Spelling City

http://www.spellingcity.com/

Features: To help students practice their spelling, especially of word lists or vocabulary you provide them in class, online exercises may be helpful, and this online spelling program is a free and easy way for you to provide online opportunities to students for learning the spelling of words and hearing pronunciation in model sentences.

For a given word list, there are seven activities:

- Test Me: Students hear each word and a sentence using the word and type in the target word.
- Teach Me: Students hear and see a word as it is spelled on screen letter by letter and then hear a sentence using the word.
- Audio Word Match- Matching Game.
- Missing Letter- Has students choose a missing letter for the word.
- Test-N-Teach is an online spelling test
- Word search-is an online word search
- Hang Mouse- hangman game
- Read-A-Word- you hear a word and choose from 3 words.
- Handwriting- creates a print worksheet for handwriting practice.

Uses: Listening, spelling, dictation, vocabulary exercises.

How to create and edit word lists on SpellingCity:

1. Go to www.spellingcity.com and select **Register**.
2. Fill out the form and select the **Register** button.
3. Log in to your e-mail account you used to register and select the link in the confirmation e-mail.
4. Log in with your username or e-mail and password and select **Login**.
5. Select **List Management** from the Teacher's Toolbox (top right) to view, create, and edit lists.

• Fill out the registration form and click the Register button.

SpellingCity Registration

6. Select **Create a New List**.

7. Type in a title for the list. Select **Batch Entry** to copy and paste a list of words or type in the words one by one in the text boxes. Select **Save**.
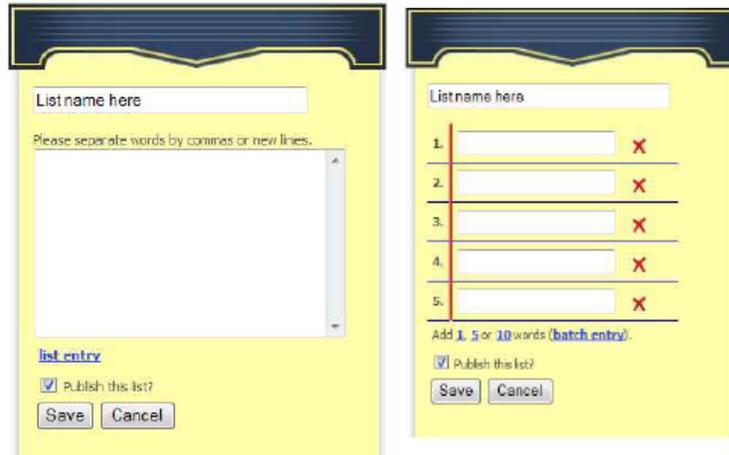
8. Follow the directions on the Word Verification screen to edit your list name, edit or select an alternative usage, and any of the other editing options. You can use the **Add A Word**, **Word Order**, and **Visibility** buttons to change those options too. When you are done editing, select the **I'm Finished** button.

To edit lists:

9. After logging in, select **List Management** in the Teacher Toolbox. Select **Edit** under the "**What do you want to do**?" column for the list you want to edit.

10. In the editing box, select on the sentence, definition, or part of speech you wish to edit.

Definition	Part of Speech	Sentence
1. electrician ✏️ Click on the pencil to edit Click on the X to delete ✖️		
someone who fixes electrical equipment	Noun	An electrician wired our house.
2. plumber ✏️		✖️
one who repairs or installs pipes or fixtures	Noun	We called a plumber to fix the broken sink.

11. The default sentence is what will be read to students in the audio of the exercises. Select the default sentence to be able to see a text box where you can change to your own sentence.

12. Choose the action buttons below for more list editing and management options: Select the **Visibility** button to **Publish List** (Select **Yes** to have list appear on your homepage), **Word Order** button to change the organization of the words to random or alphabetical, and/or select the **Grade Level** to change the grade level of the word.

≣ **Settings for this List**

Visibility: Public ✏️   **Click the pencil to make edits.**

Word Order: As entered ✏️

Grade Level: Other/Mixed ✏️

13. Select **"Save"** when you have completed editing a list. The list will be added to the List Management section of your account.

How students can access the lists you create:

- Tell students to go to the site and select **Find a List**. Then students can search for any of your published lists by tying in your first and/or last name, your username, or the title of the list(s).

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Find A List

Search by: ● Teacher ○ Parent ○ Username ○ List Name (please enter EXACT list name)

Enter search term: [   ] **Search**

- You can also e-mail the URL for a list to students or link all your lists on a class Web page.

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