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## Words To Know: Imposter Scams

(Basic / Beginning)

Teacher: Edit this handout to include only the 6-8 words you need or want to emphasize with your learners.

Word	Example Sentence	Definition
dishonest	Dishonest people do not tell the truth.	
donation	Some scammers ask for a donation.	
fee	Other scammers say you must pay a fee.	
fool	Scammers want to fool you into giving them money.	
gift card	Some scams involve gift cards.	
imposter	An imposter says they're someone they're not.	
inherit	If you inherit money, you do not pay to get it.	
IRS	The IRS collects taxes.	
pretend	A caller can pretend to be someone else.	
prize	Scammers may say you've won a prize.	
rush	Scammers try to rush you to send them money.	
scam	Many people have fallen for a scam.	
scammer	Scammers don't tell the truth.	
tax	The government collects tax payments.	
transfer	If you transfer money, use a reputable service.	
trick	Don't let anyone trick you into giving them money.	
wire	A wire transfer is a way to send money.	