SPELLING MENU

1. ABC Order

AA B C

Write all of your spelling words in alphabetical (ABC) order.

2. Word Parts

Write your words. Then use a coloured pencil to divide the words into syllables.

e.g. jumping caterpillar

3. Other Handed

Write each word 5 times, switching the hand you write it with each time. Say the word as you spell it.

4. Vowel Spotlight

Write your words using one colour for the vowels and another colour for the consonants.

(vowels: a, e, i, o, u)

5. Use Technology

Type out your spelling words on the computer. Try to use at least 4 different fonts.



6. Pyramid Words

s
sp
spe
spel
spell
spelli
spellin
spellin
g(or make them boat shaped,

7."Ransom" Words

"Write" your words by cutting letters out of a newspaper or magazine and gluing the letters on a piece of paper to spell your words.



8. Rainbow Words

Write your spelling words with coloured pencils. Make each letter a different colour.



9. Scrambled Words

Write your words. Then write them again with the letters mixed up. Can you unscramble them again the next day? e.g. watch - cwhta

10. Silly Sentences

Write 3 or more sentences that use all your spelling words.



11. Prefixes and Suffixes

Underline the prefixes and suffixes in the words you are learning. Make sure you know what they mean.
e.g. <u>important</u>
happi<u>ness</u>

12. Word Search

Create your own word search with your spellings. Show the answers to your puzzle in a different colour.



13. Flashcards

Make and practice with flashcards.



Put the word on one side and definition (meaning) on the other.

17. Write a Story, Poem or

Song with Words

14. Picture & a Story

Draw a picture defining each word. Write a sentence about your picture using the word.

15. Words without Vowels

Write all of your words replacing vowels with a line. Go back and see if you can fill in the vowels. e.g. q--st--n = question

16. Train Words

Write the entire list end-to-end as one long word. Write each new word in a different colour. e.g. trainbackstop

18. Bubble Letters

Write a story using all your spelling words. Underline the words you used. Write your spelling words out in bubble writing.



19. Words Within Words

Write each spelling word and then write at least 2 words made from that word. e.g. catch - cat, hat

20. Picture words

Draw a picture and hide your spelling words in the picture.