

No Excuse Spelling Words

No Excuse Spelling Words are those words that students are expected to master in all aspects of their everyday writing at each grade level. All prior lists should be practiced at subsequent grade levels. These word lists are intended to be only one component of a comprehensive Word Study Program.

These grade level No Excuse Spelling Words were derived from Rebecca Sitton's *1200 High-Frequency Writing Words*; words that appear in 89% of everyday writing.

Grade 1		Grade 2		Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 5		Grade 6	
a	I	all	men	about	people	after	new	also	line	along	never
and	in	are	my	an	said	air	off	again	must	always	next
as	is	but	one	been	set	back	old	almost	number	animal	often
at	it	by	or	boy	some	called	only	another	part	asked	once
be	no	come	see	could	than	down	our	any	place	beautiful	own
big	not	day	she	each	them	find	over	around	put	below	read
can	of	do	so	first	then	get	over	away	right	both	school
did	on	end	tell	her	there	give	say	because	same	children	show
for	the	from	they	him	these	good	small	between	saw	don't	something
go	to	has	that	how	time	here	take	came	should	enough	sound
had	up	have	this	into	two	home	their	different	side	few	they're
he	you	if	was	it's	were	just	too	does	still	food	those
his		like	with	life	what	know	took	even	such	form	thought
		look	us	make	when	land	use	every	think	friend	together
		man	we	many	which	last	very	feet	three	going	under
		me	will	more	who	little	water	found	through	house	until
				now	would	long	way	girl	well	important	want
				other	yes	made	where	great	went	keep	while
				out	your	may	words	help	why	large	without
						most	write	its	work	left	world
						much				might	you're