## **Word Building - American Spelling Words**

A.C.E. resources originate in the U.S.A. Many national PACEs have been produced in Australia, so that history and geography are more relevant, and also Maths measurements and currency are those in use in countries such as Australia, New Zealand, and other South Pacific countries.

Word Building and English teach pronunciation and spelling. As American resources, they can often contradict Australian or British pronunciation and spelling.

First of all, it would be good to remember that children are going to encounter "Americanisms" in so many areas, such as the Internet and media. The opportunity is there to present both spellings and show a preference for one, while teaching that other correct spellings may exist.

If you want to present British (Australian) spellings to your child, the table below shows which Word Building PACEs include words that can be discussed.

PACE	American	British (Australian)
1028	gray	grey
1034	center	centre
	honor	honour
1036	airplane	aeroplane
1038	tire	tyre
1039	molt	moult
1041	plow	plough
1043	flavor	flavour
1049	gray	grey
	vapor	vapour
	neighbor	neighbour
	odor	odour
1054	meter	metre
1056	realize	realise
1060	honor	honour
	colorful	colourful

PACE	American	British (Australian)
1062	mold	mould
1063	neighbor	neighbour
1064	draft	draught
1066	plow	plough
1067	harbor	harbour
	farther	further
	fiber	fibre
	labor	labour
1070	flavor	flavour
	dishonor	dishonour
1073	color	colour
1075	liquefy	liquify
1076	judgment	judgement
1080	defense	defence
	honor	honour
	favor	favour
1082	farther	further
1084	applesauce	apple sauce
1088	mold	mould
	favorable	favourable
1094	humor	humour
1096	chili	chilli
1102	maneuver	manoeuvre