

#### **Practice Sheet 2**

### **Green reading level for Years 3-4**

Please note, while the following words are all included in the Green level word lists for the school level competition, it is not guaranteed that each student will be randomly served any of these words from the extensive word list used within the competition phase. The words are indicative of the standard of words used for this reading level. Teachers can cut off the word on the left and photocopy the sheet for students to fill in.



WORD		
Green level Yrs 3-4)	Spell the word	DEFINITION
1. yesterday	1.	on the day before today.
2. melody	2.	a tune.
3. fighter	3.	a fast military aircraft that is used for destroying other aircraft.
4. deputy	4.	the second most important person in an organisation such as a business or government department.
5. wrong	5.	not correct or true.
6. uneasy	6.	feeling anxious, afraid, or embarrassed, because you think that something is wrong or that there is danger.
7. relive	7.	to remember an experience from the past and imagine that you are experiencing it again.
8. potato	8.	a round vegetable with brown or red skin and white inside.
9. nibble	9.	to eat food by biting very small pieces of it.
10. legend	10.	a very old and popular story that may be true, but is not proven.
11. honest	11.	used to describe someone who always tells the truth, and does not try to deceive people or break the law.
12. grotty	12.	unpleasant or of poor quality.
13. freedom	13.	the state of being allowed to do what you want to do.
14. fester	¦ 14.	to become rotten and offensive to the senses.
15. dugout	15.	a small boat that is made by removing the inside of a log.
16. curry	¦ 16.	a dish composed of meat and vegetables, or just vegetables, in a sauce containing hot spices.
17. butterfly	¦ 17.	an insect with large, colourful wings and a thin body.
18. boiling	18.	extremely hot, as when a liquid is at a temperature that makes it bubble and turn to vapour.
19. agent	19. 	a person who looks after someone else's business affairs or does business on their behalf.
20. vivid	20.	very clear and detailed.
21. towel	21.	a piece of thick soft cloth that you use to dry yourself.
22. switch	22.	a small control for an electrical device which you use to turn the device on or off.







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23. stick	23.	a long thin piece of wood which is used for supporting someone's weight.
24. shaft	24.	a long vertical passage, for example for a lift.
25. pride	25.	a feeling of satisfaction because you or people close to you have done something good or possess something good.
26. mouse	26.	a small furry animal with a long tail.
27. hinge	27.	a piece of metal, wood, or plastic that is used to join a door to its frame or to join two things together so that one of them can swing freely.
28. fudge	28.	a soft sweet that is made from butter, cream, and sugar.
29. equip	, 29.	to supply with the tools that are needed.
30. ditch	30.	a long narrow channel cut into the ground at the side of a road or field.
31. crank	¦ 31.	a device that you turn in order to make something move.
32. choose	32.	to pick out something from available options.
33. acid	33.	a chemical substance, usually a liquid, which contains hydrogen and can react with other substances to form salts.
34. blurb	34.	information about a book, film, or exhibition that is written in order to attract people's interest.
35. escort	35.	a person who travels with someone in order to protect or guard them.
36. limit	36.	the greatest amount, extent, or degree of something that is possible or allowed.
37. quake	¦ 37.	to shake and tremble.
38. slink	38.	to move somewhere quietly because you do not want to be seen.
39. train	39.	a number of carriages, cars, or trucks which are all connected and which are pulled by an engine along a railway.
40. beyond	40.	on the other side of something.
41. deepen	41.	to give something greater depth.
42. getaway	42.	the act of leaving a place quickly, especially after committing a crime or when trying to avoid someone.
43. inside	43.	situated within the confines of something.
44. panic	44.	to experience anxiety or fear, which makes you act without thinking carefully.
45. swelling	45.	a raised, curved shape on the surface of your body which appears as a result of injury or illness.
46. vegan	46.	used to describe food that contains no animal products such as meat, milk, butter, or cheese.











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47. factory	47.	a large building where machines are used to make large quantities of goods.
48. soften	¦ 48.	to become less hard, stiff, or firm.
49. highly	49.	at or to a high degree or level.
50. weekend	50.	Saturday and Sunday, usually regarded as time for leisure.



