

Rainbow Write

First write each word in pencil. Then trace over each word three times. **Each time you trace, use a DIFFERENT colour crayon.** Trace neatly and you will see a rainbow!

Silly Sentences

Write silly sentences using a spelling word in each sentence. Please underline your spelling words! Write neatly!

Example: My dog wears a blue and purple dress when he takes a bath.

Hidden Words

Draw and colour a picture. Hide your spelling words inside your picture.

Show your picture to someone and see if they can find your hidden words!

Backwards Words

Write your spelling words forwards and then backwards. Write neatly!

Example: where erehw

Pyramid Writing

"Pyramid write" your spelling words.
Remember to write neatly!

*Example: home h
 ho
 hom
 home

Create an Activity

Can you think of a really fun way to
practise your spelling words?

Then go for it!

Be sure to explain your activity so
that you can share it with the class!

ABC Order

First write your spelling words in a
list. Then write them in alphabetical
order.

If that's too easy, write your
words in reverse alphabetical order!

Story, Story

Write a story using ALL of your
spelling words. Be sure to underline
your spelling words in your paragraph.

Draw and Label

Draw and label your spelling words. You **MUST** **colour** your drawings and labels.

Don't forget to add a lot of great detail! Do your very best work!

Squiggly Spelling Words

First write your spelling words in regular letters. Then write the words again in *squiggly* letters!

Blue Vowels!

Write each of your spelling words.

You will need a blue coloured pencil.

Trace over the vowels in each word with your blue coloured pencil.

Vowels = a e i o u

Bubble Letters

Write your spelling words in bubble letters. After you write your words in bubble letters, colour your words with a coloured pencil.

Bubble Letters Rock!

Spelling Shapes

Count your spelling words. Draw one shape for each word. Then write your spelling words inside each of the shapes.

Examples:

babies

cried

Spelling Poem

Write a poem using several of your spelling words. Underline the words that you use. Illustrate your poem.

You can write any type of poem you wish. Enjoy!

Scrambled Words

Fold a piece of paper three times lengthwise (making three long rectangular columns).

Write your words in the first column.

Then write them again with the letters all mixed up (scrambled) in the second column.

Put your words aside. Come back later to unscramble your words. Write the unscrambled words in the third column.

Consonant Circle

Write each of your spelling words.

Then go back and circle all of the consonants in your words!

Don't forget to write neatly!

Vowel Circle

Write each of your spelling words.

Then go back and circle all of the vowels in your spelling words!

Don't forget to write neatly!

Buzzing Bees

Draw and colour an outdoor picture.

Count your spelling words. Draw a bee for each of your spelling words.

Then write the words inside each of the "spelling" bees. Write neatly!

Goofy Spelling Story

Write a silly story using each of your spelling words.

Be sure to underline your words as you use them.

Illustrate and colour your story!

Riddle Me

Write a riddle for each of your spelling words. Don't forget to add the answers to your riddles.

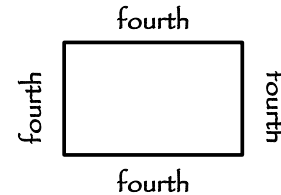
Connect the Dots

Write ten of your spelling words in dots.

Then connect the dots by tracing over them with a coloured pencil.

Trace a Shape

Count your spelling words. Draw a shape for each word. Then trace each shape by writing your spelling words around them!



30 Second Words

Write a 30 second TV advert using all of your spelling words.

Act it out with someone else!




Rhyming Words

Write each of your spelling words. Next to each word, write a rhyming word.

*Example: cries tries

Code Words

Come up with a code for each letter of the alphabet. Write down your code.

*Example: a=  b=  c= 

Then write your spelling words in code.
Write the actual spelling word next to the "code word."

Fancy Letters

Write each of your spelling words using fancy letters.

Have fun!

Sign Your Words

Use sign language finger spelling to sign the spelling of your words.

Check out Unity Kid's site

<http://www.unitykid.com/signlanguage.html>

to see animated hands making the letters so you can practise!

UPPER and Lower

Write your spelling words twice.

First, write each word in UPPERCASE letters. **Second**, write each word in lowercase letters.

*Example - SLIDE slide

Secret Agent Words

Number the alphabet from 1-26.

Example: a=1, b=2, c=3, d=4, etc.

Then convert your words to a number code.

Write the actual spelling word next to the "code word."

Spell-er-size!

Pretend you are a cheerleader and call out the letters of your words!

Cheer up high for letters that touch the top handwriting line (eg t and l), hands on hips for middle letters (eg a and e), and cheer down low for low letters (eg y and j).

Back Writing

Use your finger to spell out each of your spelling words, one letter at a time, on someone else's back.

Then it's YOUR turn to try to FEEL and spell!

Choo-Choo Words

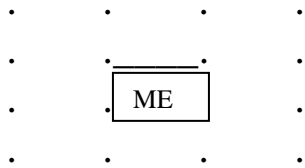
Write the entire list end-to-end as one long word (like a train). Use a different coloured crayon for each word.

Example:

hopmopestopdrop

Dots Game

Play with a partner. Make a square of 4 rows of dots with 4 dots in each row. Write out one of your spelling words. If the word is spelt correctly, the player can connect two dots. When a square is formed, write your initials in the box.



Dusty Words

Go outside and write your words in sand!

Be sure to clean up afterwards!

Etch-A-Word

Use an Etch-A-Sketch to write your spelling words.

Read the words to someone else before clearing the screen.

Good, Clean Words

Ask an adult to help you find a flat surface that can be cleaned easily. Spray a small amount of shaving cream and spread it out. Write your spelling words in the shaving cream and be sure to clean up afterwards!

Hopscotch Words

Ask an adult to help you find somewhere outside to draw a hopscotch board with chalk.

Write letters instead of numbers and HOP your words!

Magazine Words

Use an old magazine and find your words (or the letters that make up your word).

Cut them out and glue on your paper.

Letter Writing

Write a friendly letter to a friend or family member using each of your words. Underline the spelling words that you use in your letter.

When your teacher has seen it, you can post your letter.

Match-Up

Write each of your words on two different index cards. Turn all the cards face down and mix them up. Lay out your cards in rows and turn over two cards at a time. Read each card aloud to see if they match. Keep them if they match or turn them over and try again!

Sentence, Please

Write sentences using each of your spelling words. You may use more than one word in a sentence.

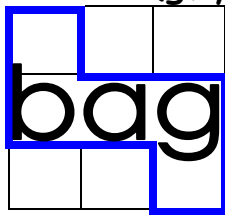
Underline your spelling words.

Spelling Flowers

Draw a big picture of a flower. Write each of your spelling words on one of the flower petals or on a leaf. Draw extra flowers if you run out of room.

Surround Words

Write your words out. Draw a box shape around the words, following the shape of the ascenders (eg t, l, h, b, d, k) and descenders (g, y, j, p).



Telephone Words

First, write your words in a list. Then look at a telephone keypad. Translate each letter into the numbers on the keypad. Now write your spelling words using this code!

Toss a Word

Toss (or roll) a ball back and forth with a partner.

You say the 1st letter, and then toss and your partner says 2nd letter, and so forth.

Type 'Em

Type your spelling words on the computer. *Make each word have a different font.*

Word Search

Make a word search puzzle using your spelling words then ask a friend to find the words OR ask someone else to make the puzzle and you find the words.

Trace Around

Write each of your spelling words using a pencil. Then **trace around** each word with a crayon, coloured pencil, or a marker.

Words Within Words

Write each spelling word and then write at least two words made from the same letters that is hidden inside the word.

Example: slide

side lie lid led *etc.*

Newsy Words

Use old magazines, catalogues or newspapers to cut out letters. Glue the letters down on a piece of paper to spell your words.

Other Handed

First, write your spelling words the way you usually do it.

Then, try writing the list with your other hand!

Pasta Words

Arrange alphabet pasta form your spelling words. Glue onto a piece of paper.

Practice Test

Once you think you have learned your words, ask someone to test you. Check your practice test and correct any misspelt words.

Sound Words

Use a tape recorder to record your spelling words and their spelling. Then rewind your tape and listen to it, checking to see that you spelt all the words correctly.

Spelling Baseball

Draw four bases on a piece of paper or lay out four pillows to be the bases. The bowler selects a word. If the batter can spell the word correctly, they move forward one base.

Words Without Consonants

Write your spelling words on a list, but replace all the consonants with a line. Then go back to the beginning of your list and see if you can fill in the correct missing consonants.

Spelling Bee

Practise your spelling words in Spelling Bee style.

Spell your words out loud to someone else.

Words Without Vowels

Write your spelling words on a list, but replace all the vowels with a line. Then go back to the beginning of your list and see if you can fill in the correct missing vowels.

Spelling Flashcards

Make a set of flashcards to practise your spelling words. When you look at your flashcard, read the word and then spell it out loud.

*Example- there t-h-e-r-e.

Make Some Music

Write a song or rap that includes your words!
Share with a friend or family member.

Morse Code

Use Morse Code or make up your own code to spell your words.

Scrabble!

Use Scrabble tiles to spell out your spelling words.

For a little extra maths practise, calculate the value of each of your words!

Flash Writing

In a darkened room, use a torch to write your spelling words in the air.

Have a partner read your words as you write them OR your partner can "torch write" the words and your job is to read.

Delicious Words

Ask an adult to find somewhere where you can spray a small amount of whipped cream (or anything else you can eat) on a plate and spread it out.

Write your spelling words and be sure to clean up afterwards.