

*Here are some activities which might help you to learn your spellings*

A row of white wooden blocks with colorful letters spelling 'SPELLING' on an orange background. The letters are: S (red), P (green), E (blue), L (red), L (red), I (pink), N (blue), G (pink). There are other blocks with letters like 'A' (yellow) and 'G' (pink) scattered around.

***Remember do little and often for spellings to stick in your memory***

- **BC order**- Write your words in alphabetical order.
- **Rainbow Words** - Write your words in three colors
- **Backwards Words**- Write your words forwards, then backwards.
- **Silly sentences** -Use all your words in ten sentences
- **Picture words** - Draw a picture and write your words in the picture.
- **Words without Vowels** - Write your words replacing all vowels with a line.
- **Words without Consonants** - Same as above but replace consonants with lines.
- **Story words** - Write a short story using all your words.
- **Scrambled words** -Write your words, then write them again with the letters mixed up.
- **Wordsearch II** -Make a wordsearch with a friend, then trade and solve.
- **Wordsearch I** - Complete a word pre-made search.
- **Crossword** - Complete a pre-made crossword puzzle.
- **Surround words** - Write your words on graph paper and outline in colors.
- **Ransom words** - Write your words by cutting out letters in a newspaper or magazine and glue them on a paper.
- **Pyramid Words** - Write your words adding or subtracting one letter at a time. The result will be a pyramid shape of words.



- **Words-in-words** - Write your word and then write at least 2 words made from each.
- **Delicious words** - Write your words in whipped cream, peanut butter, or anything you can eat! Bring in a note from a parent!
- **Good Clean Words** - Write your words in shaving cream on a counter or some other surface that can be cleaned safely.
- **Dirty Words** - Write your words in mud or sand.
- **Reversed words** - Write your words in ABC order - backwards!
- **Pasta Words** - Write your words by arranging alphabet pasta or Alphabits. Glue on paper or bring me a note from a parent and do on a table or counter at home.
- **3D words** - Use modelling clay rolled thinly to make your words. Bring a note if done at home.
- **Create an activity** - Can you think of a fun way to do your spelling activities? Try it out!
- **Puzzle words** - Use a blank puzzle form. Write your words on the form, making sure that the words cross over the pieces. Then cut them out (color if you wish) and put them in a baggie with your name on it. When you and a friend have completed your puzzles, trade and put them back together.



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- **Magazine words** - Use an old magazine or newspaper and find your word. Cut it out and glue it on paper.
- **Cheer your words** - Pretend you are a cheerleader and call out your words! (We will do this as a group activity.) Sometimes you'll yell, sometimes you'll whisper! If you want to do this at home with a parent, get them to send me a note that you've done it.
- **Sound Words** - Use a tape recorder and record your words and their spelling. Then listen to your tape, checking to see that you spelled all the words correctly.
- **X Words** - Write two words having one common letter so they criss-cross.
- **Other Handed** - If you are right-handed, write with your left, or vice versa.
- **Choo-Choo Words** - Write the entire list end-to-end as one long word, using different colors of crayon or ink for different words.
- **Silly String** - With a long length of string, "write" words in cursive, using the string to shape the letters.
- **Backwriting** - Using your finger, draw each letter on a partners' back, having the partner say the word when completed.
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- **Flashwriting** - In a darkened room, use a flashlight to draw letters in the air.
- **Newspaper Words** - Search a newspaper page from top to bottom, circling each letter of a word as you find it.
- **30 Second Words** - Write a TV commercial using all the words from your list.
- **Popsicles** - Make words using popsicle sticks.
- **Secret Agent Words** - Number the alphabet from 1 to 26, then convert your words to a number code.
- **Etch-A-Word** - Use an Etch-A-Sketch to write your words.
- **Morse Code** - Convert your words to Morse Code

