#### **SPELLING HOMEWORK ACTIVITIES**

# Alliterative phrases or sentences

Choose 5 of your spelling words and write five alliterative phrases or sentences. An alliteration uses the same initial letter. You may include a word or two that do not begin with the same initial letter. Be sure to underline your spelling words.



Deep <u>down</u> in the dungeon

tiny town sheep shout

# **Antonyms**

Choose 10 spelling words and write an antonym next to each word. An antonym is a word that means the opposite. Use a dictionary or thesaurus for help, if needed.

#### Example

hot cold

### **Consonants and vowels**

Write your spelling words; use a blue colored pencil for consonants and a red colored pencil for vowels.

#### Create a word search

Use "Spelling Word Search" paper

Choose 10 of your spelling words. Write the words horizontally, vertically, or diagonally in the boxes. Then write the words in a word box at the bottom of the word search. Finally hide your words by filling in the empty boxes with random letters.



Do not solve.



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#### **Definition match**

Choose 5 of your spelling words. List these words on the left side of your paper. Then write the definitions of each word on the right side of the paper but mix them up so a partner would be able to match the words and definition.



Do not solve.

# **Missing consonants**

Write your spelling words, leaving blank spaces for all consonants.

#### Example

\_\_a\_\_ \_ I \_\_ (answer: rabbit)

# Missing vowels

Write your spelling words, leaving blank spaces for all vowel letters.

#### **Examples**

tr \_\_\_ = tree



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# **Money code**

Choose 10 spelling words. Using the money chart, add up the cost of each of your words. Number your paper and write the words and their values.

#### Example

thing  $t(5\phi) + h(10\phi) + i(15\phi) + n(5\phi) + g(5\phi) = 40\phi$ 

# **Proofreading practice**

Pick 5 spelling words. For each word write a group of words that look like your spelling word, but are misspelled slightly. Don't forget to include the correct spelling word to the group of words, too.



Do not solve.

#### **Example**

sleeve slieve sleve sleev

#### **Ransom words**

Write 5 of your spelling words by cutting out letters in a newspaper or magazine and gluing them into your spelling binder.

# **Scrabble tiles**

Pick 10 spelling words and use your Scrabble tiles to build the words. Add up the value of the letters in each of your spelling words. Number your paper and list your words in order from the lowest value to the greatest value.

#### **Example**

house h(4) + o(1) + u(1) + s(1) + e(1) = 8

#### **Scrambled words**

Pick 10 of your spelling words and write them on the left side of your paper, but scramble the letters of each word. Next to each word, leave a blank line, and write a clue or an illustration.

#### Example

cholos a place where you learn

# **Silly sentences**

Choose 5 of your spelling words and write 5 silly sentences. Underline each spelling word. Choose one of your silly sentences and illustrate it.

#### Example

My house went up to the park today.

# Stair steps

Write 10 of your spelling words as "yesterday" using the syllables.

#### Example

yes yesrter yesterday



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## **Scrabble tiles**

# **Money chart**

α	=	5¢	n	=	5¢
b	=	10¢	О	=	10¢
С	П	15¢	р	П	15¢
d	Ξ	20¢	q	=	20¢
e	П	25¢	r	ш	25¢
f	П	50¢	s	Π	50¢
g	П	5¢	†	ш	5¢
h	П	10¢	u	П	10¢
i	Ξ	15¢	٧	=	15¢
j	П	20¢	w	П	20¢
k	П	25¢	x	=	25¢
1	=	50¢	У	-	50¢
m	=	5¢	Z	=	5¢

# **Telephone keypad**

1	<b>2</b> ABC	3
(GHI 4	јкі <b>5</b>	6 MNO
PORS 7	8	wxyz 9
*	0	#

#### **WORD INQUIRY**

Pupils can use the WordLab Word Inquiry chart to explore words of their own choosing.