

BUSINESS SPELLING

REGIONAL 2026

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Test booklet with 3 pages
Scoring sheet

CONTESTANT MUST SUPPLY:

No. 2 pencils

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Below is a list of words that you must review. If the word is spelled correctly, please mark your answer sheet TRUE. If the word is spelled incorrectly, please mark your answer sheet FALSE.

A = TRUE

B = FALSE

1. accommodate
2. definate
3. conscience
4. seperate
5. priviledge
6. harasment
7. maintainence
8. necessary
9. liaison
10. occasion
11. recommend
12. recieve
13. seize
14. knowlege
15. exaggerate
16. independant
17. millennium
18. trespass
19. guaranteed
20. fortyth
21. connoisseur
22. mischievous
23. playwright
24. questionnaire
25. grammer
26. vacuum
27. restaurant
28. acquire
29. unecessary
30. jewelry
31. calender
32. disappear
33. bureaucracy
34. irresistable
35. dilemma

CHOOSE THE CORRECT WORD THAT BEST COMPLETES THE SENTENCE.

36. The sudden news had a negative (A) affect (B) effect on her mood.
37. I would rather go to the beach (A) than (B) than to the mountains.
38. She wanted (A) two (B) too tickets to the movie, but only one was available.
39. The students submitted (A) there (B) their group project on time.
40. The business published (A) its (B) their third quarter report.
41. (A) Who's (B) Whose car is in the driveway?
42. The graphic designer picked colors to (A) complement (B) compliment the logo redesign.
43. The IT department established password (A) principals (B) principles for the staff.
44. The additional lane created (A) fewer (B) less traffic problems for the city residents.
45. The organization is (A) accepting (B) excepting workshop proposals for the fall conference.
46. The Olympic medal continued to (A) allude (B) elude the athlete.
47. The reporter tried to (A) elicit (B) solicit information from the governor's spokesperson.
48. The vote on the proposed bylaws is (A) immanent (B) imminent.
49. The owner was (A) adverse (B) averse to spending money on new machinery.
50. The bank needs to (A) appraise (B) raise the value of the property before approving the loan.
51. The system sent (A) continual (B) continuous reminders to employees to finish the training.
52. The mediator had to remain (A) disinterested (B) uninterested in the dispute between the two.
53. The runner could see the finish line was (A) farther (B) further down the road.
54. Based on the residents' angry comments, the city council (A) implied (B) inferred that the trash company's contract should not be renewed.
55. The funhouse mirror created a distorted (A) elusion (B) illusion.
56. The antique chandelier is a (A) stationary (B) stationery fixture in the historic building.
57. The scholar used the (A) cite (B) site evidence to support her claim about early settlers.
58. The students realized the snake was (A) lose (B) loose when they saw the empty cage.
59. The (A) personal (B) personnel department selected the top candidates to interview.
60. The event's host (A) preceded (B) proceeded the keynote speaker onto the stage.
61. The toxic substance is (A) prescribed (B) proscribed for use in any commercial products.
62. He was extremely (A) vane (B) vain, checking his appearance numerous times a day.
63. The teacher considered (A) weather (B) whether to take the train or drive to the conference.
64. The tutor gave the student (A) advice (B) advise on his common app essay.
65. The inventor hopes to (A) design (B) devise a solution to the complex problem.
66. The crowd stood (A) altogether (B) all together for the playing of the national anthem.
67. The decision was made (A) between (B) among the three directors and the CEO.
68. She called the store to (A) ensure (B) insure that the product was in stock.
69. The doctor asked the patient to (A) breath (B) breathe deeply as she listened to the lungs.
70. The legislature meets in Lansing in the (A) capital (B) capitol building.
71. The path to the waterfall was made of (A) coarse (B) course sand and gravel.
72. The sudden noise made the sleeping child instantly (A) conscious (B) conscience.
73. The family decided to buy ice cream for (A) desert (B) dessert.
74. After weeks of practice, the young dancers performed (A) good (B) well at the recital.
75. The star witness was extremely (A) silent (B) reticent and gave only one-word responses.