

100 Most Commonly Misspelled Words in English

A free Australian English spelling list by Maher Itani. Practise the complete list in ten online packs, or visit the [Master English Spelling Centre](#) for IELTS and PTE spelling practice.

Pack 1: Words 1–10

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
1	accommodation	accomodation
2	acknowledge	acknowlege
3	achievement	acheivement
4	address	adress
5	appearance	appearence
6	argument	arguement
7	atheist	athiest
8	beautiful	beautifull
9	beginning	begining
10	believe	beleive

Pack 2: Words 11–20

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
11	bizarre	bizzare
12	business	buisness
13	calendar	calender
14	column	collumn
15	comfortable	comfortible
16	committee	comittee
17	conscience	concience
18	convenient	convinient
19	correspondence	correspondance
20	curiosity	curiously

Pack 3: Words 21–30

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
21	deceive	decieve
22	definitely	definately
23	desperate	desparate
24	dilemma	dilemna
25	discipline	disipline
26	eighth	eigth
27	embarrassment	embarassment
28	environment	enviroment
29	exaggerate	exagerate
30	excitement	excitment

Pack 4: Words 31–40

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
31	exercise	excersise
32	existence	existance
33	experience	experiance
34	failure	failiure
35	fascinate	facinate
36	February	Febuary
37	finally	finaly
38	fluorescent	florescent
39	foreign	foriegn
40	forty	fourty

Pack 5: Words 41–50

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
41	friend	freind
42	grammar	grammer
43	guarantee	guarentee
44	government	goverment
45	harass	harrass
46	height	heigth
47	humorous	humourous
48	hypocrisy	hipocrisy
49	immediately	imediately
50	independent	independant

Pack 6: Words 51–60

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
51	interrupt	interupt
52	jewellery	jewelery
53	knowledge	knowlege
54	knowledgeable	knowledgable
55	language	langauge
56	library	libary
57	maintenance	maintainance
58	manoeuvre	manouver
59	millennium	millenium
60	miniature	miniture

Pack 7: Words 61–70

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
61	mischievous	mischievious
62	narrative	narative
63	necessary	neccessary
64	noticeable	noticable
65	occasion	ocassion
66	occurrence	occurence
67	opinion	opinon
68	opportunity	oppurtunity
69	parallel	parrallel
70	perseverance	perserverance

Pack 8: Words 71–80

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
71	persuade	perswade
72	possession	posession
73	preferred	prefered
74	privilege	priviledge
75	pronunciation	pronounciation
76	questionnaire	questionaire
77	receipt	reciept
78	receive	recieve
79	recommend	reccomend
80	restaurant	restaraunt

Pack 9: Words 81–90

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
81	rhythm	rythm
82	schedule	scedule
83	separate	seperate
84	sincerely	sincerly
85	successful	sucessful
86	surprise	suprise
87	temperature	temprature
88	temporary	temparary
89	thorough	thourough
90	thoughtful	thoughtfull

Pack 10: Words 91–100

No.	Correct spelling	Common error
91	tomorrow	tommorow
92	tragedy	tradgedy
93	tranquillity	tranqillity
94	until	untill
95	vacuum	vaccuum
96	vocabulary	vocabualry
97	Wednesday	Wensday
98	weird	wierd
99	whether	wheather
100	withhold	withold