SPELLINGMONTHLY

Art is the essence of us all.

Grade seven words
Building Vocabulary

Grade 7

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
devoid	fulsome	temporal	scrutinize	commiserate
chicanery	mollify	invective	decadence	trajectory
verdant	reticent	mundane	apathetic	superficial
diatribe	furtive	teem	tenuous	sanguine
fiasco	cacophony	facade	covert	acquisition
momentous	retract	exigency	fetid	inhibition
didactic	gamut	allegation	transient	dearth
obnoxious	tenable	altruistic	superfluous	embellish
modulate	nebulous	exemplary	allay	impunity
diffident	cursory	licentious	transcend	elucidation

> "I used to think I was poor. Then they told me I wasn't poor, I was needy. Then they told me it was self-defeating to think of myself as needy. I was deprived. (Oh not deprived but rather underprivileged.) Then they told me that underprivileged was overused. I was disadvantaged. I still don't have a dime. But I have a great vocabulary."
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> Jules Feiffer
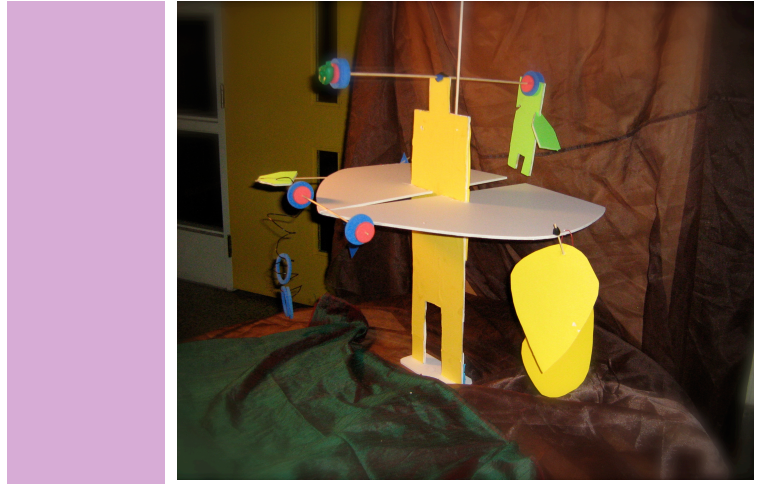
Grade eight words
Advanced Vocabulary - *matching definitions*

Week 1

affinity, clairvoyant, emulate, expedite, impetuous, innocuous, mundane, penitent, propensity, regressive, resilient, sedentary, succinct, terse, ubiquitous, vindictive, wanton, zenith

Week 2

ramification, rapacious, recalcitrant, recant, recrimination, redolent, redundant, refutable, relegate, relinquish, remonstrate, reparation, replenish, reprehensible, requisite, resolute, rigorous, rudimentary

Week 3

acumen, chicanery, deleterious, epiphany, facetious, homogeneous, incognito, kinetic, loquacious, lugubrious, nihilism, obsequious, paradigm, precipitous, sanguine, unctuous, vacuous, xenophobe

Week 4

Acrimonious, Alacrity, Conjecture, Conspicuous, Deviate, Disparage, Erudite, Exonerate, Extricate, Incorrigible, Indolent, Judicious, Mitigate, Ostensible, Palpable, Pandemonium, Rectify, Surreptitious

Week 5

abject, affluent, analogous, arbitrary, cognizant, compulsory, destitute, disseminate, fortuitous, impeccable, impervious, insatiable, oscillate, prerogative, stringent, truncate, unobtrusive, unscrupulous