

"1st Grade Spelling Menu"

"CUB" Choices:

<p><u>Chalk Walk</u> Write spelling words on the ground with chalk. Walk and talk on each letter.</p>	<p><u>Karate Spelling</u> Spell your words with Karate moves! Chop each letter to your own special groove!</p>	<p><u>Work it Out!</u> While spelling each word aloud, do an exercise movement!</p>	<p><u>Spell & Smell</u> Write spelling words with shaving cream. Can you make a sentence?</p>	<p><u>I Spy Words</u> Draw a picture and hide your spelling words inside your illustration.</p>
<p><u>Sticky Spellers</u> Write your words on Sticky Notes. Attach them to a silly space and make a joke!</p>	<p><u>Illustrate It!</u> Illustrate and write your spelling words under each picture.</p>	<p><u>Nice as Rice!</u> Finger spells your words in a bowl of dry rice. Then, write your words on paper.</p>	<p><u>Pixie Stickers</u> Write your words with Pixie Stick sugar. Spread around & use the sticks for letters.</p>	<p><u>Back Attack</u> Fingerspell your words on another's back. Do you think there might be a tickle attack?</p>

"CAT" Choices:

<p><u>Hidden Words</u> Hide spelling words around your house. Search and spell each one!</p>	<p><u>Book Worms</u> Find your spelling words in a book. Write them down and take a look!</p>	<p><u>Scrabble</u> Write your words on paper. Cut the letters apart, and then put it back together.</p>	<p><u>Rainbow Writers</u> Draw a rainbow. Write your words in each arch in a different color.</p>	<p><u>Magnetic Words</u> Use magnetic letters to spell your words. Try a cookie sheet or Refrigerator.</p>
<p><u>Fancy Nancy</u> Write spelling words one time in your best penmanship. Write each word 2 more times in a "fancy form".</p>	<p><u>News Letters</u> Search for spelling words in newspaper or magazines. Cut and paste them to your homework journal.</p>	<p><u>Look A-Likes</u> Write your spelling words according to spelling patterns (-an, - at, - it, -ip)</p>	<p><u>Sort & Spell</u> Write your spelling words 3 x each. Categorize them in the number of letters in each word.</p>	<p><u>Spaghetti Spellers</u> Use uncooked spaghetti to create your spelling words.</p>

"TIGER" Choices:

<p><u>Alphabet Chain</u> Put your words in ABC order. Write them 5 times each.</p>	<p><u>Techno Spellers</u> Type your words on the computer and email it to your teacher.</p>	<p><u>Color Consonants</u> Write your spelling words 3 x each. Color consonants red & vowels blue.</p>	<p><u>Super Sentences</u> Write each spelling word in a sentence.</p>	<p><u>Spell Checker</u> Give someone a spelling test and check their work!</p>
<p><u>Vowel Pals</u> Write spelling words 3 times each. Circle all the vowels you see.</p>	<p><u>Word Art</u> Write words with pencil, trace with glue and cover with yarn, beans, rice or salt.</p>	<p><u>Busy Bees</u> Have a spelling bee with all the words you have learned so far.</p>	<p><u>Clap It Out</u> Spell words aloud 3 x each. Clap for vowels and jump for consonants.</p>	<p><u>Memory Maker</u> Make a memory game with your spelling words.</p>

* Please encourage your child to choose a different menu item each time. Make it FUN and INTERACTIVE! Provide guidance while choosing menu options to accommodate individual learning styles. Remember to always "challenge" your child and yourself! ☺