom  
**Secondary Criteria:** Rhode Island World-Class Standards  
**Subject:** Language Arts  
**Grades:** 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

## Spelling Classroom

**Flash Cards**  
 Summary: Words with definitions on the flip side.

**Rhode Island World-Class Standards**  
**Language Arts**  
 Grade 1 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.RF.1.</b>  | <b>Reading Standards: Foundational Skills</b>                                                                        |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                  | <b>Phonics and Word Recognition</b>                                                                                  |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>RF.1.3.</b>   | Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.                                       |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>RF.1.3(g)</b> | Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.                                                      |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.1.</b>   | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                  | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                               |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.1.2.</b>    | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.   |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.1.2(d)</b>  | Use conventional spelling for words with common spelling patterns and for frequently occurring irregular words.      |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.1.2(e)</b>  | Spell untaught words phonetically, drawing on phonemic awareness and spelling conventions.                           |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.1.</b>   | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                  | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.1.5.</b>    | With guidance and support from adults, demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings. |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.1.5(c)</b>  | Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., note places at home that are cozy).                |

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**Language Arts**  
 Grade 2 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.2.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                          |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                 | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                             |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.2.2.</b>   | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.2.2(d)</b> | Generalize learned spelling patterns when writing words (e.g., cage-->badge; boy-->boil).                          |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.2.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                          |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                 | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                              |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.2.5.</b>   | Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.                                      |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.2.5(a)</b> | Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe foods that are spicy or juicy).         |

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**Language Arts**  
Grade 3 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.RF.3.</b>  | <b>Reading Standards: Foundational Skills</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                  | <b>Phonics and Word Recognition</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>RF.3.3.</b>   | <b>Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.</b>                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>RF.3.3(d)</b> | <b>Read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.3.</b>   | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                  | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.3.2.</b>    | <b>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</b>                                                                                                                             |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.3.2(e)</b>  | <b>Use conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding suffixes to base words (e.g., sitting, smiled, cries, happiness).</b>                                                                                          |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.3.2(f)</b>  | <b>Use spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts) in writing words.</b>                                                                            |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.3.</b>   | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                  | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.3.5.</b>    | <b>Demonstrate understanding of word relationships and nuances in word meanings.</b>                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.3.5(b)</b>  | <b>Identify real-life connections between words and their use (e.g., describe people who are friendly or helpful).</b>                                                                                                                                |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.3.</b>   | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                  | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.3.6.</b>    | <b>Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate conversational, general academic, and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal spatial and temporal relationships (e.g., After dinner that night we went looking for them).</b> |

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**Language Arts**  
Grade 4 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.4.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                 | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.4.2.</b>   | <b>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.4.2(d)</b> | <b>Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.4.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                 | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.4.6.</b>   | <b>Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal precise actions, emotions, or states of being (e.g., quizzed, whined, stammered) and that are basic to a particular topic (e.g., wildlife, conservation, and endangered when discussing animal preservation).</b> |

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**Language Arts**  
Grade 5 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.5.</b> | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                         |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                            |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.5.2.</b>  | <b>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization,</b> |

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|                                 |          | punctuation, and spelling when writing.                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| SPECIFIC INDICATOR              | L.5.2(e) | Spell grade-appropriate words correctly, consulting references as needed.                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| DOMAIN                          | RI.L.5.  | Language Standards                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE |          | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| GSE STEM                        | L.5.6.   | Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, including those that signal contrast, addition, and other logical relationships (e.g., however, although, nevertheless, similarly, moreover, in addition). |

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Grade 6 - Adopted: 2010

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| DOMAIN                          | RI.L.6.  | Language Standards                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE |          | Conventions of Standard English                                                                                                                                                                              |
| GSE STEM                        | L.6.2.   | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.                                                                                           |
| SPECIFIC INDICATOR              | L.6.2(b) | Spell correctly.                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| DOMAIN                          | RI.L.6.  | Language Standards                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE |          | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use                                                                                                                                                                               |
| GSE STEM                        | L.6.6.   | Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression. |

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Grade 7 - Adopted: 2010

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| DOMAIN                          | RI.L.7.  | Language Standards                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE |          | Conventions of Standard English                                                                                                                                                                              |
| GSE STEM                        | L.7.2.   | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.                                                                                           |
| SPECIFIC INDICATOR              | L.7.2(b) | Spell correctly.                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| DOMAIN                          | RI.L.7.  | Language Standards                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE |          | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use                                                                                                                                                                               |
| GSE STEM                        | L.7.6.   | Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression. |

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Grade 8 - Adopted: 2010

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| DOMAIN                          | RI.L.8.  | Language Standards                                                                                                 |
| STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE |          | Conventions of Standard English                                                                                    |
| GSE STEM                        | L.8.2.   | Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing. |
| SPECIFIC INDICATOR              | L.8.2(c) | Spell correctly.                                                                                                   |
| DOMAIN                          | RI.L.8.  | Language Standards                                                                                                 |
| STATEMENT OF                    |          | Vocabulary Acquisition and Use                                                                                     |

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| <b>ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>           | <b>L.8.6.</b> | <b>Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.</b> |

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Grade 9 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.9-10.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                    | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.9-10.2.</b>   | <b>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.9-10.2(c)</b> | <b>Spell correctly.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.9-10.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                    | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.9-10.6.</b>   | <b>Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.</b> |

### Rhode Island World-Class Standards

#### Language Arts

Grade 10 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.9-10.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                    | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.9-10.2.</b>   | <b>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.9-10.2(c)</b> | <b>Spell correctly.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.9-10.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                    | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.9-10.6.</b>   | <b>Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.</b> |

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Grade 11 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.11-12.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                 |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                     | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                                    |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.11-12.2.</b>   | <b>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</b> |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.11-12.2(b)</b> | <b>Spell correctly.</b>                                                                                                   |

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.11-12.</b> | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                    | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.11-12.6.</b>  | <b>Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.</b> |

### Rhode Island World-Class Standards

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Grade 12 - Adopted: 2010

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| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.11-12.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                     | <b>Conventions of Standard English</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.11-12.2.</b>   | <b>Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>SPECIFIC INDICATOR</b>              | <b>L.11-12.2(b)</b> | <b>Spell correctly.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>DOMAIN</b>                          | <b>RI.L.11-12.</b>  | <b>Language Standards</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE</b> |                     | <b>Vocabulary Acquisition and Use</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>GSE STEM</b>                        | <b>L.11-12.6.</b>   | <b>Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.</b> |