

Main Criteria: Spelling Classroom
Secondary Criteria: Pennsylvania Core and Academic Standards
Subject: Language Arts
Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

Spelling Classroom

Snowman Challenge

Summary: Clues are provided and when words are spelled correctly, a snowman starts to take shape and build.

Pennsylvania Core and Academic Standards

Language Arts

Grade 1 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.1.1.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Phonics and Word Recognition
STANDARD	CC.1.1.1.D.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.1.D.4.	Read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.1.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.1.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.4.1.F.3.	Spell words drawing on common spelling patterns, phonemic awareness, and spelling conventions.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.1.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.1.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.4.1.L.3.	Spell words drawing on common spelling patterns, phonemic awareness, and spelling conventions.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.1.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.1.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.4.1.R.3.	Spell words drawing on common spelling patterns, phonemic awareness, and spelling conventions.

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Grade 2 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.2.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language

STATEMENT		
STANDARD	CC.1.4.2.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.4.2.F.3.	Spell words drawing on common spelling patterns.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.2.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.2.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.4.2.L.3.	Spell words drawing on common spelling patterns.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.2.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.2.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.4.2.R.3.	Spell words drawing on common spelling patterns.

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Grade 3 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.1.3.	Foundational Skills: Students gain a working knowledge of concepts of print, alphabetic principle, and other basic conventions.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Phonics and Word Recognition
STANDARD	CC.1.1.3.D.	Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
DESCRIPTOR / STANDARD	CC.1.1.3.D.4.	Read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.

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Grade 6 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.6.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.6.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.6.	Reading Literature Students read and respond to works of literature—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.6.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.6.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.

STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.6.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.6.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.6.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.6.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.6.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.

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Grade 7 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.7.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.7.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.7.	Reading Literature Students read and respond to works of literature—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.7.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.7.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.7.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.7.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.7.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.7.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.7.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English

R.	grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
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Grade 8 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.2.8.	Reading Informational Text: Students read, understand, and respond to informational text—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.2.8.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.3.8.	Reading Literature Students read and respond to works of literature—with an emphasis on comprehension, vocabulary acquisition, and making connections among ideas and between texts with a focus on textual evidence.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Vocabulary Acquisition and Use
STANDARD	CC.1.3.8.J.	Acquire and use accurately grade-appropriate general academic and domain-specific words and phrases; gather vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.8.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.8.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.8.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.8.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.8.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.8.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.

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Grade 9 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.9-10.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.9-10.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.9-10.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language

STANDARD	CC.1.4.9-10.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.9-10.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.9-10.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.

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Grade 10 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.9-10.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.9-10.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.9-10.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.9-10.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.9-10.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.9-10.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.

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Grade 11 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.11-12.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.11-12.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.11-12.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.11-12.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.11-12.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language

STANDARD	CC.1.4.1 1-12.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
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Grade 12 - Adopted: 2014

SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.11-12.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Informative/Explanatory: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.1 1-12.F.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.11-12.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Opinion/Argumentative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.1 1-12.L.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.
SUBJECT / STANDARD AREA	PA.CC.1.4.11-12.	Writing: Students write for different purposes and audiences. Students write clear and focused text to convey a well-defined perspective and appropriate content.
STANDARD AREA / STATEMENT		Narrative: Conventions of Language
STANDARD	CC.1.4.1 1-12.R.	Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.