## Spelling list: Commonly misspelled words 3

High School students who are average, but not brilliant, spellers.

mischievous He is not malicious, just a little **mischievous** .

secretary The **secretary** took notes during the meeting.

environment Ecology includes the study of how animals relate to their **environment** .

exaggerate You **exaggerate** all the time!

escape He tried to **escape** from the cell.

prejudice It is wrong to show **prejudice** against people who are different.

parliament She's standing for election to Parliament.

enough A dozen eggs will be **enough** .

equipment All my camping **equipment** is in my backpack.

jealous She has a very **jealous** boyfriend.

marriage Jane is a **marriage** guidance counsellor.

A trapezoid or trapezium is a type of quadrilateral with at least one pair of

parallel sides.

principle It is my **principle** to behave honestly.

occurrence Let's hope this isn't a regular **occurrence**.

acquire I went to the shop to **acquire** a dictionary.

courageous The soldiers were **courageous** in battle.

shepherd The **shepherd** kept watch over the sheep.

curiosity My cat is full of **curiosity**.

guarantee My new laptop has a three year **guarantee**.

parallel

definitely That cat is **definitely** sick.