

Dolch Basic Sight Word List

The Dolch word list contains 220 of the most frequently used words found in children's books. Primary students who learn these sight words will help build their beginning reading skills.

Easier Half*

a	cold	have	my	stop
after	come	he	no	ten
all	did	help	not	that
am	do	her	of	the
an	don't	here	old	this
and	down	him	on	three
are	eat	his	one	to
around	fast	I	out	too
as	find	if	over	two
at	five	in	play	under
away	fly	into	put	up
be	for	is	ran	was
big	from	it	red	we
black	funny	its	ride	went
blue	get	jump	run	what
brown	give	know	said	who
but	go	like	saw	will
by	going	little	see	with
call	good	look	she	yellow
came	green	make	so	yes
can	had	may	some	you
carry	has	me	soon	your

Harder Half**

about	every	long	round	today
again	fall	made	say	together
always	far	many	seven	try
any	first	much	shall	upon
ask	four	must	show	us
ate	found	myself	sing	use
because	full	never	sit	very
been	gave	new	six	walk
before	goes	now	sleep	want
best	got	off	small	warm
better	grow	once	start	wash
both	hold	only	take	well
bring	hot	open	tell	were
buy	how	or	thank	when
clean	hurt	our	their	where
could	just	own	them	which
cut	keep	pick	then	white
does	kind	please	there	why

done	laugh	pretty	these	wish
draw	let	pull	they	work
drink	light	read	think	would
eight	live	right	those	write

* Mastery by the average second-grader

**Mastery by the average child in middle third-grade