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Lesson 27 Spelling Words

The following words will be tested on Thursday:

vacant insistent reversible patriotism

finalist honorable contestant observant

urgent pessimist comfortable absorbent

optimism journalism novelist terrible

frequent laughable radiant collectable

Major understanding: Because suffixes that have the schwa sound can be spelled different ways, the spelling of each word's ending must be remembered.

Lesson 27 Vocabulary Words

The following words are this week's Target Vocabulary words. During reading assessments, one portion of the test will cover vocabulary. On average, 5 of those words tested are from the following list:

1.	dwarfed	Something that has been dwarfed has been shortened or made to appear smaller by something else.
2.	procedure	A procedure is a certain way to do something, such as a medical operation.
3.	transferred	Something transferred has been moved from one place to another.
4.	enthusiastic	To be enthusiastic is to show great enjoyment, interest, or approval.
5.	adapted	Something that is adapted for a certain purpose is especially designed for that purpose.
6.	conserving	Conserving something is using it carefully so as not to waste it, use it all, or harm it.
7.	critical	Something that is critical is of great importance.
8.	realization	A realization is a sudden awareness.
9.	available	Something that is available is ready to be used or taken.
10.	resemble	To resemble is to look like someone or something.