**\*Write, say, and find rhyming words for the spelling concept of the week**

**using the activities below.**

**Here are different and FUN ways**

**to practice your child’s spelling words!!**

Write the words 3x, BIG, medium, and small

**WRITE IN**

1.  write in sand, salt,  sugar, or flour (best with a bold background beneath)

2.  write in shaving cream

3.  write in pudding

4.  write in finger paint

**WRITE WITH**

5.  write with chalk on sandpaper or sidewalk

6.  write with water on a chalkboard

7.  write with eraser on dark magazine pages

8. write with dry erase markers on a white board

9. write with glue, sprinkle with kool aid and then trace for a yummy smell

10. write with Wikki Stix

**WRITE ON**

11. write on [rainbow scratch paper](http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B000CD2ZB2?ie=UTF8&tag=jimmscoll-20&linkCode=as2&camp=1789&creative=390957&creativeASIN=B000CD2ZB2)

12 ”write” on [photo-sensitive paper](http://jimmiescollage.com/2009/07/nature-print-paper/)

**FORM LETTERS**

13. form letters with playdough

14. form letters with string or yarn

15. form letters with pipecleaners

16. form letters with lego blocks

17. form letters with toothpicks

**USE**

18. use alphabet rubber stamps

19. use alphabet stamps

20. use [printable](http://www.jason-ism.com/english_images/scrabble_letters.jpg) scrabble tiles

21. use alphabet pasta or cereal

22. use letters cut from newspapers or magazines (ransom note style)

23. use alphabet cookie cutters in saltdough

24. use alphabet magnets

25. use [letter tiles](http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B000FA6DXS?ie=UTF8&tag=jimmscoll-20&linkCode=as2&camp=1789&creative=390957&creativeASIN=B000FA6DXS)

**DO**

26. jump from letter to letter

27. trace the letters on a partner’s back for him to “read”

28. draw letters in the air with a flashlight in a dark room

29. write your words in silly sentences

30. play at [Spellingcity.com](http://www.spellingcity.com/)

31. download the “super speller” app on the iPad. You type the words and also say them, recording your voice. There are 4 different ways to “practice” and then option to take a test.
32. Make ABC rocks and spell your words
33. Make ABC clothespins and spell your words by clipping them on a “line” or an index card.
34. On paper or a white board, mom or dad writes the word a bunch of times with one ONE being correct, the child has to circle the correct spelling. Write it more times for older kids, less for younger.
35. DICE! Roll a one- spell in a spooky voice, two- spell in a loud voice, three- a quiet voice, four- a squeaky voice, five- robot voice, six- sing your letters!
36. Go on a magazine hunt for your words

   

 