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**20 Task Cards**  
**Featuring 75 Words**

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Each of the 20 task cards in this set contains a sentence with three or more bold-print words. One of the words is misspelled. Students are challenged to identify the word, and then write its correct spelling on the answer sheet provided. Another unexpected misspelling is located on one of the cards.

The cards feature a total of 75 different words that were chosen from various often-misspelled word lists, 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade level spelling lists, and terms likely to be encountered across the curriculum.

Target spelling skills include:

- identifying correct vowel sequence (ie or ei)
- spotting transposed letters (el or le)
- correcting phonetic misspellings
- finding double letters/single letter errors
- catching omission of silent letters
- understanding homophone usage
- recognizing misused words

A cover card, student instruction card, and answer sheet are printed on the next-to-last page.

**Answer keys** are on the last page along with clipart credits.

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## Find the Misspelled Word 1

Near the door, a huge chair sat at an odd **angel**, looking as if it would **dash** from the room at any **minute**.



## Find the Misspelled Word 2

My little sister's **imaginary** friend **climmed** the **kitchen** step stool and sampled Grandmother's **birthday** cake.



## Find the Misspelled Word 3

Dad insists that our whole family, including the dog and the cat, **practice** a fire **safty** drill the third **Wednesday** of every month.



## Find the Misspelled Word 4

The **library** has an **intersting** display of **weird** carnivorous plants near the check-out desk.

