## Spelling list: The Hardest Words to Spell in English: Part

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This is the first in a series of word lists that contain some of the most commonly misspelt words in English.

abandon The crew had to **abandon** ship.

abbreviate People often **abbreviate** 'network' to 'net'.

abscond The barman absconded with a week's profits.

absorbent This cloth is extremely **absorbent**.

The true Buddhist on the contrary looks forward with enthusiasm to this absorption

absorption into eternal bliss.

abundance There is an **abundance** of apples in the orchard.

abundant The field was **abundant** with wildlife.

abysmal According to Dr. Tom the conditions at this zoo are simply **abysmal**.

abyss The submarine descended into the **abyss**.

academy Irvine royal **academy** is the best wee school in ayrshire.

acceptable That is not **acceptable** behaviour.

His performance was **acceptably** enthusiastic, but lacked a sense of

meaning or purpose.

acceptance There was an air of **acceptance** when they said yes.

accessible The spelling course was very **accessible**.

accidentally Fred accidentally fell over.

accommodate I am sorry I can't **accommodate** you in my hotel.

accordion There was a man playing an **accordion** in the town square.

acceptably

ache Unripe fruit can give you stomach **ache** .

achieve He wanted to **achieve** good grades in school.