



Scripps National Spelling Bee
May 26 - 28, 2009
Summary of Round 4

No.	Speller's Name	Speller's Sponsor	Correct Spelling	Spelling Given	Error
7	Esther Park	<i>Arkansas Democrat Gazette</i> , Little Rock, Arkansas	parabulia	parabulia	
11	Brandon Whitehead	<i>Imperial Valley Press</i> , El Centro, California	acroamatic	achromatic	E
12	Paige Vasseur	<i>Daily News Los Angeles</i> , Los Angeles, California	brachylogy	brachylogy	
16	Josephine Kao	<i>The Sacramento Bee</i> , Sacramento, California	myriarch	myriarch	
18	Alex Wells	<i>The San Diego Union-Tribune</i> , San Diego, California	kinetosis	kinetosis	
19	Ramya Auroprem	<i>San Francisco Chronicle</i> , San Francisco, California	purlieu	purlieu	
36	Claudine Broussard	<i>Cape Breton Post</i> , Sydney, Nova Scotia Canada	Beckmesser	Beckmesser	
37	Laura Newcombe	<i>National Post</i> , Toronto, Ontario Canada	touelle	touelle	
40	Veronica Penny	CHCH News, Hamilton, Ontario Canada	clary	clary	
56	Vincent Medina	<i>The Miami Herald</i> , Miami, Florida	vernation	vernation	
60	Miguel Gatmaytan	<i>Orlando Sentinel</i> , Orlando, Florida	mancala	mancala	
65	Serena Laine-Lobsinger	Palm Beach Spelling Bee Collaborative, West Palm Beach, Florida	agrestic	agrestic	
70	Talmage Nakamoto	<i>The Honolulu Advertiser</i> , Honolulu, Hawaii	strontium	strontium	
88	Kyle Mou	<i>Peoria Journal Star</i> , Peoria, Illinois	inconnu	inconnu	
89	Aishwarya Pastapur	<i>The State Journal-Register</i> , Springfield, Illinois	diluvium	diluvium	
97	Vaibhav Vavilala	<i>The Indianapolis Star</i> , Indianapolis, Indiana	nullibicity	nullibicity	
103	Kennyi Aouad	<i>The Tribune-Star</i> , Terre Haute, Indiana	thyrocervical	thyrocervical	
108	Shari-Jo Miller	<i>Jamaica Gleaner</i> , Kingston, Jamaica	auscultation	oscultation	E
110	Kavya Shivashankar	<i>The Olathe News</i> , Olathe, Kansas	ergasia	ergasia	
139	Sidharth Chand	<i>The Oakland Press</i> , Pontiac, Michigan	sobornost	sobornost	
151	Brent Henderson	<i>The Examiner</i> , Independence, Missouri	Uruguayan	Uruguayan	
158	Tussah Heera	<i>Las Vegas Review-Journal</i> , Las Vegas, Nevada	cerecloth	cerecloth	
159	Avvinash Radakrishnan	<i>New Hampshire Union Leader</i> , Manchester, New Hampshire	nescience	nescience	
163	Michael Sun	<i>The Record and Herald News</i> , Hackensack, New Jersey	coaming	koming	E
168	Kevin Drew	<i>The Buffalo News</i> , Buffalo, New York	triquetra	triquetra	E
169	Sriram Hathwar	<i>The Leader</i> , Corning, New York	fodient	fodiant	E
170	Neetu Chandak	<i>Finger Lakes Times</i> , Geneva, New York	sententious	sententious	
181	Zachary Zagorski	<i>Long Island Jewish World</i> , Rockville Centre, New York	toile	toile	
183	Siraj Sindhu	<i>Watertown Daily Times</i> , Watertown, New York	atavistic	atavistic	
200	Tino Delamerced	WCPO-TV Channel 9, Cincinnati, Ohio	pleurisy	pleurisy	
201	Anamika Veeramani	<i>The Plain Dealer</i> , Cleveland, Ohio	spritsail	spritsail	
204	Nicholas Rushlow	<i>Lancaster Eagle-Gazette</i> , Lancaster, Ohio	noisette	noisette	
218	Connor Aberlé	<i>Portland Tribune</i> , Portland, Oregon	vaward	vaward	



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231	Sukanya Roy	<i>Times Leader, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania</i>	stratose	stratose	
239	Keiko Bridwell	<i>Herald-Journal, Spartanburg, South Carolina</i>	Esau	Esau	
249	Akshay Raghuram	<i>Amarillo Globe-News, Amarillo, Texas</i>	tonorial	tonorial	
251	Mouctika Paluri	<i>The Dallas Morning News, Dallas, Texas</i>	flittern	flittern	
255	Aditya Chemudupaty	HoustonPBS, Houston, Texas	eland	eland	
270	Andrew Traylor	<i>The News-Virginian and The Daily Progress, Charlottesville, Virginia</i>	louche	louche	
276	Tim Ruiter	Times Community Newspapers, Reston, Virginia	radiomimetic	radiomimetic	
283	Eleanor Runde	KOMO 4, KOMO 1000 Newsradio, STAR 101.5 & AM 570 KVI, Seattle, Washington	nuncio	nuncio	

Summary Statistics

Round starting time: 05/28/09 10:05 AM

Round ending time: 05/28/09 11:30 AM

Length of round: 1:25

Number of spellers participating: 41

Number of spellers eliminated: 5

Number of spellers advancing: 36