



ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH
SPELLING BEE

A C T I V I T I E S

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GUESS THE ORIGIN

MATCHING DIRECTIONS

Draw a line from each spelling bee word in the left column to the corresponding language of origin in the right column. An example has been given for you.

SPELLING BEE WORD

ORIGIN LANGUAGE

alibi	
baskets	Celtic
booth	
conkers	Greek
corridor	
expanse	Hebrew
invasions	Indonesian
Javas	
Judaism	Latin
knot	
mystified	Lithuanian
nook	
plastron	Old English
ranchero	
read	Old Norse
rodeo	
skiing	Scandinavian
vuvuzela	
wanted	Spanish
whiskers	Zulu