

Download Middle School Sight Words

3. Types of Sight Words. Sight words fall into two categories: Frequently Used Words — Words that occur commonly in the English language, such as it, can, and will. Memorizing these words makes reading much easier and smoother, because the child already recognizes most of the words and can concentrate their efforts on new words. Sight words, or high-frequency words, are commonly used words which students learn to recognize instantly “by sight” without decoding. Many of these words do not follow a spelling pattern, which can make them difficult to sound out and spell. From preschool to second grade, Time4Learning teaches spelling as a component of the language arts and phonics program. From third grade through high school, spelling is integrated into vocabulary development exercises within language arts and other subjects. Time4Learning helps to teach spelling by starting with the basics of hearing and recognizing the sounds (phonological and phonemic ... Theodor Geisel, better known as Dr. Seuss, was challenged to write and illustrate a children’s primer using the 220 Dolch words. The result was *The Cat in the Hat*. Dr. Edward Fry expanded the Dolch list in 1996 and published a book titled *Fry 1000 Instant Words*. Fry’s Instant Words are typically studied in first through fifth grade. Learn more about Sight Words