## Spelling list: Tier 2 Words (abandon - adults)

Tier 2 words are less common than high frequency (Tier 1) words. They are often integral to the comprehension of exam questions or core subject knowledge.

abandon	If you <b>abandon</b> something, it means you leave it behind or stop looking after it.
abstract	If something is <b>abstract</b> , it means that it exists as a thought or an idea and does not have a physical body.
academic	If something is <b>academic</b> , it means it is related to education and study.
academy	An <b>academy</b> is a place were someone studies.
access	If you have <b>access</b> to somewhere, it means you have the ability or permission to enter.
accident	An accident is an unfortunate mishap that causes damage or injury.
accommodation	Accommodation is a room or building where someone stays or lives.
accompany	If you accompany someone, it means you go somewhere with them.
accumulation	Accumulation means the gradual increasing or collection of something.
accurate	If something is accurate, it means it is correct and precise.
achieve	If you achieve something, you succeed in getting it through hard work.
acknowledge	If you acknowledge something, it means you admit that it exists or is true.
acquire	If you acquire something, it means you gain possession of it.
acquisition	An <b>acquisition</b> is something you have gained possession of.
adaptation	An <b>adaptation</b> is something that has been changed from one form into another, for example a film <b>adaptation</b> of a book.
adequate	If something is adequate, it means it is acceptable.

adjacent If two things are **adjacent** to each other, it means they are next to or joining onto each other.

An **adjustment** is a small change that's made in order to make something more suitable.

Administration is all the activity related to running a business or similar activity.

Adults are people who have fully matured.