Fourth Grade News

What's Going On in 4th Grade?

Spelling Words

rising	traced
stripped	slammed
dancing	striped
winning	snapping
bragging	handled
dripped	begged
dared	skipped
hitting	spotted
raced	dimmed
spinning	escaped

Review Words

aloud
allowed
steal
steel

Challenge Words

forgetting
admitted
equaled
glistening

Upcoming Dates:

Nov 25-27: Thanksgiving break / No School

Dec 3: PK-5 Christmas concert

Math:

We have wrapped up our Chapter 4 and will study on Monday for our test on Tuesday. Please continue to practice multiplication facts at home as we will be using those for the rest of the year.

Reading:

We will be doing some fun Thanksgiving activities during Reading time. We will do Daily Oral Language, a thankful ABC, a Thanksgiving would you rather. We will also be showing our gratitude for things out of the ordinary.

Science:

"How and why does the motion of two balls change after a collision?" We will discuss further what a collision is and how it affects motion of ping pong balls.

Spelling:

Our spelling words have -ed or -ing endings. We will discuss the root words and if it changes when we add our ending. We will have our text next week Friday.

Social Studies:

Joseph Plumb Martin and the People of the Revolution will be our discussion this week. We are continuing our discussion of the American Revolutionary War.

Grammar:

We are moving into verbs this week with irregular verbs. We will also discuss the verb "be" and how it can be used.

Writing:

We are starting our work on an argument/opinion piece.

Have a great week!

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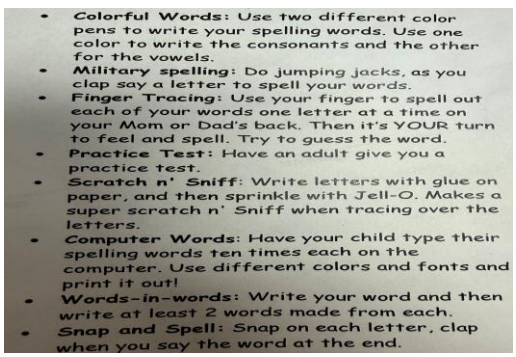
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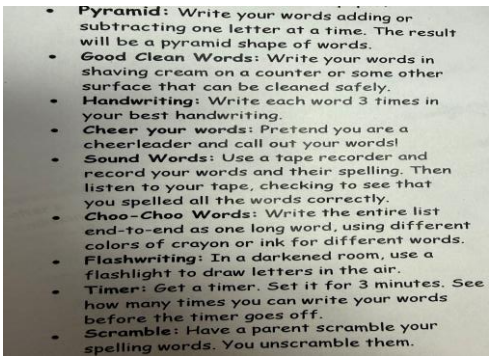
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Ways to Practice Spelling Words



- **Colorful Words:** Use two different color pens to write your spelling words. Use one color to write the consonants and the other for the vowels.
- **Military spelling:** Do jumping jacks, as you clap say a letter to spell your words.
- **Finger Tracing:** Use your finger to spell out each of your words one letter at a time on your Mom or Dad's back. Then it's YOUR turn to feel and spell. Try to guess the word.
- **Practice Test:** Have an adult give you a practice test.
- **Scratch n' Sniff:** Write letters with glue on paper, and then sprinkle with Jell-O. Makes a super scratch n' Sniff when tracing over the letters.
- **Computer Words:** Have your child type their spelling words ten times each on the computer. Use different colors and fonts and print it out!
- **Words-in-words:** Write your word and then write at least 2 words made from each.
- **Snap and Spell:** Snap on each letter, clap when you say the word at the end.



- **Pyramid:** Write your words adding or subtracting one letter at a time. The result will be a pyramid shape of words.
- **Good Clean Words:** Write your words in shaving cream on a counter or some other surface that can be cleaned safely.
- **Handwriting:** Write each word 3 times in your best handwriting.
- **Cheer your words:** Pretend you are a cheerleader and call out your words!
- **Sound Words:** Use a tape recorder and record your words and their spelling. Then listen to your tape, checking to see that you spelled all the words correctly.
- **Choo-Choo Words:** Write the entire list end-to-end as one long word, using different colors of crayon or ink for different words.
- **Flashwriting:** In a darkened room, use a flashlight to draw letters in the air.
- **Timer:** Get a timer. Set it for 3 minutes. See how many times you can write your words before the timer goes off.
- **Scramble:** Have a parent scramble your spelling words. You unscramble them.