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Spelling

Unit

17

A. Pretest and Proofreading**B. Spelling Words and Phrases**

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|---------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. term | school <u>term</u> |
| 2. nerve | the <u>nerve</u> to try |
| 3. serve | a poor <u>serve</u> |
| 4. servant | hired another <u>servant</u> |
| 5. permanent | left a <u>permanent</u> mark |
| 6. personal | <u>personal</u> belongings |
| 7. deserve | <u>deserve</u> one more chance |
| 8. dessert | fruit for <u>dessert</u> |
| 9. reverse | can <u>reverse</u> the order |
| 10. terror | filled with <u>terror</u> |
| 11. territory | the animal's <u>territory</u> |
| 12. terrible | <u>terrible</u> mistake |
| 13. berry | a nut or a <u>berry</u> |
| 14. buried | <u>buried</u> in the garden |
| 15. computer | <u>computer</u> programmer |
| 16. curve | <u>curve</u> in the road |
| 17. furnace | a hot <u>furnace</u> |
| 18. surface | swam to the <u>surface</u> |
| 19. purchase | will <u>purchase</u> a gift |
| 20. purpose | forgot the <u>purpose</u> |

Other Word Forms

terms, termed
 nerves, nervous
 serves, served, serving
 servants
 permanently
 person, personally,
 personality
 deserves, deserved,
 deserving
 desserts
 reverses, reversing, reversal
 terrors
 territories, territorial
 terribly
 berries
 bury, buries, burying
 compute, computers
 curves, curved, curving
 furnaces
 surfaces, surfacing
 purchases, purchased,
 purchasing
 purposes, purposely,
 purposeful

C. Challenge Words and Phrases

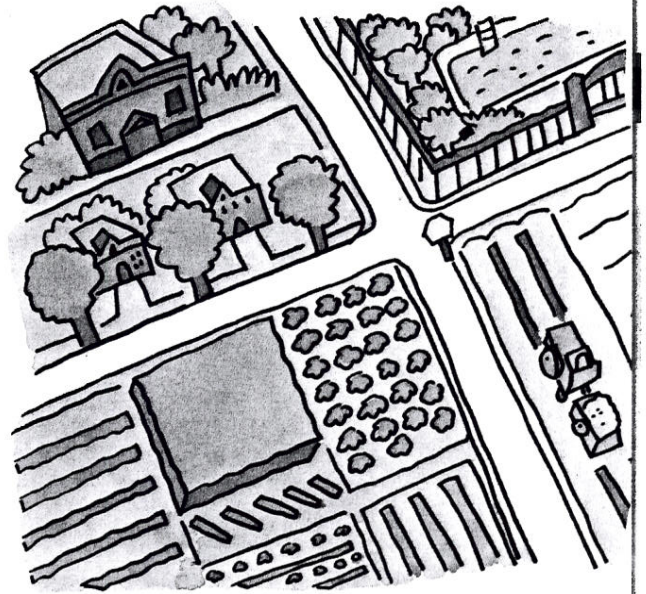
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| 1. conservation | energy <u>conservation</u> |
| 2. conversion | making a <u>conversion</u> |
| 3. detergent | a laundry <u>detergent</u> |
| 4. eternal | <u>eternal</u> hope |
| 5. occurred | <u>occurred</u> to me |

D. Er or Ur The letters *er* and *ur* often have the same sound. List the spelling words in alphabetical order. Put a wavy line under the words spelled with *er*. Circle the words spelled with *ur*. Put an **X** before the four words in which *er* does not have the sound as in *burn* or *fern*.

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| 1. _____ | 8. _____ | 15. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 9. _____ | 16. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 10. _____ | 17. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 11. _____ | 18. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 12. _____ | 19. _____ |
| 6. _____ | 13. _____ | 20. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 14. _____ | |

E. Generally Speaking Write each of the spelling words for the group it best fits.

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|---|-------------------------|
| 1. area, region, _____ | 18. awful, bad, _____ |
| 2. arc, bend, _____ | 19. fruit, grape, _____ |
| 3. butler, maid, _____ | 20. reason, goal, _____ |
| 4. wait on, work for, _____ | |
| 5. ice cream, pie, _____ | |
| 6. sell, buy, _____ | |
| 7. machine, calculator, _____ | |
| 8. fear, horror, _____ | |
| 9. stove, heater, _____ | |
| 10. earn, worthy of, _____ | |
| 11. covered, put under, _____ | |
| 12. courage, strong will, _____ | |
| 13. lasting, won't wear out, _____ | |
| 14. change direction, backward, _____ | |
| 15. length of time, school session, _____ | |
| 16. rise to the top, outside layer, _____ | |
| 17. private, one's own, _____ | |

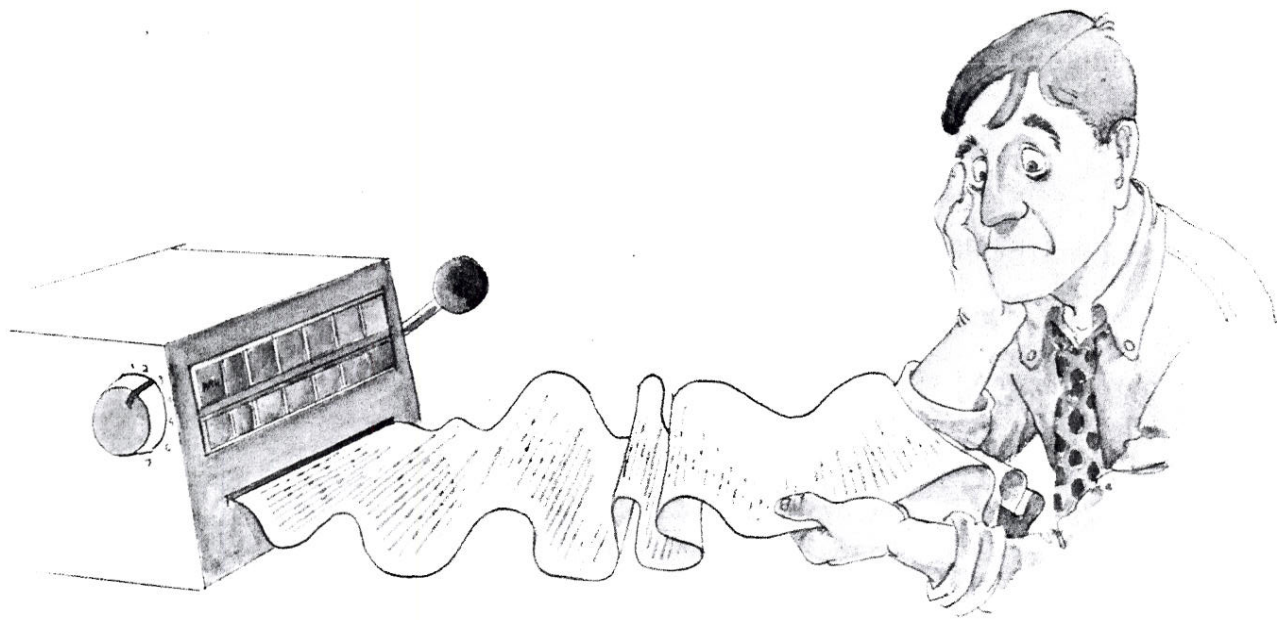


Spelling Words

<i>term</i>	<i>nerve</i>	<i>serve</i>	<i>servant</i>	<i>permanent</i>
<i>personal</i>	<i>deserve</i>	<i>dessert</i>	<i>reverse</i>	<i>terror</i>
<i>territory</i>	<i>terrible</i>	<i>berry</i>	<i>buried</i>	<i>computer</i>
<i>curve</i>	<i>furnace</i>	<i>surface</i>	<i>purchase</i>	<i>purpose</i>

F. Finding Words The words in the spelling list appear in the beginning (A-H), middle (I-Q), or end (R-Z) of the **Spelling Dictionary**. Write each word.

Beginning A-H	Middle I-Q	End R-Z
1. _____	8. _____	13. _____
2. _____	9. _____	14. _____
3. _____	10. _____	15. _____
4. _____	11. _____	16. _____
5. _____	12. _____	17. _____
6. _____		18. _____
7. _____		19. _____
		20. _____



G. Using Other Word Forms Write the Other Word Form (p. 68) that completes each clue.

1. people paid to care for others _____ (servant)
2. uneasy or restless _____ (nerve)
3. rounded or shaped like an arc _____ (curve)
4. types of fruit _____ (berry)
5. lands or regions _____ (territory)

H. Challenge Words Write the Challenge Word that completes each phrase.

conservation conversion detergent eternal occurred

1. either soap or _____
2. either forever or _____
3. either happened or _____
4. either changeover or _____
5. either preservation or _____



I. Spelling and Writing Use as many Spelling Words, Other Word Forms, and Challenge Words as you can to write *two* or more answers to each question. A few words are suggested. Proofread your work.

1. What would you say to convince your parents that the family really needs a new computer?

personal – computer – purchase – conversion – deserve – purpose

2. What might happen if you went out to lunch one day with a friend but neither of you remembered to bring money?

serve – dessert – servant – berry – permanent

3. What might happen if you went scuba diving with an expedition to a remote Caribbean island?

buried – territory – surface – occurred – conservation – nerve

