Spelling list: *-ance* words, Set 1 (copy)

In these words the weak vowel sound in the final syllable is spelled with the letter *a* . These are just a few of the many words ending in *-ance* .

abundance	There is an **abundance** of apples in the orchard.
acquaintance	He was an **acquaintance** of mine in high school.
allowance	A child's **allowance** should not be too generous.
arrogance	His manner conveyed a great deal of **arrogance** .
assistance	Would you like my **assistance** while you shop?
defiance	They protested in **defiance** of the law.
dominance	To win a trophy a team has to show **dominance** .
extravagance	The palace was full of **extravagance** .
fragrance	The flowers had a wonderful **fragrance** .
ignorance	The manager showed **ignorance** towards his employees.
importance	Decline means to come to an end or lose **importance** .
tolerance	To get along with people you must show **tolerance** .
radiance	They sat in the **radiance** of the sun.
relevance	His statement had no **relevance** to this discussion.
reluctance	There was a **reluctance** to protest.
repentance	**Repentance** is the foundation of Christianity.
resistance	A rebellion is open, organized, and armed **resistance** to a government or ruler.
significance	The conventional **significance** level accepted is five percent.

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tolerance	To get along with people you must show **tolerance** .
vigilance	The security guard watched with **vigilance** .

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