

Spelling Activities

Spelling Activity	Description
Trace Around	Write spelling words, trace around with crayon/coloured pencil
Type 'Em	Type your spelling words on the computer. Make each word have a different font.
Scrabble	Use scrabble tiles to spell out your spelling words. Work out how many points each number will have.
Morse Code	Use morse code to spell words
Words Without Vowels	Write spelling words in a list, replace all vowels with a line. Then go back to beginning and see if you can fill in correct vowels.
Make Some Music	Write a song or rap that uses your words
Spelling Flashcards	Make a set of flashcards to practice your spelling words
Spelling Bee	Spell your words out loud to a parent or sibling
Words without consonants	(see words without vowels)
Sound Words	Use a tape recorder to records you spelling your words. Rewind and check if you were right.
Spelling Baseball	Draw 4 bases or use 4 pillows/markers. The pitcher selects a word. If the batter can spell a word correctly, move forward one base. One point earned for every time you pass the home plate.
Spelling Poem	Write a poem using as many of your spelling words as possible. <u>Underline</u> your words.
Sign Your Words	Use Sign Language to spell your words.
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.
Spelling Flowers	Draw a big flower. Write your words on petals or leaf
Newsy Words	Use old magazines or newspapers to cut out letters/words and glue into jotter.
Match Up	Pairs game using empty playing cards. Write words on two cards and play concentration with partner/group.
Rhyming Words	Write each word. Next to each word write or make up a nonsense rhyming word

Hopscotch Words	Make a hopscotch with chalk, give each square letters and hop your words.
Squiggly Spelling	Write words, then write in squiggly letters.
Dots Game	Make a square of 4 dots. 2 players. If spell word correctly, player can connect two dots. When a square is formed, player writes name in box, winner is most boxes.
ABC Order	Write words, then write in alphabetical order. Extra points if you write in reverse alphabetical order too.
Flash Writing	Darkened room, use torches to write words in the air.
Create an Activity	Think of your own fun activity - share with class
Three Times	Write words 3 times, pencil, crayon, marker.
Trace a Shape	Count your words. Draw a shape for each word. Write spelling words around shape.
30 Second Words	Write a TV commercial using words.
Air Write	Write your spelling words in the air using your finger.
Connect the dots	Write ten of your spelling words in dots. Then connect the dots with marker.
Consonant/Vowel Circle	Write each word, go back and circle all the consonants/Vowels
Pasta Words	Arrange pasta or alphabet cereal to form spelling words.
Delicious Words	Write words in whipped cream, shaving foam.
Letter Writing	Write a friendly letter to a friend using each of your words. Underline spelling words. Mail to friend.
Pyramid Writing.	Pyramid write your words

Telephone Words	Use telephone keypad to write phone numbers for spelling words.
Word Search/Crossword	Write your spelling words in word search/ give clues to find in crossword.
Sentence, please	Write sentences and underline spelling words.
Back Writing	Use your finger to spell out each word on a partners back. Can they guess what they are?
Backwards words	Write words forwards and backwards
Fancy Letters	Write each word using fancy writing
Practice Test	Take a practice test with partner/parent
Toss A Word	Roll a ball back and forth with partner spelling out words.
Choo Choo Words	Write entire list end-to-end as one long word (like a train). Use a different colour for each word.
Superman Words	Write a creative letter to superman using your words. Underline as used.
Bubble Letters	Write each spelling word using bubble letters
Draw and Label	Draw and label your words - colour in words and labels
Acrostic Poem	Choose one of your spelling words. Write an acrostic poem for your word. Illustrate your poem.
Adding My Words	Each letter has a value. Consonants are worth 10, vowels worth 5. Find out word totals.
3D Words	Make/sculpt words from play dough
Hidden Words	Draw and colour a picture. Hide your spelling words inside your picture. Can a partner find your words?
Rainbow Write	Write words in pencil. Trace over 3 times in a

	<p>different colour.</p> <p>Trace neatly and you'll see a rainbow.</p>
Story, Story	Write a story using all of your spelling words in our paragraph. Type and send to teacher?
UPPER and lower	Write spelling words in upper case and lower case
Across and Down	Write each word across and down (using starting letter)
Spell-er-size	Pretend you are a cheerleader - call out letters to your words.
Secret Agent Words	Number the alphabet from 1-26. Convert words into a number code. Write word next to code.
Code Words	Make up a symbol for each letter of the alphabet. Write your words using your code.
Buzzing Bees	Draw and colour an outdoor picture. Count words - draw and label a bee for each word.
Blue Vowels	Write vowel in each word with a blue pencil
Riddle Me	Write a riddle for each word.
Silly Spelling Story	Write a silly story using words
Other Handed Words	Write words normally then try with other hand - compare.
Scrambled Words	Fold a piece of paper into 3 columns. Write words in first column, then write them in second column with the letters all jumbled up. Fold correct answers behind page. Get a partner to try to unscramble words. You can correct them when they are finished.