

Words Their Way Upper Spelling Inventory Feature Guide

Student _____ Teacher _____ Grade _____ Date _____

Words Spelled Correctly: ___ / 31 Feature Points: ___ / 68 Total ___ / 99 Spelling Stage _____

Stages and gradations →	Within Word Pattern			Syllables and Affixes			Derivational Relations			Feature Points	Words Spelled Correctly
	Early	Middle	Late	Early	Middle	Late	Early	Middle	Late		
Features → ↓ Words	Digraphs & Blends	Vowels	Complex Consonants	Inflected Endings & Syllable Juncture	Unaccented Final Syllables	Affixes	Reduced Vowels in Unaccented Syllables	Greek and Latin Elements	Assimilated Prefixes		
1. switch	sw	i	tch								
2. smudge	sm	u	dge								
3. trapped	tr			pp							
4. scrape		a-e	scr								
5. knotted		o	kn	tt							
6. shaving	sh			e-drop							
7. squirt		ir	squ								
8. pounce		ou	ce								
9. scratches		a	tch	es							
10. crater	cr			t	er						
11. sailor		ai			or						
12. village				ll	age						
13. disloyal		oy			al	dis					
14. tunnel				nn	el						
15. humor				m	or						
16. confidence						con	fid				
17. fortunate					ate			fortun			
18. visible						ible		vis			
19. circumference						ence		circum			
20. civilization							liz	civil			
21. monarchy								arch			
22. dominance						ance	min				
23. correspond							res		rr		
24. illiterate					ate				ll		
56. emphasize						size	pha				
26. opposition							pos		pp		
27. chlorine						ine		chlor			
28. commotion						tion			mm		
29. medicinal					al			medic			
30. irresponsible						ible	res		rr		
31. succession						sion			cc		
Totals	/5	/9	/7	/8	/9	/10	/7	/7	/6	/68	/31