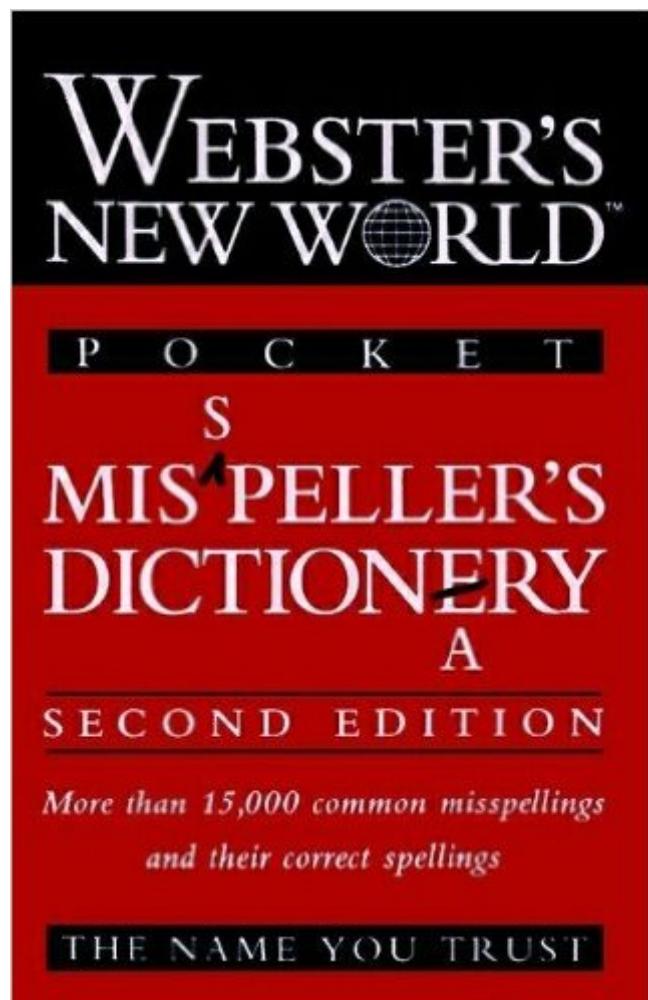


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# Webster's New World Pocket Misspeller's Dictionary



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I've had two others before and there is no comparison. not as many words as you would expect. I immediately found that the word I wanted was not included. commonly misspelled words. I have no need to know the misspelling of the word along with the correct spelling. space could have been better used. sorry I chose the wrong one among the ones available at .combarbara tucker

My husband recently started a job where he has to document his work. He's a bright guy, but a terrible speller, and he knows it! I just wish this were copyrighted more recently than 1997, but I knew about that when I ordered it.

I'm still in a little quandary about this item. I have given this as a gift to others with whom I've worked that had spelling problems and it's been a godsend for them. In this instance I am considering giving it to my great nephew who has difficulty spelling, including difficulty finding the words in the dictionary because he doesn't know how to spell them correctly. On the one hand, it would help him to find the words in the dictionary for definitions, parts of speech, etc. Question is, would he use it like that or just to get the right spelling down and feel as though he never has to learn how to spell. So far, I'm the one that uses it...and don't laugh at me! This is a great little book of commonly misspelled words, so I use it to building spelling lessons for the two children I homeschooled. It is absolutely PERFECT for this application. Would I recommend this book to others? I have and I will continue to do so. It is a tremendous aid for adults who have not learned to spell well. Use of this

book can really change the impact of any writing you do, allowing the reader of your letters or articles to focus on what you're writing about rather than noticing all the words that are misspelled!

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