

### Spelling List

This Week's Focus:

- Spell words with the suffixes **-ful**, **-ment**, and **-less**
- Spell multisyllabic words

**1** Read and spell

- 1. thoughtful
- 2. successful
- 3. wasteful
- 4. wonderful
- 5. skillful
- 6. plentiful
- 7. government
- 8. amusement
- 9. predicament
- 10. excitement
- 11. punishment
- 12. arrangement
- 13. fearless
- 14. careless
- 15. worthless
- 16. thoughtless
- 17. useless
- 18. reckless
- 19. \_\_\_\_\_  
bonus word
- 20. \_\_\_\_\_  
bonus word

**2** Write the word

**3** Write the syllables


# Word Meaning

Match each spelling word to its meaning.

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|----------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| _____ 1. careless    | a. entertainment                           |
| _____ 2. arrangement | b. not paying enough attention             |
| _____ 3. excitement  | c. to be afraid of nothing                 |
| _____ 4. amusement   | d. marvelous                               |
| _____ 5. fearless    | e. an excited condition                    |
| _____ 6. predicament | f. an unpleasant or difficult situation    |
| _____ 7. reckless    | g. a penalty for doing something wrong     |
| _____ 8. punishment  | h. good-for-nothing                        |
| _____ 9. successful  | i. to be rash or careless                  |
| _____ 10. worthless  | j. using or spending too much              |
| _____ 11. thoughtful | k. considerate                             |
| _____ 12. wonderful  | l. the way in which things are organized   |
| _____ 13. government | m. the ruling of a country, state, or city |
| _____ 14. wasteful   | n. having success                          |

## My Spelling Dictation

Write the sentences. Circle the spelling words.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

# Word Study

Add the correct suffix to the base word.

**ful** means "full of"

**ment** means "quality or state of"

**less** means "without"

1. The builder's \_\_\_\_\_ work caused the building to collapse.  
(care)
2. There will be great \_\_\_\_\_ when the ship lands on Mars.  
(excite)
3. Her \_\_\_\_\_ behavior made her a popular nurse.  
(thought)
4. That flat ball will be \_\_\_\_\_ in the basketball game.  
(use)
5. What kind of \_\_\_\_\_ does Egypt have?  
(govern)
6. Food was \_\_\_\_\_ at the company picnic.  
(plenty)

Divide these words into syllables. Then circle the suffix.

1. careless

care

less

2. wasteful

3. thoughtless

4. plentiful

5. amusement

6. wonderful

7. excitement

8. successful

# Edit for Spelling

Circle the words that have the correct suffix.

thoughtment

arrangeful

careless

punishful

thoughtless

worthment

reckless

arrangement

carely

reckful

fearment

excitement

worthless

useful

governless

Circle the misspelled words in the sentences.  
Write them correctly on the lines.

1. It is usless to worry about that one carless mistake.

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Our arranjment was to meet at the amusment park at 9 o'clock.

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Do you think his wreckless behavior deserved such a harsh punichment?

\_\_\_\_\_

4. The goverment was finally sucessful in reaching a peaceful solution to the pridikament.

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