Spelling Menu

Activities for homework or Word Work

#1- Complete an activity from SpellingCity.com for this week’s words. \*Be sure to print out your activity, so I can see what you did.

#2- Write your spelling words on cards (make two sets) and play “Memory Match” with them against a sibling or parent. \*Please bring the cards in to show me the next day.

#3- Use and underline each word in a sentence. You may type or write by hand.

#4- Cut out letters from headlines or ads in newspapers or magazines. Use the letters to spell your spelling words. Glue the letters onto paper and create a cool collage of spelling words.

#5- Draw or color a picture. “Hide” your spelling words in the picture.

#6- Write a short story using at least 6 of your spelling words. Underline each word in your story. Be creative!

#7- Create a Word Scramble (use the organizer provided in class) with all the letters scrambled up. Ask a classmate or family member to unscramble the words on that same paper. You can correct the scramble!

#8- Write your spelling words in the secret code below. Challenge a peer to use the code to decode each word-you can correct their work! Example: ten= 20-5-14

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#9- Spelling Math Challenge: Which word has the highest value? Which word has the lowest value? Do any words have an equal value? (Use the above secret code to find a numeric value for each letter) Example: ten= 20+5+14= 39

#10-Spelling Magic: Write your words on white construction paper with white crayon. Then paint over the paper with watered down tempura or watercolors.

#11-Write a story using at least eight of your spelling words.

#12-Make a cartoon or comic strip using your spelling words.

#13- Write a poem with at least five of your spelling words.