

Name _____

Weekly Practice Unit—9

Monday
Copy your spelling words into
alphabetical order. Then copy your
incorrect words from last week's
test five times each.

- 15.
- 16.
- 17.
- 18.
- 19.
- 20.

Tuesday—Independent Practice
(page 61)

1. wheelchair

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

8.

9.

10.

11.

12.

13.

14.

15.

16.

17.

18.

- 21.
- 22.
- 23.
- 24.

Thursday—Proofreading (page 63)

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

8.

Write the following words in
sentences

quick-witted _____

limelight _____

self-assured _____

Wednesday—Spelling Spree (page
62)

9.

10.

11.

12.

13.

14.

**DO WORKSHEET ON THE
BACK OF THIS PAGE.**

Name _____

Basic Words
1. basketball
2. wheelchair
3. cheerleader
4. newscast
5. weekend
6. everybody
7. up-to-date
8. grandparent
9. first aid
10. wildlife
11. highway
12. daytime
13. whoever
14. test tube
15. turnpike
16. shipyard
17. homemade
18. household
19. salesperson
20. brother-in-law

PRACTICE B

Compound Words

Compound Combination Cross out one word in each compound word, and combine the other words to write a Basic Word.

Example: weekday + endless = weekend

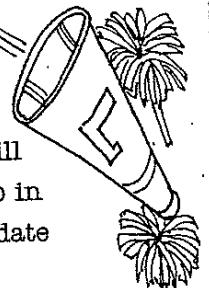
1. highchair + anyway = _____
2. newspaper + broadcast = _____
3. wildcat + lifeguard = _____
4. wheelbarrow + armchair = _____
5. daylight + bedtime = _____
6. homework + handmade = _____
7. everything + somebody = _____
8. stepbrother + into + outlaw = _____
9. grandmother + stepparent = _____
10. shipmate + yardstick = _____

Proofreading 11-20. Find and cross out ten misspelled Basic Words in this newscast script. Then write each word correctly.

11. _____
12. _____
13. _____
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____
17. _____
18. _____
19. _____
20. _____

This week-end Anita Gomez, a Laurel School honor student and basket-ball cheerleeder, will trade in her megaphone for a testtube. Anita will travel down the turn pike to attend a workshop in Gorham, where she hopes to learn some up-to date medical information.

Anita is known in her howsehold and throughout her hometown as a heroine. Thursday afternoon she helped a salespirson who twisted his ankle crossing a highway near the shipyard. Anita knew what to do because of her training in furst aid. "I think that everyone should be trained in this area," says Anita. "That way, who ever first reaches a person with minor injuries may be able to help."



Houghton Mifflin Spelling and Vocabulary. Copyright © Houghton Mifflin Company. All rights reserved.

Skill: Students will practice spelling compound words.

Home Use: Help your child practice the spelling words by having him or her complete the activities on this page. Check the completed page, and have your child practice saying and spelling any misspelled words.

Unit 9 Compound Words

Basic Words

1. basketball
2. wheelchair
3. cheerleader
4. newscast
5. weekend
6. everybody
7. up-to-date
8. grandparent
9. first aid
10. wildlife
11. highway
12. daytime
13. whoever
14. test tube
15. turnpike
16. shipyard
17. homemade
18. household
19. salesperson
20. brother-in-law

Review

21. afternoon
22. ninety-nine
23. everywhere
24. all right
25. breakfast

Challenge

26. extraordinary
27. self-assured
28. quick-witted
29. limelight
30. junior high school

Unit 9 Compound Words

Basic Words

1. basketball
2. wheelchair
3. cheerleader
4. newscast
5. weekend
6. everybody
7. up-to-date
8. grandparent
9. first aid
10. wildlife
11. highway
12. daytime
13. whoever
14. test tube
15. turnpike
16. shipyard
17. homemade
18. household
19. salesperson
20. brother-in-law

Review

21. afternoon
22. ninety-nine
23. everywhere
24. all right
25. breakfast

Challenge

26. extraordinary
27. self-assured
28. quick-witted
29. limelight
30. junior high school

