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Spelling Words

The following is a list of spelling words. These words are content words related to The Road to Independence *Reader*.

During Lesson 10, you will be assessed on how to spell these words. Practice spelling the words by doing one or more of the following:

- spell the words out loud
- type sentences using the words
- copy the words onto paper
- type the words in alphabetical order

When you practice spelling and typing the words, remember to pronounce and spell each word one syllable at a time.

1. surrender

6. monarchy

2. declaration

7. representative

3. valiant

8. victory

4. grievance

9. incident

5. independence

10. militia

The following chart provides the meanings of the spelling words. You are not expected to know the word meanings for the spelling assessment, but it may be helpful to have them as a reference as you practice spelling the words.

Spelling Word	Definition		
surrender	to give up, quit		
declaration	an official statement of something		
valiant	brave or courageous		
grievance	a complaint resulting from being treated unfairly; a reason for complaining about a situation		
incident	an event or disagreement that is likely to cause serious problems		
monarchy	a form of government in which a country is ruled by a monarch, such as a king or a queen		
representative	a member of a government		
independence	freedom from outside control or support		
militia	ordinary people trained to be soldiers but who are not part of the full-time military		
victory	the act of defeating an opponent or enemy		

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