

## Spelling list: Agonising Algebra and unappealing units

10 key tricky algebra and measurement related maths words.

algebra	<b>Algebra</b> is heavily used in the electrical, chemical and physics industries.
expression	In maths, substitution is often used to replace an <b>expression</b> with a number.
equation	An <b>equation</b> is a statement that two expressions are equal and we are often asked to solve them.
imperial	The metric system of measurement has overtaken the <b>imperial</b> system.
minutes	There are sixty <b>minutes</b> in an hour, so half an hour is thirty <b>minutes</b> .
simultaneous	We can often solve two <b>simultaneous</b> equations by looking at them at the same time and trying to eliminate part of them.
substitution	In maths, <b>substitution</b> is often used to replace an expression with a number.
variable	A <b>variable</b> is something that can change it's value.
weight	We often use the word <b>weight</b> when we are talking about mass and how heavy something is, but <b>weight</b> is affected by gravity.
centimetre	A <b>centimetre</b> is a metric unit of length.