Spelling list: Tier 2 Words (simulation - sphere)

Tier 2 words are less common than high frequency (Tier 1) words. They are often integral to the comprehension of exam questions or core subject knowledge.

simulation A **simulation** is an imitation of a situation.

site A **site** is a piece of land on which something is located.

slither If you **slither**, it means you move like a snake.

sluggish If something is **sluggish**, it means it is slow or inactive.

soar If you **soar**, it means you rise high in the air and fly.

so-called **So-called** is used to describe something that is doubtful or suspect.

solar If something is **solar**, it means it is related to the sun.

If you do something **solely** , it means you do it without any others being solely

included or involved.

solitary If something is **solitary**, it means it exists on its own.

solo A **solo** activity is one that is performed alone without assistance.

somewhat Somewhat means to a small degree or extent.

soothe If you **soothe** someone, you gently support them.

sought If something is being **sought**, it means it is being searched for.

source The **source** of something is the place where it begins or comes from.

sparse If something is **sparse**, it means it is in short supply.

specific If something is **specific**, it means it is precise and clearly defined.

specify If you **specify** something, it means you define it clearly.

sphere A **sphere** is a round 3D shape like a ball.