



BASIC WORDS SPELLING TASK Score Sheet

Administrator: Date:

Child's ID: (code)		Sex:		Age (years & months):	
School Name: (code)				Year Group/Grade:	

- Read the Administrator's script from the Basic Words Spelling Task *Instructions for Administration and Scoring* form.
- For each item, in the ✓ / ✗ column, write ✓ or 1 beside correct spellings and ✗ or 0 beside incorrect spellings.
- Score 1 point for each correct spelling, and 0 for incorrect spellings. Transcribe the child's incorrect spelling in the *Copy Error* column.
- Accept productions in upper or lower case, and in cursive or printed script.
- The **maximum score is 10** (including the Practice Trials).
- Encourage the child to attempt all items. If the child hesitates on an item, encourage him/her to keep going, but do not give corrective feedback.
- If the child refuses to respond to an item, put a / in the cell of the item they skip.
- Administer **all 10 items. Do NOT discontinue** the test.



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Word	✓ / ✗	Copy Error
PARTICIPANT'S NAME		
MUM		
SUN		
DOG		
A		
IN		
TO		
AND		
INTO		
BUNNY		
	Total Score: /10	

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BASIC WORDS SPELLING TASK Results Summary

Record the sum of attempted, correct, incorrect and skipped items.

Summary of Main Scores

Items Attempted	
Items Incorrect/Skipped	
Items Correct	

	Raw Score	Standard Score	Confidence Intervals	Percentile
Total Basic Words Spelling Score (= number of Items Correct)				