

Spelling list: Tier 2 Words (astound - bulk)

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.

astound	Astound means to affect with wonder.
attach	If you attach two things, it means you join or fasten them together.
attained	If you have attained something, it means you have achieved or reached it.
attention	If you give something your attention , it means you take notice of it.
attitude	Your attitude towards something is the way you think or feel about it.
attribute	If you attribute something to someone, it means you give them credit for it.
author	An author is the writer of a book or article.
authority	Authority is the power or right to give orders or make decisions.
automatically	If something is done automatically , it means it is done in a mechanical manner.
available	If something is available , it means it is ready to use.
avalanche	An avalanche is a large mass of snow, ice, and mud that slides rapidly down a mountain.
aware	If you are aware of something, it means you know about it.
behalf	If you do something on someone's behalf , it means you do it as a representative of their interests.
benefit	A benefit is an advantage or a perk of something.
bias	A bias is an unfair prejudice for or against a particular idea or group.
bond	A bond is a relationship based on common interests.
brief	If something is brief , it means it's short and to the point.

bulk

The **bulk** of something is the larger part of it.