

# Spelling Contract Activities and Descriptions

You may choose which activities you complete for your spelling contract. Below is a list of activities and directions. Each week a minimum of five activities will need to be completed, and will be due on Wednesday. All contracts need to be completed neatly, activities labeled and most importantly the words spelled correctly.

**A = 9 or more points**

**B = 7 to 8 points**

**C = 5 to 6 points**

1. 3 Times Each (1 point)
2. Rhyme Time - Write each spelling word once. Write a rhyming word next to the spelling word. (Example - cat hat) (1 point)
3. ABC Order - (2 points)
4. ZYX Order - Write your spelling words in reverse alphabetical order. (2 points without ABC order, 1 point with ABC order)
5. Sentences - Write a sentence for each spelling word. Make sure to include at least eight words in each sentence. Underline the spelling word in each sentence. (2 points)  
(Example: The beautiful fox leaped across the green meadow.)
6. Vowel/Consonant - Write each spelling word using one color for consonants and a different color for vowels. beaches (1 point)
7. Spelling Fractions - Write each spelling word once. Count the total number of letters in the word, this is the denominator. Count the total number of vowels in the word, this is the numerator. (1 point)  
Example - bat  $\frac{2}{3}$  (1 vowel)  
  (3 letters in all)
8. Say That Again - Look up all of your spelling words for the week in a thesaurus. Write at least two synonyms for each word. Circle each spelling word. (2 points)  
Example - (cold) freezing chilly
9. Dictionary Detective - Look up each of your spelling words for the week in the dictionary. Write the definition. (3 points)
10. Rainbow Words - Write each letter of each spelling word a different color. (1 point)

11. Alliteration - write a sentence using alliteration (repeated beginning sound) for each word.  
Example - Richly robed rhinoceroses riding in rickety red rickshaws. (3 points)
12. Classify each word as a noun, pronoun, verb, adverb, or adjective (use a dictionary to help you) (2 points)
13. Miss Hazel's website quiz (2 points)
14. Type your words in Google Classroom. (2 points)
15. Practice test with parent signature. (2 points)
16. Draw a picture for each word showing its meaning and write a sentence. (3 points)
17. Add a prefix or suffix to every spelling word you can. List the words that cannot add a prefix or suffix. (2 points)
18. Multiple Meaning - Use each spelling word in two different sentences to show two different meanings. (2 points)  
Example: Dial - The antique phone had a dial.  
I had to dial the telephone number.