

## Spelling list: gi words

Before i the /j/ sound is usually spelled with the letter g .

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| gin         | <b>Gin</b> is an alcoholic drink.                                    |
| gist        | I will sum up the <b>gist</b> of the argument.                       |
| giant       | A <b>giant</b> lived at the top of the beanstalk.                    |
| gigantic    | The mountain was <b>gigantic</b> .                                   |
| ginger      | Would you like some <b>ginger</b> tea?                               |
| engine      | This truck's <b>engine</b> runs on diesel fuel.                      |
| engineer    | The <b>engineer</b> said he could fix my computer.                   |
| fragile     | The country's economic infrastructure is <b>fragile</b> .            |
| imagine     | It is fun to <b>imagine</b> winning the lottery.                     |
| imagination | She had a vivid <b>imagination</b> .                                 |
| legion      | He was leader of the <b>legion</b> .                                 |
| magic       | His amazing <b>magic</b> tricks will astound you.                    |
| margin      | Please draw a <b>margin</b> on your page before you begin.           |
| magistrate  | The <b>magistrate</b> fined her for speeding.                        |
| region      | Wine is grown in this <b>region</b> of France.                       |
| religion    | He practiced his <b>religion</b> peacefully and lovingly.            |
| register    | Our teacher amended the spelling of my name in the <b>register</b> . |
| tragic      | There was a <b>tragic</b> end to their affair.                       |