



The following lists are comprised of the entire collection of spelling words that could be used at the FACCS Regional and State Spelling Bees in 2022. Participating schools and home school parents are encouraged to utilize these lists to help prepare students who will be spelling at the FACCS bees.

## How did we compile these lists?

- For grades 1-8, there is a mix of both phonetic and sight words. No particular spelling curriculum is used. They have been collected and used by FACCS for over 20 years.
- For divisions 9/10 & 11/12, words are taken from various sources, with a bulk from the Scripps National Spelling Bee Consolidated Word List, 2004 (Beginner, and Intermediate) and from Paideia, published annually by Scripps for the National Spelling Bee preparation.

## **Word Selection**

- The following are the official word lists for each grade level/division.
- Words used at the Regional Spelling Bee will be randomly selected from the lists below and <u>will not</u> include words marked (s).
- Words used at the State Spelling Bee will be randomly selected from the lists below and <u>will</u> include words marked (s).
- These words will be sorted to approximate difficulty then printed for the Bee Master of each grade who will present them in that order.
- In case of the exhaustion of the word list, officials may be forced to retrieve words from a higher list.

## PLEASE DISCARD ALL 2021 and prior MASTER WORD LISTS AND DO NOT RELEASE THEM TO TEACHERS, STUDENTS, OR PARENTS!

Words have been added, omitted, and changed so you do not want your students studying the wrong words. Only distribute 2022 Master Word Lists.