

# Spelling Homework Choices

## Directions:

Each week you get to choose your spelling homework. The choices are divided by point values. Your job is to complete a total of 50 points for each week. Several combinations can achieve this, the choice is yours. Each choice should be labeled with the choice name and point value. Your spelling homework is due every Friday. Please complete your spelling homework in your spelling spiral notebook.

\*\*This also goes along if you have challenge words for the week.

\*\*The only choices that can be typed are computer words, word search, and crossword.

## 10 Point Assignments:

**Choo-Choo:** Write the entire list of words end-to-end as one long word using a different color pen, pencil, or crayon for each word.

**ABC Order:** Write your spelling words in alphabetical order.

\*\***Spelling Words:** Write each spelling word five times. Circle your neatest writing for each.

**Computer Words:** Type your words on the computer. Change the font or color for each word.

**Blue Vowels:** Write the word. Trace over the vowels in each word using a blue colored pencil.  
Vowels: A, E, I, O, U

\*\***Words without Vowels:** Write each spelling word without its vowels. Replace each vowel with a line (example: energy (/n/rugy))

**Upper and Lower:** Write each spelling word. Then write the word again using lower case letters for vowels (A, E, I, O, U) and uppercase letters for consonants. Example: teacher (TeaCHeR)

## 20 Point Assignments:

**Rainbow Words:** Write each word in pencil. Then trace each word 3 times using a different colored pen, pencil, or crayon each time.

**Ghost Words:** You will need a white crayon. Write all your spelling words, using your white crayon, in your journal. Go over the words in different color crayons or markers.

**Delicious Words:** Write your words using whipped cream, peanut butter, or anything you can eat.  
\*\*You must write in your notebook that you did the assignment and have a parent signature.

**Bubbles:** Write all your spelling words in bubble letters.

\*\***Print/Cursive:** Print each spelling word. Next to it, write the word in cursive.

Example: pollution *pollution*

**Practice Test:** Have a parent, sibling, or friend call out the words to you. Check the words and write each incorrect word 5 times each. **\*\*Must be signed by the person giving the test.**

**Graffiti:** Write each of your words in graffiti on your page (remember it has to be legible).

**Word Search:** Make a word search of all your spelling words using graph paper. You may make a word search and print it out using the puzzle maker on the following website: <http://puzzle-maker.com/>

**Criss-cross Words:** Write two words that have a common letter so they criss-cross. Example: if your spelling words are alligator and because

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### 30 Point Assignments:

**Scrambled Words:** Write each word. Then make a new word by scrambling the letter. Example: alligator: rail, roll, tail, and so on.

**Word Sail:** For each word start out with each letter on the first line. Then go on the next line and put the first and second letter. Keep on adding a letter until the whole word is spelled correctly. The word should be in the shape of a sail when you are done. Example: drive

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**Illustrate:** Write and draw a picture for each of your spelling words.

**\*\*Forward/Backward/Forward:** Write all your spelling words forward, then backward, then forward. Example: win, niw, win

**Crossword:** Make a crossword puzzle using the puzzle maker website: <http://www.puzzle-maker.com/>. You need to come up with your own clues.

### 40 Point Assignments:

**Silly Sentences (alliteration):** Write a sentence for each word. Make as many words in the sentence start with the same first letter as your spelling word. Example: If your spelling word is because, your sentence might be – Billy the Baboon batted baseballs because Billy bats best (each sentence must contain a minimum of 5 words). Underline all spelling words. **\*\*Must make sense.**

**Make Your Own Sentence:** Build your own sentence using each word. Example: if your spelling word is **artist**. Your sentence could be: All raccoons touch incredibly soggy things. **\*\*Must make sense.**

**Spelling Story:** Write a story using all your spelling words. Underline the spelling words in the story. You must use all your spelling words. It can be funny but it has to make sense.

**Ransom Words:** Write your words using letters you can cut from a newspaper or magazine and glue them to a paper.