

Main Criteria: Spelling Classroom
Secondary Criteria: Indiana Academic Standards
Subject: Language Arts
Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

Spelling Classroom

Word Introduction

Summary: Words are pronounced and introduced in a contextual setting.

Indiana Academic Standards
Language Arts
Grade 1 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Foundations
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Phonics
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	1.RF.4.4	Recognize and read common and irregularly spelled high-frequency words by sight (e.g., have, said).
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	1.RV.1	Use words, phrases, and strategies acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to literature and nonfiction texts to build and apply vocabulary.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	1.RV.2.1	Demonstrate understanding that context clues (e.g., words and sentence clues) and text features (e.g., glossaries, illustrations) may be used to help understand unknown words.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	1.RV.2.2	Define and sort words into categories (e.g., antonyms, living things, synonyms).
STANDARD / STRAND		WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English: Grammar and Usage/ Capitalization, Punctuation, and Spelling
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	1.W.6.2	Demonstrate command of capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, focusing on:
INDICATOR	1.W.6.2c	Spelling – Spelling unknown words phonetically, drawing on phonemic awareness and spelling conventions; Correctly spelling words with common spelling patterns; Correctly spelling common irregularly-spelled, grade-appropriate high-frequency words.

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Grade 2 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD /		READING
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STRAND		
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	2.RV.1	Use words, phrases, and strategies acquired through conversations, reading and being read to, and responding to literature and nonfiction texts to build and apply vocabulary.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	2.RV.2.1	Use context clues (e.g., words and sentence clues) and text features (e.g., table of contents, headings) to determine the meanings of unknown words.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	2.RV.2.2	Identify relationships among words, including common synonyms and antonyms, and simple multiple-meaning words (e.g., change, duck).
STANDARD / STRAND		WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English: Grammar and Usage/ Capitalization, Punctuation, and Spelling
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	2.W.6.2	Demonstrate command of capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, focusing on:
INDICATOR	2.W.6.2c	Spelling – Correctly spelling words with short and long vowel sounds, r-controlled vowels, and consonant-blend patterns; Generalizing learned spelling patterns (e.g., word families) when writing words; Correctly spelling common irregularly-spelled grade-appropriate high frequency words.

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Grade 3 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	3.RV.1	Build and use accurately conversational, general academic, and content-specific words and phrases.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	3.RV.2.1	Apply context clues (e.g., word, phrase, and sentence clues) and text features (e.g., maps, illustrations, charts) to determine the meanings of unknown words.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	3.RV.2.2	Identify relationships among words, including synonyms, antonyms, homographs, homonyms, and multiple-meaning words (e.g., puzzle, fire).
STANDARD / STRAND		WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English: Grammar and Usage/ Capitalization, Punctuation, and Spelling

EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	3.W.6.2	Demonstrate command of capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, focusing on:
INDICATOR	3.W.6.2c	Spelling – Using conventional spelling for high-frequency and other studied words and for adding affixes to base words; Using spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts, homophones/ homographs) when writing.

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Grade 4 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	4.RV.2.1	Apply context clues (e.g., word, phrase, sentence, and paragraph clues) and text features (e.g., charts, headings/subheadings, font/format) to determine the meanings of unknown words.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	4.RV.2.2	Identify relationships among words, including more complex homographs, homonyms, synonyms, antonyms, and multiple meanings.
STANDARD / STRAND		WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English: Grammar and Usage/ Capitalization, Punctuation, and Spelling
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	4.W.6.2	Demonstrate command of capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, focusing on:
INDICATOR	4.W.6.2c	Spelling – Using spelling patterns and generalizations (e.g., word families, position-based spellings, syllable patterns, ending rules, meaningful word parts, homophones/homographs) in writing single and multi-syllable words.

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Grade 5 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	5.RV.1	Build and use accurately general academic and content-specific words and phrases.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	5.RV.2.1	Select and apply context clues (e.g., word, phrase, sentence, and paragraph clues) and text features to determine the meanings of unknown words.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	5.RV.2.2	Identify relationships among words, including multiple meanings, synonyms and antonyms, homographs, metaphors, similes, and analogies.
STANDARD / STRAND		WRITING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		WRITING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Conventions of Standard English: Grammar and Usage/ Capitalization, Punctuation,

STANDARD		and Spelling
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	5.W.6.2	Demonstrate command of capitalization, punctuation, and spelling, focusing on:
INDICATOR	5.W.6.2c	Spelling – Applying correct spelling patterns and generalizations in writing.

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Grade 6 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	6.RV.1	Acquire and use accurately grade-level appropriate general academic and content-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	6.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.

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Grade 7 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.1	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and content-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.RV.2.2	Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonym/antonym, analogy) to better understand each of the words.
STANDARD / STRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	7.SL.4.1	Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, details, and examples; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.

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Grade 8 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	8.RV.1	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and content-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	8.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary in Literature and Nonfiction Texts
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	8.RV.3.1	Analyze the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in works of literature, including figurative and connotative meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts.
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	8.RV.3.2	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a nonfiction text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; analyze the impact of specific word choices on meaning and tone, including analogies or allusions to other texts.
STANDARD / STRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		SPEAKING AND LISTENING
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	8.SL.4.1	Present claims and findings, emphasizing salient points in a focused, coherent manner with relevant evidence, sound valid reasoning, and well-chosen details; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.

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Grade 9 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	9-10.RV.1	Acquire and use accurately general academic and content-specific words and phrases at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary

STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	9-10.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary in Literature and Nonfiction Texts
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	9-10.RV.3.2	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a nonfiction text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; evaluate the effectiveness of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).

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Grade 10 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	9-10.RV.1	Acquire and use accurately general academic and content-specific words and phrases at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	9-10.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary in Literature and Nonfiction Texts
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	9-10.RV.3.2	Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a nonfiction text, including figurative, connotative, and technical meanings; evaluate the effectiveness of specific word choices on meaning and tone (e.g., how the language of a court opinion differs from that of a newspaper).

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Grade 11 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION /	11-	Acquire and use accurately general academic and content-specific words and

INDICATOR	12.RV.1	phrases at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	11-12.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.

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Grade 12 - Adopted: 2014/Updated 2017

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Learning Outcome
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	11-12.RV.1	Acquire and use accurately general academic and content-specific words and phrases at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.

STANDARD / STRAND		READING
PROFICIENCY STATEMENT / SUBSTRAND		READING: Vocabulary
INDICATOR / STANDARD		Vocabulary Building
EXPECTATION / INDICATOR	11-12.RV.2.1	Use context to determine or clarify the meaning of words and phrases.