

Bingos with **SURPRISING -S BACK HOOKS** – 10% of **-ING nouns** take **-S**. All of them listed + other Super -S plays NWL23 Highlighted compiled by Jacob Cohen, Asheville Scrabble Club

#### -ING Nouns That Take Back -S 8s

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ANGLINGS	AGGILNNS	ANGLING, sport of fishing [n]
ARCHINGS	ACGHINRS	ARCHING, series of arches [n]

#### Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s

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ADAMANTS	AAADMNST	ADAMANT, extremely hard substance [n]
ALLOVERS	<b>AELLORSV</b>	ALLOVER, fabric having pattern extending all over entire surface [s]
<b>AMBIENTS</b>	ABEIMNST	AMBIENT, ambiance (character, mood or atmosphere of place or situation) [n]
ASOCIALS	AACILOSS	ASOCIAL, one that avoids company of others [n]
<b>ASSUREDS</b>	<b>ADERSSSU</b>	ASSURED, insured person [n]

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BACKINGS	ABCGIKNS	BACKING, support [n]
BAGGINGS	ABGGGINS	BAGGING, material for making bags [n]
BANDINGS	ABDGINNS	BANDING, presence of stripes of contrasting colors [n]
BANKINGS	ABGIKNNS	BANKING, business of bank [n]
BASHINGS	ABGHINSS	BASHING, act of beating [n]
BASTINGS	ABGINSST	BASTING, thread used by baster [n]
BATHINGS	ABGHINST	BATHING, act of one that bathes [n]
BATTINGS	ABGINSTT	BATTING, batt (sheet of cotton) [n]
BEADINGS	ABDEGINS	BEADING, beaded material [n]
BEALINGS	ABEGILNS	BEALING, beal (infected sore (painful place on body)) [n]
BEARINGS	ABEGINRS	BEARING, demeanor (manner in which one conducts oneself) [n]
BEATINGS	ABEGINST	BEATING, defeat [n]
BEDDINGS	BDDEGINS	BEDDING, material for making up bed [n]
BELLINGS	BEGILLNS	BELLING, mock serenade for newlyweds [n]
BELTINGS	BEGILNST	BELTING, material for belts [n]
BETTINGS	BEGINSTT	BETTING, act of gambling on outcome of race [n]
BIBBINGS	BBBGIINS	BIBBING, act of tippling (to drink alcoholic beverages) [n]
BIDDINGS	BDDGIINS	BIDDING, command [n]
BIGGINGS	BGGGIINS	BIGGING, biggin (house) [n]
BILLINGS	BGIILLNS	BILLING, relative position in which performer is listed [n]
BINDINGS	BDGIINNS	BINDING, cover and fastenings of book [n]
BINGINGS	BGGIINNS	BINGING, bingeing (act of indulging in something to excess) [n]
BIRDINGS	BDGIINRS	BIRDING, bird-watching [n]
BIRLINGS	BGIILNRS	BIRLING, lumberjack's game [n]
BITTINGS	BGIINSTT	BITTING, indentation in key [n]
BLADINGS	ABDGILNS	BLADING, act of skating on in-line skates [n]
BLUEINGS	BEGILNSU	BLUEING, bluing (fabric coloring) [n]
BOATINGS	ABGINOST	BOATING, sport of traveling by boat [n]
BOMBINGS	BBGIMNOS	BOMBING, attack with bombs [n]
BONDINGS	BDGINNOS	BONDING, formation of close personal relationship [n]



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BOOKINGS	BGIKNOOS	BOOKING, engagement [n]
BOOZINGS	BGINOOSZ	BOOZING, act of drinking liquor excessively [n]
BORKINGS	BGIKNORS	BORKING, act of attacking candidate in media [n]
BOWLINGS	BGILNOSW	BOWLING, game in which balls are rolled at objects [n]
BRACINGS	ABCGINRS	BRACING, brace or reinforcement [n]
BREWINGS	BEGINRSW	BREWING, quantity brewed at one time [n]
BROKINGS	BGIKNORS	BROKING, business of broker [n]
BUDDINGS	BDDGINSU	BUDDING, type of asexual reproduction [n]
BUNTINGS	BGINNSTU	BUNTING, fabric used for flags [n]
BURNINGS	BGINNRSU	BURNING, firing of ceramic materials [n]
BUSHINGS	BGHINSSU	BUSHING, lining for hole [n]
BUSKINGS	BGIKNSSU	BUSKING, act of performing as busker [n]
BUSSINGS	BGINSSSU	BUSSING, busing (act of transporting by bus) [n]
BUZZINGS	BGINSUZZ	BUZZING, BUZZ, to make vibrating sound [n]

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BIZARRES	ABEIRRSZ	BIZARRE, strangely striped flower [n]
BLITHERS	BEHILRST	BLITHER, to blather (to talk foolishly)
BRITTLES	BEILRSTT	BRITTLE, to become brittle [v]
BUCOLICS	BCCILOSU	BUCOLIC, pastoral poem [n]

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CABLINGS	ABCGILNS	CABLING, cable or cables used for fastening something [n]
CALKINGS	ACGIKLNS	CALKING, material used to calk [n]
CALLINGS	ACGILLNS	CALLING, vocation or profession [n]
CAMPINGS	ACGIMNPS	CAMPING, act of living outdoors [n]
CANNINGS	ACGINNNS	CANNING, business of preserving food in airtight containers [n]
CAPPINGS	ACGINPPS	CAPPING, wax covering in honeycomb [n]
CARDINGS	ACDGINRS	CARDING, process of combing and cleaning cotton fibers; cleaned and combed fibers [n]
CARLINGS	ACGILNRS	CARLING, beam supporting ship's deck [n]
CARPINGS	ACGINPRS	CARPING, act of one who carps (to find fault unreasonably) [n]
CARVINGS	ACGINRSV	CARVING, carved figure or design [n]
CASTINGS	ACGINSST	CASTING, something made in mold [n]
CATLINGS	ACGILNST	CATLING, surgical knife [n]
CEILINGS	CEGIILNS	CEILING, overhead lining of room [n]
CHASINGS	ACGHINSS	CHASING, design engraved on metal [n]
CLONINGS	CGILNNOS	CLONING, technique for reproducing by asexual means [n]
CLOSINGS	CGILNOSS	CLOSING, concluding part [n]
COAMINGS	ACGIMNOS	COAMING, raised border [n]
COATINGS	ACGINOST	COATING, covering layer [n]
COAXINGS	ACGINOSX	COAXING, act of cajoling [n]
CODLINGS	CDGILNOS	CODLING, unripe apple [n]
COMBINGS	<b>BCGIMNOS</b>	hair removed by comb [n]



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COMPINGS	CGIMNOPS	COMPING, playing of jazz accompaniment [n]
COOKINGS	CGIKNOOS	COOKING, act of one that cooks [n]
CORDINGS	CDGINORS	CORDING, ribbed surface of cloth [n]
COSTINGS	CGINOSST	COSTING, estimation of price of production of something [n]
COWLINGS	CGILNOSW	COWLING, covering for aircraft engine [n]
CRAVINGS	ACGINRSV	CRAVING, great desire [n]
CRAZINGS	ACGINRSZ	CRAZING, fine surface crack on pottery [n]
CUNNINGS	CGINNNSU	CUNNING, skill in deception [n]
CUPPINGS	CGINPPSU	CUPPING, archaic medical process [n]
CURBINGS	BCGINRSU	CURBING, concrete border along street [n]
CURLINGS	CGILNRSU	CURLING, game played on ice [n]
CUTTINGS	CGINSTTU	CUTTING, section cut from plant [n]
CYCLINGS	CCGILNSY	CYCLING, act of riding bicycle [n]
CYMLINGS	CGILMNSY	CYMLING, variety of squash [n]

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CALORICS	ACCILORS	CALORIC, heat [n]
CARDIACS	AACCDIRS	CARDIAC, person with heart disorder [n]
CAUSTICS	ACCISSTU	CAUSTIC, corrosive substance [n]
CENTRALS	ACELNRST	CENTRAL, telephone exchange [n]
CHRONICS	CCHINORS	CHRONIC, one that suffers from long-lasting disease [n]
COELIACS	ACCEILOS	COELIAC, celiac (one that has chronic nutritional disturbance) [n]
COLOREDS	CDELOORS	nonwhite laundry items [n -S]
CORDIALS	ACDILORS	CORDIAL, liqueur (sweetened alcoholic beverage) [n]
CRISPERS	CEIPRRSS	CRISPER, one that crisps (to make crisp) [n]

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DAMPINGS	ADGIMNPS	DAMPING, ability of device to prevent instability [n]
DARLINGS	<b>ADGILNRS</b>	DARLING, much-loved person [n]
DARNINGS	<b>ADGINNRS</b>	DARNING, things to be darned [n]
DAWNINGS	<b>ADGINNSW</b>	DAWNING, daybreak (first appearance of light in morning) [n]
DEALINGS	<b>ADEGILNS</b>	DEALING, business transaction [n]
DECKINGS	CDEGIKNS	DECKING, material for ship's deck (platform serving as floor) [n]
DIALINGS	ADGIILNS	DIALING, measurement of time by sundials [n]
DIGGINGS	DGGGIINS	excavation site [n]
DOWSINGS	DGINOSSW	DOWSING, technique for searching for underground water [n]
DRAWINGS	ADGINRSW	DRAWING, portrayal in lines of form or figure [n]
DRIVINGS	DGIINRSV	DRIVING, management of motor vehicle [n]
DROVINGS	DGINORSV	DROVING, work of drover [n]
DUBBINGS	BBDGINSU	DUBBING, material for softening and waterproofing leather [n]
DUCTINGS	CDGINSTU	DUCTING, system of ducts [n]
DUELINGS	DEGILNSU	DUELING, contest between two persons with deadly weapons [n]
DUMPINGS	DGIMNPSU	DUMPING, selling of large quantities of goods at below market price [n]



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DUNKINGS DGIKNNSU DUNKING, act of dipping something into liquid [n]

DUSTINGS DGINSSTU DUSTING, light sprinkling [n]

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DAMNESTS	ADEMNSST	DAMNEST, damndest (utmost (greatest degree or amount)) [n]
DARNESTS	ADENRSST	DARNEST, damndest (utmost (greatest degree or amount)) [n]
DESPITES	DEEIPSST	DESPITE, to treat with contempt [v]
DEXTRALS	ADELRSTX	DEXTRAL, right-handed person [n]
DIGITALS	ADGIILST	DIGITAL, piano key [n]
DIURNALS	ADILNRSU	DIURNAL, diary (personal journal) [n]
DURABLES	ABDELRSU	DURABLE, durable goods [n]
DYNAMICS	ACDIMNSY	DYNAMIC, physical force [n]

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EANLINGS	AEGILNNS	EANLING, yeanling (young of sheep or goat) [n]
EARNINGS	AEGINNRS	something earned [n]
EARRINGS	AEGINRRS	EARRING, ornament for earlobe [n]
EASTINGS	AEGINSST	EASTING, movement toward east [n]
<b>EMPTINGS</b>	EGIMNPST	emptins (liquid leavening) [n]
ERLKINGS	EGIKLNRS	ERLKING, evil spirit of Germanic folklore [n]
ETCHINGS	CEGHINST	ETCHING, etched design [n]
<b>EVENINGS</b>	EEGINNSV	EVENING, latter part of day and early part of night [n]

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EARNESTS	AEENRSST	EARNEST, down payment [n]
<b>EMPIRICS</b>	CEIIMPRS	EMPIRIC, one who relies on practical experience [n]
<b>EMPTIERS</b>	EEIMPRST	EMPTIER, one that empties (to remove contents of) [n]
<b>ENDEMICS</b>	CDEEIMNS	ENDEMIC, endemial disease [n]
ENTERICS	CEEINRST	family of bacteria [n]
ERRATICS	ACEIRRST	ERRATIC, eccentric person [n]
ETERNALS	AEELNRST	ETERNAL, something lasting forever [n]
ETHICALS	ACEHILST	ETHICAL, drug sold by prescription only [n]
EXPLICITS	CEIILPSTX	EXPLICIT, statement used formally at close of book [n]
EXTINCTS	CEINSTTX	EXTINCT, to extinguish [v]
EYEWEARS	AEEERSWY	EYEWEAR, device worn on or over eyes [n]

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FAILINGS	AFGIILNS	FAILING, minor fault or weakness [n]
<b>FAIRINGS</b>	AFGIINRS	FAIRING, structure on aircraft serving to reduce drag [n]
<b>FALLINGS</b>	AFGILLNS	FALLING, felling of trees for timber [n]



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<b>FARMINGS</b>	AFGIMNRS	FARMING, business of operating farm [n]
<b>FASTINGS</b>	AFGINSST	FASTING, abstention from eating [n]
<b>FATLINGS</b>	AFGILNST	FATLING, young animal fattened for slaughter [n]
FEEDINGS	DEEFGINS	FEEDING, act of giving food to person or animal [n]
FEELINGS	EEFGILNS	FEELING, function or power of perceiving by touch [n]
FELTINGS	EFGILNST	FELTING, felted material [n]
FENCINGS	CEFGINNS	FENCING, art of using sword in attack and defense [n]
FILLINGS	FGIILLNS	FILLING, that which is used to fill something [n]
FINDINGS	DFGIINNS	FINDING, something that is found [n]
FISHINGS	<b>FGHIINSS</b>	FISHING, occupation or pastime of catching fish [n]
FISTINGS	FGIINSST	FISTING, offensive word [n]
FITTINGS	FGIINSTT	FITTING, small often standardized accessory part [n]
FLUTINGS	FGILNSTU	FLUTING, series of parallel grooves [n]
FLYTINGS	FGILNSTY	FLYTING, dispute in verse form [n]
FOALINGS	AFGILNOS	FOALING, act of giving birth to horse [n]
FOGGINGS	FGGGINOS	FOGGING, covering with fog [n]
FOOTINGS	FGINOOST	FOOTING, foothold (secure support for feet) [n]
FORGINGS	FGGINORS	FORGING, forgery (act of forging) [n]
FOULINGS	FGILNOSU	FOULING, deposit or crust [n]
FOWLINGS	FGILNOSW	FOWLING, hunting of birds [n]
FRAMINGS	AFGIMNRS	FRAMING, framework [n]
FRAYINGS	AFGINRSY	FRAYING, something worn off by rubbing [n]
<b>FUNDINGS</b>	DFGINNSU	FUNDING, money provided for particular purpose [n]
FURRINGS	FGINRRSU	FURRING, trimming or lining of fur [n]
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FANCIERS	ACEFINRS	FANCIER, one that has special liking for something [n]
<b>FEDERALS</b>	ADEEFLRS	FEDERAL, support of certain type of central government [n]
FRESHERS	EEFHRRSS	FRESHER, freshman (first year student at high school, university, or college) [n]
FRONTALS	AFLNORST	FRONTAL, bone of skull [n]
FROSTEDS	DEFORSST	FROSTED, type of milkshake [n]
FURRIERS	EFIRRRSU	FURRIER, one that deals in furs [n]

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GASKINGS	AGGIKNSS	GASKING, gasket (packing for making something fluid-tight) [n]
GASSINGS	AGGINSSS	GASSING, poisoning by noxious gas [n]
GAYWINGS	AGGINSWY	perennial herb [n GAYWINGS]
GEARINGS	AEGGINRS	GEARING, system of gears [n]
GELDINGS	DEGGILNS	GELDING, castrated animal [n]
GIFTINGS	FGGIINST	GIFTING, act of presenting with gift [n]
GILDINGS	DGGIILNS	GILDING, application of gilt [n]
GINNINGS	GGIINNNS	GINNING, cotton as it comes from gin [n]
GLAZINGS	AGGILNSZ	GLAZING, glaziery (work of glazier) [n]



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GLEYINGS	EGGILNSY	GLEYING, development of gley [n]
GNAWINGS	AGGINNSW	GNAWING, persistent dull pain [n]
GODLINGS	DGGILNOS	GODLING, lesser god [n]
GOLFINGS	<b>FGGILNOS</b>	GOLFING, game of golf [n]
GOSLINGS	GGILNOSS	GOSLING, young goose [n]
GRATINGS	AGGINRST	GRATING, network of bars covering opening [n]
GRAZINGS	AGGINRSZ	GRAZING, land used for feeding of animals [n]
GUNNINGS	GGINNNSU	GUNNING, sport of hunting with gun [n]

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G

GALLANTS	AAGLLNST	GALLANT, to court woman [v]
GENERICS	CEEGINRS	GENERIC, type of drug [n]
GNOCCHIS	CCGHINOS	GNOCCHI, dumplings made of pasta [n]
GRADUALS	AADGLRSU	GRADUAL, hymn sung in alternate parts [n]
GROSSERS	EGORRSSS	GROSSER, product vielding large volume of business [n]

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HACKINGS	ACGHIKNS	HACKING, activity of riding horse for pleasure [n]
HALVINGS	AGHILNSV	HALVING, act of fitting timbers together by cutting out half thickness of each [n]
HANGINGS	AGGHINNS	HANGING, execution by strangling with suspended noose [n]
HARPINGS	AGHINPRS	HARPING, wooden plank used in shipbuilding [n]
HAULINGS	AGHILNSU	HAULING, action of transporting logs [n]
HAWKINGS	AGHIKNSW	HAWKING, falconry (sport of hunting with falcons) [n]
HEADINGS	ADEGHINS	HEADING, title [n]
HEALINGS	AEGHILNS	HEALING, process of becoming healthy again [n]
HEARINGS	<b>AEGHINRS</b>	HEARING, preliminary examination [n]
HEATINGS	AEGHINST	HEATING, act of making something hot [n]
HEELINGS	EEGHILNS	HEELING, act of inclining laterally [n]
HELPINGS	EGHILNPS	HELPING, portion of food [n]
HERDINGS	DEGHINRS	HERDING, work of tending or moving livestock [n]
HERRINGS	EGHINRRS	HERRING, food fish [n]
HILDINGS	DGHIILNS	HILDING, vile person [n]
HISSINGS	GHIINSSS	HISSING, object of scorn [n]
HOLDINGS	DGHILNOS	HOLDING, something held [n]
HOOKINGS	GHIKNOOS	HOOKING, illegal move in hockey involving blade of stick [n]
HOPPINGS	GHINOPPS	HOPPING, going from one place to another of same kind [n]
HORNINGS	GHINNORS	HORNING, mock serenade for newlyweds [n]
HOUSINGS	GHINOSSU	HOUSING, any dwelling place [n]
HUNTINGS	GHINNSTU	HUNTING, instance of searching [n]
HURLINGS	GHILNRSU	HURLING, Irish game [n]
HUSKINGS	GHIKNSSU	HUSKING, gathering of families to husk corn [n]
HUSTINGS	GHINSSTU	British court [n HUSTINGS]



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	HAGGARD, adult hawk [n]		
AEHIRSWY	HAYWIRE, wire used in baling hay [n]		
ACEHIMST	HEMATIC, medicine for blood disease [n]		
EFHLOPSU	HOPEFUL, one that aspires (to have earnest desire or ambition) [n]		
EHILOSST	HOSTILE, unfriendly person [n]		
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AGGIIMNS	IMAGING, action of producing visible representation [n]		
BEGIINNS	INBEING, state of being inherent (existing in something as essential characteristic) [n]		
GIIKLNNS	INKLING, slight suggestion [n]		
GIINNORS	IRONING, clothes pressed or to be pressed [n]		
CGHIINST	ITCHING, uneasy or tingling skin sensation [n]		
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AEGILLLS	ILLEGAL, person who enters country without authorization [n]		
CGIILLOS	ILLOGIC, absence of logic [n]		
EIMMNSU	IMMUNE, one who is protected from disease [n]		
AILNRSSU	INSULAR, islander (one that lives on island) [n]		
DEINRSSU	INSURED, one who is insured [n]		
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	JESTING, act of one who jests (to joke (to say something amusing)) [n]		
	JOGGING, practice of running at slow, steady pace [n]		
	JOINING, juncture (act of joining) [n]		
	JOSHING, act of teasing (to make fun of) [n]		
	JOTTING, brief note [n]		
GIJMNPSU	JUMPING, act of one that jumps [n]		
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EIJLLORS	JOLLIER, one who puts others in good humor [n]		
	AGGIIMNS BEGIINNS GIIKLNNS GIINNORS CGHIINST  AEGILLLS CGIILLOS EIMMNSU AILNRSSU DEINRSSU  EGIJNSST GGGIJNOS GIJNNOS GHIJNOSS GIJNOSTT GIJMNPSU		

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KARTINGS AGI	KNRST KARTING,	sport of racing karts [n]
KEENINGS EEG	IKNNS KEENING,	act of wailing loudly over dead [n]
KEEPINGS EEG	IKNPS KEEPING,	custody (guardianship) [n]
KEGLINGS EGG	SIKLNS KEGLING,	bowling (game in which balls are rolled at objects) [n]



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KENNINGS	<b>EGIKNNNS</b>	KENNING, metaphorical compound word or phrase [n]
KERNINGS	<b>EGIKNNRS</b>	KERNING, act of forming projecting part of typeface [n]
KICKINGS	CGIIKKNS	KICKING, act of striking with foot [n]
KILLINGS	GIIKLLNS	KILLING, sudden notable success [n]
KILTINGS	GIIKLNST	KILTING, arrangement of kilt pleats [n]
KINDREDS	<b>DDEIKNRS</b>	KINDRED, natural grouping [n]
KITLINGS	GIIKLNST	KITLING, young animal [n]
KNIFINGS	<b>FGIIKNNS</b>	KNIFING, act of stabbing with knife [n]
KNOWINGS	GIKNNOSW	KNOWING, knowledge [n]

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KINDREDS DDEIKNRS KINDRED, natural grouping [n]

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LAGGINGS	AGGGILNS	LAGGING, insulating material [n]
LAMBINGS	ABGILMNS	LAMBING, birth of lambs on farm [n]
LANDINGS	ADGILNNS	LANDING, place for discharging or taking on passengers or cargo [n]
LAPWINGS	AGILNPSW	LAPWING, shore bird [n]
LASHINGS	AGHILNSS	LASHING, flogging (whipping (material used to whip)) [n]
LASTINGS	AGILNSST	LASTING, durable fabric [n]
LATHINGS	AGHILNST	LATHING, work made of or using laths [n]
LEADINGS	ADEGILNS	LEADING, covering or border of lead [n]
LEANINGS	AEGILNNS	LEANING, tendency (inclination to act or think in particular way) [n]
LEASINGS	AEGILNSS	LEASING, falsehood [n]
LEAVINGS	AEGILNSV	LEAVING, leftover (unused or unconsumed portion) [n]
LEGGINGS	EGGGILNS	LEGGING, covering for leg [n]
LEMMINGS	EGILMMNS	LEMMING, mouselike rodent [n]
LENDINGS	DEGILNNS	LENDING, act of giving something temporarily [n]
LENSINGS	EGILNNSS	LENSING, act or instance of filming motion picture [n]
LICKINGS	CGIIKLNS	LICKING, thrashing or beating [n]
LIPPINGS	GIILNPPS	LIPPING, liplike outgrowth of bone [n]
LISPINGS	GIILNPSS	LISPING, LISP, to pronounce letters s and z imperfectly [n]
LISTINGS	GIILNSST	LISTING, something that is listed [n]
LOADINGS	ADGILNOS	LOADING, burden [n]
LOAFINGS	AFGILNOS	LOAFING, place where cattle are allowed to roam freely [n]
LOANINGS	AGILNNOS	LOANING, lane (narrow passageway) [n]
LODGINGS	DGGILNOS	LODGING, temporary place to live [n]
LOGGINGS	GGGILNOS	LOGGING, business of cutting down trees for timber [n]
LONGINGS	GGILNNOS	LONGING, strong desire [n]
LOOTINGS	GILNOOST	LOOTING, act of stealing goods left unprotected [n]
LORDINGS	<b>DGILNORS</b>	LORDING, lordling (young or unimportant lord) [n]



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LIMITEDS	DEIILMST	LIMITED, train or bus making few stops [n]
LITERALS	AEILLRST	LITERAL, small error in printing or writing [n]

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MAILINGS	AGIILMNS	MAILING, rented farm [n]
MALLINGS	AGILLMNS	MALLING, practice of shopping at malls (large buildings with many shops) [n]
MALTINGS	AGILMNST	MALTING, process of preparing grain for brewing [n]
MAPPINGS	AGIMNPPS	MAPPING, mathematical correspondence [n]
MARKINGS	AGIKMNRS	MARKING, pattern of marks [n]
MARLINGS	AGILMNRS	MARLING, marline (rope used on ship) [n]
MASKINGS	AGIKMNSS	MASKING, piece of scenery used to conceal parts of stage from audience [n]
MATTINGS	AGIMNSTT	MATTING, woven fabric used as floor covering [n]
MAULINGS	AGILMNSU	MAULING, act of injuring by beating [n]
MEANINGS	AEGIMNNS	MEANING, something that one intends to convey by language [n]
MEETINGS	EEGIMNST	MEETING, assembly for common purpose [n]
MENDINGS	DEGIMNNS	MENDING, accumulation of articles to be mended [n]
MERGINGS	EGGIMNRS	MERGING, act of combining (to blend (to mix smoothly and inseparably together)) [n]
MESHINGS	EGHIMNSS	MESHING, act of fitting together [n]
MILLINGS	GIILLMNS	MILLING, corrugated edge on coin [n]
MOLDINGS	DGILMNOS	MOLDING, long, narrow strip used to decorate surface [n]
MOORINGS	GIMNOORS	MOORING, place where vessel may be moored [n]
MORNINGS	GIMNNORS	MORNING, early part of day [n]
MOSHINGS	GHIMNOSS	MOSHING, frenzied dancing at rock concert [n]
MOUSINGS	GIMNOSSU	MOUSING, wrapping around shank end of hook [n]
MUGGINGS	GGGIMNSU	MUGGING, street assault or beating [n]
MUMMINGS	GIMMMNSU	MUMMING, performance of folk play by mummers [n]
MUNTINGS	GIMNNSTU	MUNTING, muntin (dividing strip for window panes) [n]
MUSHINGS	GHIMNSSU	MUSHING, MUSH, to travel over snow with dog sled [n]

#### Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s

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MANKINDS	ADIKMNNS	MANKIND, human race [n]
MARRIEDS	ADEIMRRS	MARRIED, one who has entered into marriage [n]
MATURERS	AEMRRSTU	MATURER, one that brings something to maturity [n]
MEDICALS	ACDEILMS	MEDICAL, physical examination [n]
MIDSHIPS	DHIIMPSS	toward middle of ship [adv]
MINIMALS	AIILMMNS	MINIMAL, element of mathematical set that precedes all others [n]
MOSTESTS	<b>EMOSSSTT</b>	MOSTEST, most (greatest amount)
MOVABLES	<b>ABELMOSV</b>	MOVABLE, something that can be moved [n]



**PASTINGS** 

PEELINGS

**PEENINGS** 

**PETTINGS** 

**PICKINGS** 

PIECINGS

**PIMPINGS** 

**AGINPSST** 

**EEGILNPS** 

**EEGINNPS** 

**EGINPSTT** 

**CGIIKNPS** 

**CEGIINPS** 

**GIIMNPPS** 

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	NAGGINGS	AGGGINNS	NAGGING, act of finding fault incessantly [n]	
	NECKINGS	CEGIKNNS	NECKING, small molding near top of column [n]	
	NERVINGS	<b>EGINNRSV</b>	NERVING, type of veterinary operation [n]	
	NETTINGS	<b>EGINNSTT</b>	NETTING, net [n]	
	NOGGINGS	GGGINNOS	NOGGING, type of masonry (structure built of stone or brick) [n]	
	NOONINGS	GINNNOOS	NOONING, meal eaten at noon [n]	
	NOTHINGS	GHINNOST	NOTHING, absence of all quantity or magnitude [n]	
	NURSINGS	GINNRSSU	NURSING, profession of one who nurses [n]	
	NUTTINGS	GINNSTTU	NUTTING, act of gathering nuts [n]	
			Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s	
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	NEUTRALS	AELNRSTU	NEUTRAL, one that is impartial [n]	
	NOMINALS	AILMNNOS	NOMINAL, word used as noun [n]	
	NOWHERES	EEHNORSW	NOWHERE, nonexistent place [n]	
	NUMERICS	CEIMNRSU	NUMERIC, numeral (symbol that expresses number) [n]	
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	OPENINGS	EGINNOPS	OPENING, vacant or unobstructed space [n]	
	OFLININGS	LGINNOFS	OF ENTING, Vacant or unobstructed space [11]	
	Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s O			
	OBLIQUES	BEILOQSU	OBLIQUE, to slant (to deviate from horizontal or vertical) [v]	
	OFFBEATS	ABEFFOST	OFFBEAT, unaccented beat in music [n]	
	ORBITALS	ABILORST	ORBITAL, subdivision of nuclear shell [n]	
	OVOIDALS	ADILOOSV	OVOIDAL, ovoid (egg-shaped body) [n]	
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	PACKINGS	ACGIKNPS	PACKING, material used to pack [n]	
	PADDINGS	ADDGINPS	PADDING, material with which to pad [n]	
	PAIRINGS	AGIINPRS	PAIRING, matching of two opponents in tournament [n]	
	PARGINGS	AGGINPRS	PARGING, thin coat of mortar or plaster for sealing masonry [n]	
	PARKINGS	AGIKNPRS	PARKING, area in which vehicles may be left [n]	
	PARTINGS	AGINPRST	PARTING, division or separation [n]	
	PASSINGS	AGINPSSS	PASSING, death (end of life) [n]	

PASTING, beating (defeat) [n]

PICKING, act of one that picks [n]

PEELING, piece or strip that has been peeled off [n]

PIMPING, practice of soliciting clients for prostitute [n]

PETTING, amorous caressing and kissing [n]

PIECING, material to be sewn together [n]

PEENING, action of treating sheet metal with metal shot in order to shape it [n]



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PINKINGS	GIIKNNPS	PINKING, method of cutting or decorating [n]
PITTINGS	GIINPSTT	PITTING, arrangement of cavities or depressions [n]
PLACINGS	ACGILNPS	PLACING, state of being ranked in race [n]
PLATINGS	AGILNPST	PLATING, thin layer of metal [n]
POLLINGS	GILLNOPS	POLLING, registering or casting of votes [n]
POSTINGS	GINOPSST	POSTING, act of transferring to ledger [n]
PRIMINGS	GIIMNPRS	PRIMING, act of one that primes [n]
PUBBINGS	BBGINPSU	PUBBING, practice of drinking in pubs [n]
<b>PUDDINGS</b>	DDGINPSU	PUDDING, thick, soft dessert [n]
<b>PUGGINGS</b>	GGGINPSU	PUGGING, act of preparing clay for making bricks or pottery [n]
PULPINGS	GILNPPSU	PULPING, process of reducing to pulp [n]
<b>PUNNINGS</b>	GINNNPSU	PUNNING, act of making pun [n]
PURGINGS	GGINPRSU	PURGING, act of purifying (to free from impurities) [n]
PURLINGS	GILNPRSU	PURLING, inversion of stitches in knitting [n]

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PARTIALS	AAILPRST	PARTIAL, simple component of complex tone [n]
PASSIVES	AEIPSSSV	PASSIVE, verb form [n]
PAYABLES	AABELPSY	accounts payable [n]
PRECISES	CEEIPRSS	PRECIS, to make concise summary [v]
PYRRHICS	CHIPRRSY	PYRRHIC, type of metrical foot [n]

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R

RAFTINGS	AFGINRST	RAFTING, sport of traveling down river on raft [n]
RAGGINGS	AGGGINRS	RAGGING, technique of decorating wall by applying paint with rag [n]
RAILINGS	AGIILNRS	RAILING, fence-like barrier [n]
RAISINGS	AGIINRSS	RAISING, elevation [n]
RANKINGS	AGIKNNRS	RANKING, listing of ranked individuals [n]
RANTINGS	AGINNRST	loud and angry comments [n]
RASPINGS	AGINPRSS	RASPING, tiny piece of wood removed with coarse file [n]
READINGS	<b>ADEGINRS</b>	READING, material that is read [n]
REARINGS	<b>AEGINRRS</b>	REARING, act of animal standing on its rear limbs [n]
REDWINGS	DEGINRSW	REDWING, European thrush [n]
REEDINGS	<b>DEEGINRS</b>	REEDING, convex molding [n]
REELINGS	<b>EEGILNRS</b>	REELING, sustained noise [n]
REFFINGS	EFFGINRS	REFFING, work of referee [n]



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REIVINGS	EGIINRSV	REIVING, act or instance of plundering [n]
RIBBINGS	BBGIINRS	RIBBING, act of one that ribs [n]
RIFLINGS	FGIILNRS	RIFLING, system of grooves in gun barrel [n]
RIGGINGS	GGGIINRS	RIGGING, system of lines, chains, and tackle used aboard ship [n]
RINSINGS	GIINNRSS	RINSING, act of one that rinses [n]
RIOTINGS	GIINORST	RIOTING, violent public disturbance [n]
ROAMINGS	AGIMNORS	ROAMING, use of cell phone outside its local area [n]
ROARINGS	AGINORRS	ROARING, loud, deep sound [n]
ROLLINGS	GILLNORS	ROLLING, act of one that rolls [n]
ROOFINGS	<b>FGINOORS</b>	ROOFING, material for roof [n]
RUBBINGS	BBGINRSU	RUBBING, image produced by rubbing [n]
RUCHINGS	CGHINRSU	RUCHING, ruche (pleated strip of fine fabric) [n]
RUNNINGS	GINNNRSU	RUNNING, race [n]
RUSHINGS	GHINRSSU	RUSHING, yardage gained in football by running plays [n]

#### Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s

RADIANTS	AADINRST	RADIANT, point from which rays are emitted [n]
REPLETES	EEELPRST	REPLETE, worker ant that serves living storehouse for liquid food [n]
RETINALS	AEILNRST	RETINAL, retinene (pigment in retina) [n]
RISIBLES	BEIILRSS	sense of ridiculous [n]
ROUGHERS	<b>EGHORRSU</b>	ROUGHER, one that roughs (to make rough) [n]

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SACKINGS	ACGIKNSS	SACKING, material for making sacks [n]
SACRINGS	ACGINRSS	SACRING, consecration of bread and wine of Eucharist [n]
SAILINGS	AGIILNSS	SAILING, act of one that sails [n]
SALTINGS	AGILNSST	SALTING, land regularly flooded by tides [n]
SAPLINGS	AGILNPSS	SAPLING, young tree [n]
SAPPINGS	AGINPPSS	SAPPING, removal of foundation of building so as to weaken it [n]
SCALINGS	ACGILNSS	SCALING, formation of scales on skin [n]
SCORINGS	CGINORSS	SCORING, act of scoring in game [n]
SEALINGS	AEGILNSS	SEALING, hunting of seals [n]
SEATINGS	AEGINSST	SEATING, material for covering seats [n]
SEEMINGS	EEGIMNSS	SEEMING, outward appearance [n]
SEININGS	EGIINNSS	SEINING, act of catching fish with seine [n]
SEISINGS	EGIINSSS	SEISING, seizing (act of one that seizes) [n]
SEIZINGS	EGIINSSZ	SEIZING, act of one that seizes [n]
SERGINGS	EGGINRSS	SERGING, process of finishing raw edges of fabric [n]
SERVINGS	EGINRSSV	SERVING, portion of food [n]
SETTINGS	EGINSSTT	SETTING, scenery used in dramatic production [n]
SEXTINGS	EGINSSTX	SEXTING, sending of sexually explicit messages or images by cell phone [n]
SHADINGS	ADGHINSS	SHADING, protection against light or heat [n]
SHAVINGS	AGHINSSV	SHAVING, something shaved off [n]



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SHORINGS	<b>GHINORSS</b>	SHORING, system of supporting timbers [n]
SHOWINGS	GHINOSSW	SHOWING, exhibition or display [n]
SIBLINGS	<b>BGIILNSS</b>	SIBLING, one having same parents as another [n]
SIFTINGS	<b>FGIINSST</b>	SIFTING, work of sifter [n]
SIGNINGS	GGIINNSS	SIGNING, act of writing one's signature on document or in book [n]
SINGINGS	GGIINNSS	SINGING, act or sound of one that sings [n]
SITTINGS	GIINSSTT	SITTING, meeting or session [n]
SKATINGS	AGIKNSST	SKATING, sport of gliding on skates [n]
SKIWEARS	AEIKRSSW	SKIWEAR, clothing suitable for wear while skiing [n]
SLATINGS	AGILNSST	SLATING, act of one that slates [n]
SLAYINGS	AGILNSSY	SLAYING, act or instance of killing [n]
SMOKINGS	GIKMNOSS	SMOKING, inhaling and exhaling of smoke of tobacco or drug [n]
SNIPINGS	GIINNPSS	SNIPING, act of one that snipes [n]
SNORINGS	<b>GINNORSS</b>	SNORING, act of breathing loudly while sleeping [n]
SOAKINGS	AGIKNOSS	SOAKING, act of wetting something thoroughly [n]
SOARINGS	AGINORSS	SOARING, sport of flying in heavier-than-air craft without power [n]
SORTINGS	GINORSST	SORTING, separating of items into groups [n]
SPACINGS	ACGINPSS	SPACING, distance between any two objects [n]
SPAEINGS	AEGINPSS	SPAEING, act of foretelling (to tell of or about in advance) [n]
SPILINGS	GIILNPSS	SPILING, piling (structure of building supports) [n]
STAGINGS	AGGINSST	STAGING, temporary platform [n]
STOPINGS	GINOPSST	STOPING, process of excavating in layers [n]
STYLINGS	GILNSSTY	STYLING, way in which something is styled [n]
SUBBINGS	BBGINSSU	SUBBING, thin coating on support of photographic film [n]
SUBRINGS	BGINRSSU	SUBRING, subset of mathematical ring that is itself ring [n]
SUITINGS	GIINSSTU	SUITING, fabric for making suits [n]
SURFINGS	FGINRSSU	SURFING, act or sport of riding surf (breaking waves) [n]
SWILINGS	GIILNSSW	SWILING, activity of hunting seals [n]
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### Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s

S

SALIENTS A	EILNSST	SALIENT, part of fortification projecting closest to enemy [n]
SALTIERS A	EILRSST	SALTIER, saltire (heraldic design) [n]
SAPIENTS A	EINPSST	SAPIENT, wise person [n]
SAUCIERS A	CEIRSSU	SAUCIER, chef who specializes in sauces [n]
SECULARS A	CELRSSU	SECULAR, layman (member of laity) [n]
SEVERALS A	EELRSSV	SEVERAL, few persons or things [n]
SHARPERS A	EHPRRSS	SHARPER, swindler (one that swindles (to take money from by fraudulent means)) [n]
SPHERICS CI	EHIPRSS	geometry of figures on surface of sphere [n]
STARKERS A	EKRRSST	naked (being without clothing or covering) [adj]
STEEPERS E	EEPRSST	STEEPER, one that steeps (to soak in liquid) [n]
STRANGES A	EGNRSST	STRANGE, fundamental quark [n]
SUPREMES E	EMPRSSU	SUPREME, smooth white sauce made with chicken stock [n]
SWIFTERS EF	FIRSSTW	SWIFTER, rope on ship [n]



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TABBINGS	ABBGINST	TABBING, use of tab key on keyboard [n]
TABLINGS	ABGILNST	TABLING, setting of data or information in tables (columns) [n]
TAILINGS	AGIILNST	TAILING, part of projecting stone or brick that is inserted into wall [n]
TALKINGS	AGIKLNST	TALKING, conversation [n]
TAMPINGS	AGIMNPST	TAMPING, act of packing down by tapping [n]
TANNINGS	AGINNNST	TANNING, process of converting hides into leather [n]
TAPPINGS	AGINPPST	TAPPING, process or means by which something is tapped [n]
TASTINGS	AGINSSTT	TASTING, gathering for sampling wines or foods [n]
TATTINGS	AGINSTTT	TATTING, delicate handmade lace [n]
TESTINGS	EGINSSTT	TESTING, act of evaluating one by examination [n]
THAWINGS	AGHINSTW	THAWING, melting of frozen substance [n]
TICKINGS	CGIIKNST	TICKING, strong cotton fabric [n]
TINTINGS	GIINNSTT	TINTING, process of one that tints [n]
TITHINGS	GHIINSTT	TITHING, act of levying tithes [n]
TOLLINGS	GILLNOST	TOLLING, collecting of tolls [n]
TOOLINGS	GILNOOST	TOOLING, ornamentation done with tools [n]
TOPPINGS	GINOPPST	TOPPING, something that forms top [n]
TOURINGS	GINORSTU	TOURING, cross-country skiing for pleasure [n]
TRACINGS	ACGINRST	TRACING, something that is traced [n]
TRADINGS	ADGINRST	TRADING, action of exchanging commodities [n]
TUCKINGS	CGIKNSTU	TUCKING, series of stitched folds in garment [n]
TUFTINGS	FGINSTTU	TUFTING, cluster of tufts used for decoration [n]
TUPPINGS	GINPPSTU	TUPPING, act of ram copulating with ewe [n]
TURNINGS	GINNRSTU	TURNING, rotation about axis [n]
		Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s
THERMALS	AEHLMRST	THERMAL, rising mass of warm air [n]
TITULARS	ALITEMRST	TITULAR, one who holds title [n]
TOPICALS	ACILOPST	TOPICAL, postage stamp in collection with designs relating to same subject [n]
TUBULARS	ABLRSTUU	TUBULAR, completely enclosed bicycle tire [n]
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UNDOINGS	DGINNOSU	UNDOING, cause of ruin [n]
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UNEQUALS	AELNQSUU	UNEQUAL, one that is not equal to another [n]
UNROUNDS	DNNORSSU	UNROUND, to articulate without rounding lips [n]
UTOPIANS	AINOPSTU	UTOPIAN, one who believes in perfectibility of human society [n]



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V

VEILINGS	EGIILNSV	VEILING, veil [n]
VEININGS	EGIINNSV	VEINING, network of veins [n]
VESTINGS	EGINSSTV	VESTING, right of employee to share in and withdraw from pension fund without penalty [n]
VIEWINGS	EGIINSVW	VIEWING, act of seeing, watching, or looking [n]
VOGUINGS	GGINOSUV	VOGUING, dance consisting of series of styled poses [n]
VOICINGS	CGIINOSV	VOICING, tonal quality of instrument in ensemble [n]

#### Other Surprising Back -S Plays 8s

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VALIANTS	AAILNSTV	VALIANT, courageous person [n]
<b>VIBRANTS</b>	ABINRSTV	VIBRANT, sonant (sound uttered with vibration of vocal chords) [n]
VISIBLES	BEIILSSV	VISIBLE, someone that can be seen [n]

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W

WADDINGS	ADDGINSW	WADDING, wad [n]
WAITINGS	AGIINSTW	WAITING, act of one who waits (to stay in expectation of) [n]
WALKINGS	AGIKLNSW	WALKING, act of one that walks [n]
WARMINGS	AGIMNRSW	WARMING, act or instance of making something warm [n]
WARNINGS	AGINNRSW	WARNING, something that warns [n]
WASHINGS	AGHINSSW	WASHING, articles washed or to be washed [n]
WAXWINGS	AGINSWWX	WAXWING, type of passerine bird [n]
WEAVINGS	AEGINSVW	WEAVING, activity of creating woven materials [n]
WEBBINGS	BBEGINSW	WEBBING, woven strip of fiber [n]
WEDDINGS	DDEGINSW	WEDDING, marriage ceremony [n]
WEEPINGS	EEGINPSW	WEEPING, act of one that weeps [n]
WELTINGS	EGILNSTW	WELTING, cord or strip used to reinforce seam [n]
WESTINGS	EGINSSTW	WESTING, shifting west [n]
WETTINGS	EGINSTTW	WETTING, liquid used in moistening something [n]
WHALINGS	AGHILNSW	WHALING, industry of hunting and processing whales [n]
WHITINGS	GHIINSTW	WHITING, marine food fish [n]
WHORINGS	GHINORSW	WHORING, use of services of prostitute [n]
WICKINGS	CGIIKNSW	WICKING, material for wicks [n]
WIGGINGS	GGGIINSW	WIGGING, scolding (harsh reproof) [n]
WILDINGS	DGIILNSW	WILDING, wild plant or animal [n]
WINDINGS	DGIINNSW	WINDING, material wound about object [n]
WINNINGS	GIINNNSW	WINNING, money won in game or competition [n]
WITLINGS	GIILNSTW	WITLING, one who considers himself witty [n]
WITTINGS	GIINSTTW	WITTING, knowledge [n]
WORDINGS	DGINORSW	WORDING, act or style of expressing in words [n]
WORKINGS	GIKNORSW	WORKING, mining excavation [n]
WRITINGS	GIINRSTW	WRITING, written composition [n]



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WITHOUTS HIOSTTUW WITHOUT, exterior place or area [n]

WRONGERS EGNORRSW WRONGER, one that wrongs (to treat injuriously or unjustly) [n]

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YAWPINGS AGINPSWY YAWPING, loud, harsh cry [n]
YEALINGS AEGILNSY YEALING, person of same age [n]

YELLINGS EGILLNSY YELLING, act or instance of making loud cry [n]

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Υ

YOUNGERS EGNORSUY YOUNGER, inferior in age [n]

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