

The Spelling Bee

1. Article (Not An)
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3. City
4. Verb Ending In Ing
5. Adverb
6. Preposition
7. Preposition
8. Noun
9. Adjective
10. Adjective
11. Conjunction
12. Adverb
13. Body Part
14. Conjunction (Not Or)
15. Number
16. Conjunction (Not Or)
17. Interjection
18. Article (Not An)
19. Adverb
20. Past Tense Verb
21. Preposition
22. Interjection
23. Past Tense Verb

24. Interjection

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It was early morning on _____ Article (not an) day of _____ Article (not an) 124th annual _____ City Spelling Bee. All of the contestants were _____ Verb ending in ing _____ Adverb _____ Preposition their seats. Then, the announcer went _____ Preposition to the podium, introduced the 100 contestants, said what school they were from, and started the bee.

In the first three rounds, almost every speller tripped up. They weren't upset when they missed a word, though _____, since they all received a t-shirt and _____ Noun. All but ten incorrectly spelled their _____ Adjective word. You could tell that the remaining ten spellers were _____ Adjective _____ Conjunction afraid. These ten spellers misspelled words one by one until there were two spellers left. One of them, a girl named Stella, would always _____ Adverb pretend to write the word on her _____ Body part to visualize it. The other, a boy named Bobby, would always ask for the word's definition _____ Conjunction (not or) origin to get a better understanding.

These two spellers went _____ Number more rounds, _____ Conjunction (not or) no one misspelled a word. _____ Interjection you guys are really good," the announcer said. But then, in the next round, Bobby missed a word, and Stella had _____ Article (not an) chance to win. She _____ Adverb spelled two words and won the bee. She _____ Past tense verb _____ Preposition and screamed, _____ Interjection when she won. She lifted the trophy high and _____ Past tense verb for the camera. _____ Interjection Bobby said, "I lost, but I tried my hardest."

