Spin a Yarn

Make words out of yarn. Glue onto card. See if you can feel the word with your eyes closed.

Snap or Go Fish or Concentration



Write each word onto 2 cards. Play Go Fish, Concentration or Snap with the cards.

Bingo Make a Bingo game out of the words.

Shape the Words Make a word shape with the words.





Sing the Words Use the Bingo song There is a word I like to spell and going is that word oh g-o-i-n-g, g-o-i-n-g, g-o-i-n-g and going is that word.

for 5 letter words.



Spelling Words

Dear Parents,

This folder contains Lists 4- 6 from the Essential Words for Writing and Spelling lists. The spelling words will be tested regularly. The initial test and final test results for all year 2-6 children will be digitally stored and graphed. It is very important that your child learns these words to ensure fluent writing The highlighted words are the words your child couldn't spell in the initial spelling test.

The chart on the opposite page is a suggested way to help your child learn these words. There are some other fun ways to learn new words on the back page.

Have fun learning,

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Learning to Spell a Word

Essential List 4

again	do	next	people	time
an	first	night	put	took
around	food	no	ran	two
big	from	now	saw	US
by	good	off	school	very
can	has	old	see	well
come	him	only	started	what
could	house	or	their	will
dad	if	other	them	would
did	little	over	this	your

Essential List 5

am	door	last	once	through
another	everyone	left	play	told
away	family	long	really	too
bed	five	looked	room	walked
been	found	made	something	want
before	friend	man	still	way
best	fun	more	thing	where
brother	heard	morning	think	which
called	here	name	thought	who
car	know	never	three	year