## Spelling list: Tier 2 Words (data - design)

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.

data	Data is a collection of facts from which conclusions may be drawn.
debate	A <b>debate</b> is a discussion in which the reasons for and against a proposition are put forward.
decades	<b>Decades</b> are periods of ten years.
decline	If you <b>decline</b> something, it means you refuse it.
dedicate	If you <b>dedicate</b> yourself to something or someone, it means you devote all your energy to it.
deduce	If you <b>deduce</b> something, it means you work it out through reasoning.
define	If you <b>define</b> a word, it means you explain what it means.
definite	If something is <b>definite</b> , it means it is known for certain.
definition	If you tell someone the <b>definition</b> of a word, it means you tell them what that word means.
demonstrate	If you <b>demonstrate</b> something to someone, it means you show them how to do it.
denote	<b>Denote</b> means to be a sign or indication of.
deny	If you <b>deny</b> something, it means you declare it as untrue.
depression	<b>Depression</b> is a mental state characterised by feelings of sadness, low spirits, and inadequacy.
deprive	If you <b>deprive</b> someone of something, it means you stop them from having it.
derive	If you derive something, it means you work it out through reasoning.

design A **design** is a sketch, outline, or plan for something.