

KEY SPELLING WORDS

about	coming	heard	others	strange
accident	could	here	our	summer
actually	couldn't	him	out	surely
afraid	cousins	his	outside	surprise
again	decided	hole	parents	swimming
all	didn't	home	parliament	take
almost	different	horses	people	than
always	doctor	hospital	picked	that's
and	does	house	pictures	the
animals	doesn't	I'm	piece	their
another	dollars	Indian	place	them
are	don't	into	pollution	then
around	engine	its	practicing	there
away	equipment	it's	pretty	there's
awhile	especially	just	probably	they
back	ever	knew	quiet	they're
bear	every	know	quite	things
beautiful	everybody	let's	really	thought
because	everyday	like	receive	threw
been	everything	lived	responsible	throw
before	exciting	looked	right	to
began	family	met	said	too
behind	fell	middle	saw	tried
believe	few	might	scared	turned
better	field	minute	school	two
bird	finally	months	screamed	until
birthday	finished	mountains	second	upon
brought	fired	myself	shoot	very
built	first	names	shot	wanted
buys	flowers	necessary	situation	wasn't
bye	for	neighbor	slept	went
came	found	next	so	we're
can't	funny	no	society	were
catch	friend	nothing	some	weren't
caught	girls	now	something	what's
certainly	going	o'clock	sometimes	when
chases	government	off	spotted	where
children	happened	once	started	without
climbed	happily	one	stepped	wouldn't
come	having	opportunity	stopped	writing

These words were selected by Dr. Ves Thomas at the University of Alberta after he searched through more than 3500 stories, essays, letters and projects written by Canadian kids and adults to find the words that were spelled wrong the most often! Do what it takes to memorize them – and use this list to check your spelling while you write until you do!