Spelling Strategies

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Study the word Underline the difficult part Say the word carefully

Write the Word

On someone's back On your desk

Speed Writing

How often can you write the word correctly in one minute?

Mnemonics

Making up a story to help spell a word.

Syllables/Chunks

S a d

Sally ate dumplings Breaking the words into parts

Clapping the sounds. Jogging jogg ing flying fly ing

Words Inside the WordAbouta, out, boutTeachertea,each,her,ache

Be Positive

Words that look the same Back is like pack and sack

Use of Colour

Use a different colour for each letter.

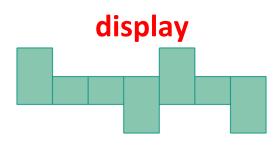
Different sizes of letters

Use different sizes of letters to help remember the letters in the word.

Apple ApPlE Painting PalnTiNg

Shape of Words

Draw the shape of the word



Making Words with Letters

Put a selection of letters in an arc. See how many words you can make from the letters.

In Sand

Or using different materials; Paint, clay, paper. Using different textures Sandpaper

Visualising

Look at your word. 'Throw' it at the wall. Can you still 'see' it? Spell it aloud

Write the word in fancy letters

Bubble

Cursíve

Italic

Look Say Cover Write Check

Using Sticky notes

Place sticky notes in suitable places around the room at eye level.

Recording your own voice

Say the word Spell the word Listen Repeat

Three Times

Write the word three times and in different colours.

Pyramid Writing

Write your word in the shape of a pyramid.

d do dog

Consonant Circles

Write the word then circle all the consonants

Blue Vowels

Write each word and go over each vowel in blue

Words without Vowels

Write each word with a line instead of each vowel. Go back later and fill in the missing vowels.