

Rainbow words

Write out each spelling word in a different colour. Or write each letter in a different colour.

Silly sentences

Write a funny sentence with one spelling word in each. Or use two or three spelling words in a silly sentence. It should make you laugh.

Look cover write check

First look at the spelling word then cover it up then write it without looking then check to see if you got it right.

Make it funky

Write out each spelling word and then decorate it with different patterns.

Squiggly spelling

First write out a spelling word in neat writing and then write it out in squiggly writing. Make sure you can still read it!

Spelling shapes

Count your spelling words. Draw one shape for each word and then write one word in each shape. Make sure you make the shapes big enough to fit your word in.

Test a grown up

The child is the teacher and asks an adult to write each spelling word when they say it. The child checks the adult's spellings. Did they get them all right? (Adults - you could get some wrong on purpose and see if your child spots the mistakes.)

Chop it up

Write a spelling word on a piece of paper. Cut up the word into letters. Mix the letters up and put the word back together again.

Dear Parents and carers

Every Friday your child will bring home a list of words to spell and will be tested on them the following Friday.

We would like you to help your child to learn how to spell these words. We have provided some activities that you can do at home to help your child remember how to spell the words. Most of the activities need the child to write the spelling words – this helps them to remember them.

Please make the activities fun. Children are more likely to remember the words if they think they are playing a game and having fun while they are learning.

If you have any questions please come in and speak to your child's class teacher. We are here to help.

Thank you for your support and have fun!