



250 8th Grade Vocabulary Words

1. abalone
2. abashed
3. abjure
4. accede
5. accolade
6. acquittal
7. acrimonious
8. affability
9. agrarian
10. algorithm
11. alumni
12. amorous
13. anecdote
14. antecedent
15. anthology
16. aperture
17. assimilate
18. augment
19. auspicious
20. axiom
21. barbaric
22. behemoth
23. bellicose
24. berserk
25. biodiversity
26. blatant
27. brachiate
28. cacophony
29. cadre
30. calibrate
31. camaraderie
32. candor
33. caucus
34. chicanery
35. chrysalis
36. clandestine
37. cognizant
38. collateral
39. consortium
40. conveyance
41. countenance
42. cynical
43. dais
44. dalliance
45. debonair
46. debunk
47. decelerate
48. deferential
49. defoliant
50. defray
51. defunct
52. deify
53. delineate
54. demarche
55. demeanor
56. demure
57. denizen
58. derision
59. despot
60. diabolical
61. didactic
62. dirigible
63. discomfiture
64. disingenuous
65. disparage
66. dyscalculia
67. dystopia
68. eclectic
69. ecumenical
70. effervescent
71. effusion
72. egregious
73. elite
74. elucidate
75. emblematic
76. emissary
77. enmity
78. ephemeral
79. expunge
80. extrapolate
81. fallacious
82. fallibility
83. fastidious
84. faux



85. felicitous
86. fissure
87. fledgling
88. foreboding
89. fortuitous
90. frenetically
91. furtive
92. gargoyle
93. governance
94. harangue
95. harbinger
96. harebrained
97. heatedly
98. hemorrhage
99. herbaceous
100. hiatus
101. hibachi
102. iconoclast
103. idiosyncratic
104. ignoble
105. illicit
106. immure
107. immutable
108. impecunious
109. impediment
110. imperious
111. implausible
112. importune
113. incandescence
114. incarnadine
115. incipient
116. indolent
117. infirmity
118. inherent
119. insipid
120. jettison
121. judicious
122. junta
123. jurisprudence
124. juxtapose
125. kaput
126. kleptomania
127. laconic
128. lassitude
129. leitmotif
130. lexicologist
131. libelous
132. loathsome
133. madrigal
134. maelstrom
135. mahatma
136. malfeasance
137. mercenary
138. meritorious
139. modicum
140. monolithic
141. montage
142. moratorium
143. nascent
144. nonchalant
145. nonentity
146. nouveau
147. nullify
148. obfuscate
149. olfactory
150. omniscient
151. opulence
152. oration
153. osmosis
154. ostensibly
155. oxymoron
156. palindrome
157. pallid
158. palpable
159. panache
160. panoply
161. paradigm
162. paraphrasable
163. pariah
164. parsimonious
165. pastiche
166. penumbra
167. perfunctory
168. portend
169. portmanteau
170. postulate
171. preemptory
172. preponderance
173. prescient
174. pseudonym
175. pugnacious
176. punctilious



177. quandary
178. quantify
179. quiescent
180. quixotic
181. rabid
182. radon
183. ramshackle
184. rancor
185. rapacious
186. reactive
187. rebuttal
188. recalcitrant
189. recapitulate
190. reconnaissance
191. recrimination
192. redundancy
193. relegate
194. relic
195. remit
196. replete
197. repugnant
198. resin
199. revere
200. rife
201. rudiments
202. rueful
203. ruminant
204. sacrilegious
205. sanction
206. sanguine
207. sarcastic
208. satiate
209. scrupulous
210. sectarian
211. seismic
212. specious
213. stratagem
214. stultify
215. stipulate
216. stymie
217. suave
218. superfluous
219. sustenance
220. symposium
221. tachometer
222. tautology
223. taxidermy
224. taxonomy
225. torque
226. truism
227. ulterior
228. umbrage
229. undulate
230. vacuous
231. vantage
232. variance
233. vehement
234. vellum
235. vendetta
236. veracity
237. verbatim
238. vilify
239. vitriolic
240. vociferous
241. weir
242. wily
243. wistful
244. wraith
245. wurtzite
246. xenophobia
247. xylem
248. yaw
249. ziggurat
250. zircon

