Spelling list: NAPLAN: D - Challenging

Words for NAPLAN writing test preparation. Students are assessed in Year 3, Year 5, Year 7, and Year 9.

debris There was **debris** everywhere after the window smashed.

I live in a cold place, so I need to make sure I am not **deficient** in Vitamin

D.

deficient

definite There is no **definite** proof that this will happen.

The **dependency** ratio is the balance between people who work and those dependency

who depend upon them (e.g. children, elderly, unemployed).

desperate I'm **desperate** for something to eat.

disadvantageously They were treated disadvantageously compared to others in the class.

discipline The teacher had a consistent approach to **discipline** .

dramatically The car crashed into the wall **dramatically** .