

# Common Spelling Errors

## Activity Sheet

In each of the sentences below, there is a spelling error, or maybe two or three or four, you will have to look closely. The errors are based on the ones we find most often in pupils' schoolwork!

1. Basicly, Francine didn't like Stacey because she thought she was not glamorous enough to be part of the group.
2. Who would beleive that she had ridden her motorbike accross the Gobi Desert?
3. At last, just when the passengers were begginning to think he wasn't comeing, the captain put in an apearance.
4. The wind ripped the branch from the tree and seemed to throw it down. It smacked Mitch on the forehead and nocked him unconscious.
5. It was time to dissappear: if she was seen in this dress, it would be plain embarassing!
6. Charlotte hoped that tommorrow would be a better day once she was back in a familier place.
7. Her consience pricked, she was truly sorry for what she had done.
8. The dificulty lay in the position of the wasp nest – it was so high up, it was almost impossable to reach it.
9. Somehow, there was never any suitable acomoddation available when Kerry needed it.
10. Unfortunatly, it was necessary to interupt the show to anounce that the leading lady had been taken seriously ill.

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1. **Basically**, Francine didn't like Stacey because she thought she was not glamorous enough to be part of the group.
2. Who would **believe** that she had ridden her motorbike **across** the Gobi Desert?
3. At last, just when the passengers were **beginning** to think he wasn't **coming**, the captain put in an **appearance**.
4. The wind **ripped** the branch from the tree and seemed to throw it down. It smacked Mitch on the forehead and **knocked** him **unconscious**.
5. It was time to **disappear**: if she was seen in this dress, it would be plain **embarrassing**!
6. Charlotte hoped that **tomorrow** would be a better day once she was back in a **familiar** place.
7. Her **conscience** pricked, she was truly sorry for what she had done.
8. The **difficulty** lay in the position of the wasp nest – it was so high up, it was almost **impossible** to reach it.
9. Somehow, there was never any **suitable accommodation** available when Kerry needed it.
10. **Unfortunately**, it was necessary to **interrupt** the show to **announce** that the leading lady had been taken seriously ill.