

Lesson 2 Spelling List

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CHALLENGE WORDS:

1. *dodge*
2. *dusk*

Lesson 2 Vocabulary List

attract: v. To bring or draw closer. (*Example: The large red flowers attracted all kinds of birds.*)

attractive: adj. Pleasing to the eye or mind. (*Example: The bakery window, filled with pies, cakes, and cookies was so attractive that I wanted to go in.*)

attraction: n. Something that draws attention (*Example: One attraction Karen attends every September is the state fair.*)

crew: n. A group of people working together, especially one that runs an airplane or large vessel. (*Example: The crew worked quickly to take down the sails on the boat.*)

dangle: v. To hang loosely. (*Example: Not yet ready to go in the pool, Ramona sat by the edge and dangled her feet in the water.*)

drift: n. A pile of sand or snow created by moving air or water. (*Example: The drifts of snow in the driveway mean that we will need to shovel.*)

v. To be carried along by moving air or water. (*Example: Liz climbed onto the raft and let herself drift along the river for a while.*)

event: n. Something that happens, especially something important. (*Example: The big event of the week for Sharon was going to see Swan Lake with her mom.*)

launch: *n.* An open motorboat that is used for short distance. (Example: *The launch carried our class across the river for a picnic.*)

v. 1. To put a boat or vessel in the water. (Example: *Bob launched the canoe onto the pond and started to paddle to the other side.*) 2. To get started or to make a move. (Example: *Mr. Miller launched the clean-up day by giving everyone a pair of work gloves.*)

opposite: *adj.* 1. Very different from. (Example: *It is difficult to believe Ruth and Emily are sisters because they are opposites in so many ways.*) 2. Facing or moving away from each other. (Example: *After they got off the bus, George and Sally said good-bye and walked off in opposite directions.*)

reverse: *v.* To go backward or in the direction one just came from. (Example: *We laughed when Daniel suddenly reversed direction by walking backwards.*)

n. Back to front. (Example: *One side of this coin shows a head and the reverse side shows a building.*)

signal: *n.* An object, action, or sound that gives a message or a warning. (Example: *Seeing the flashing red signal, John told his brother they had to wait to cross the street.*)

v. To do something that gives a message or warning. (Example: *Jeff signaled the start of the race by waving a flag.*)

steer: *n.* A young bull. (Example: *The heard of thirsty steers gathered around the water tank.*)

v. To steer is to guide the direction of. (Example: *Bonnie carefully steered her bicycle around her brother's toys.*)