Spelling list: NAPLAN: P and Q - Challenging

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

parallel The two roads were **parallel** to one another.

peculiar This has a very **peculiar** taste.

pessimistic If you are **pessimistic**, you always expect the worst to happen.

physically The runner was **physically** fit.

possess Each candidate should **possess** outstanding communication skills.

prevalence There is a **prevalence** of crime in this area.

privileged I am **privileged** because I have access to education.

psychiatrist The **psychiatrist** only sees new patients on Fridays.

psychology **Psychology** is the study of the human mind.

queue We had to **queue** to get into the show.

quiescent If something is **quiescent**, it means it is inactive or dormant.