Main Criteria: Spelling Classroom

Secondary Criteria: Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS)

Subject: Language Arts

Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

Spelling Classroom

Word Ladder

Summary: Sequence of words built upon the previous and advance down the ladder with each correct answer.

Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS)

Language Arts

Grade 1 - Adopted: 2017

TEKS	TX.110.3.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 1, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION	1.2.	Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinkingbeginning reading and writing. The student develops word structure knowledge through phonological awareness, print concepts, phonics, and morphology to communicate, decode, and spell. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	1.2.C.	Demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by:
INDICATOR	1.2.C.iv.	Spelling high-frequency words from a research-based list.
TEKS	TX.110.3.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 1, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION	1.7.	Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	1.7.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.

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Grade 2 - Adopted: 2017

TEKS	TX.110.4.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 2, Adopted 2017	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	2.2.	Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinkingbeginning reading and writing. The student develops word structure knowledge through phonological awareness, print concepts, phonics, and morphology to communicate, decode, and spell. The student is expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	2.2.C.	Demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by:	
INDICATOR	2.2.C.iv.	Spelling multisyllabic words with multiple sound-spelling patterns.	
TEKS	TX.110.4.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 2, Adopted 2017	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	2.7.	Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	2.7.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.	

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Grade 3 - Adopted: 2017

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TEKS	TX.110.5.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 3, Adopted 2017	
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinkingbeginning reading and writing. The student develops word structure knowledge through phonological awareness, print concepts, phonics, and morphology to communicate, decode, and spell. The student is expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	3.2.B.	Demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by:	
INDICATOR	3.2.B.iv.	Spelling multisyllabic words with multiple sound-spelling patterns.	

TEKS	TX.110.5.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 3, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	3.7.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.

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Grade 4 - Adopted: 2017

TEKS	TX.110.6.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 4, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION	4.2.	Developing and sustaining foundational language skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinkingbeginning reading and writing. The student develops word structure knowledge through phonological awareness, print concepts, phonics, and morphology to communicate, decode, and spell. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	4.2.B.	Demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by:
INDICATOR	4.2.B.ii.	Spelling homophones.
INDICATOR	4.2.B.iii.	Spelling multisyllabic words with multiple sound-spelling patterns.
TEKS	TX.110.6.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 4, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION	4.7.	Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	4.7.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.

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Grade 5 - Adopted: 2017

TEKS	TX.110.7.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 5, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	5.7.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.

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Grade 6 - Adopted: 2017

TEKS	TX.110.22	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 6, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	6.6.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.

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Grade 7 - Adopted: 2017

TEKS	TX.110.23	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 7, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	7.6.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.

Grade 8 - Adopted: 2017

TEKS	TX.110.2 4.	English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 8, Adopted 2017
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Response skills: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking using multiple texts. The student responds to an increasingly challenging variety of sources that are read, heard, or viewed. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	8.6.F.	Respond using newly acquired vocabulary as appropriate.

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Grade 9 - Adopted: 2010

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TEKS	TX.110.31	English Language Arts and Reading, English I (One Credit)	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EI.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.	
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EII.1)	Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	EII.1 (C)	Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.	
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.	
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.1)	Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	EIII.1 (C)	Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.	
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.	
TEKS	TX.110.3 4.	English Language Arts and Reading, English IV (One Credit)	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIV.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.	
		Grade 9 - Adopted: 2011	
TEKS	TX.110.4 7.	Reading I, II, III (One-Half to Three Credits).	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.47.1)	The student uses a variety of word recognition strategies. The student is expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.47.1 (B)	Use reference guides such as dictionaries, glossaries, and available technology to determine pronunciations of unfamiliar words.	
TEKS	TX.110.52	Creative Writing (One-Half to One Credit).	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.52.3)	The student applies the conventions of usage and the mechanics of written English to communicate clearly and effectively. The student is expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.52.3 (B)	Spell with accuracy in the final draft.	
TEKS	TX.110.53	Research and Technical Writing (One-Half to One Credit).	
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.53.4)	The student applies the conventions of usage and mechanics of written English. The student is expected to:	
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.53.4 (B)	Use correct spelling in the final draft.	

TEKS	TX.110.5 4.	Practical Writing Skills (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.54.1	The student uses the conventions and mechanics of written English to communicate clearly. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.54.1 (B)	Use correct spelling.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.3	Research. The student uses relevant research to promote understanding of literary works. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.3 (B)	Research the author, author's works, literary criticism, allusions in the text, and definitions and pronunciations of words to enhance understanding and appreciation of the chosen text.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.6	Interpretation. The student applies research and analysis to make appropriate performance choices. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.6 (D)	Justify the use of dialect, pronunciation, enunciation, or articulation.

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Grade **10** - Adopted: **2010**

TEKS	TX.110.31	English Language Arts and Reading, English I (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EI.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EII.1)	Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	EII.1 (C)	Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.1)	Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	EIII.1 (C)	Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.3 4.	English Language Arts and Reading, English IV (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIV.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.

Grade **10** - Adopted: **2011**

TEKS	TX.110.4 7.	Reading I, II, III (One-Half to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.47.1	The student uses a variety of word recognition strategies. The student is expected to:
	110.47.1 (B)	Use reference guides such as dictionaries, glossaries, and available technology to determine pronunciations of unfamiliar words.
TEKS	TX.110.52	Creative Writing (One-Half to One Credit).

STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.52.3)	The student applies the conventions of usage and the mechanics of written English to communicate clearly and effectively. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.52.3 (B)	Spell with accuracy in the final draft.
TEKS	TX.110.53	Research and Technical Writing (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.53.4)	The student applies the conventions of usage and mechanics of written English. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.53.4 (B)	Use correct spelling in the final draft.
TEKS	TX.110.5 4.	Practical Writing Skills (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.54.1)	The student uses the conventions and mechanics of written English to communicate clearly. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.54.1 (B)	Use correct spelling.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.3)	Research. The student uses relevant research to promote understanding of literary works. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.3 (B)	Research the author, author's works, literary criticism, allusions in the text, and definitions and pronunciations of words to enhance understanding and appreciation of the chosen text.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.6)	Interpretation. The student applies research and analysis to make appropriate performance choices. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.6 (D)	Justify the use of dialect, pronunciation, enunciation, or articulation.

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Grade **11** - Adopted: **2010**

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TEKS	TX.110.31	English Language Arts and Reading, English I (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EI.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EII.1)	Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	EII.1 (C)	Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.1)	Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	EIII.1 (C)	Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.3 4.	English Language Arts and Reading, English IV (One Credit)

STUDENT EXPECTATION	` '	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and
		check correct spellings.

Grade 11 - Adopted: 2011

		Grade 11 - Adopted: 2011
TEKS	TX.110.4 7.	Reading I, II, III (One-Half to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.47.1	The student uses a variety of word recognition strategies. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.47.1 (B)	Use reference guides such as dictionaries, glossaries, and available technology to determine pronunciations of unfamiliar words.
TEKS	TX.110.52	Creative Writing (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.52.3	The student applies the conventions of usage and the mechanics of written English to communicate clearly and effectively. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.52.3 (B)	Spell with accuracy in the final draft.
TEKS	TX.110.53	Research and Technical Writing (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.53.4	The student applies the conventions of usage and mechanics of written English. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.53.4 (B)	Use correct spelling in the final draft.
TEKS	TX.110.5 4.	Practical Writing Skills (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.54.1	The student uses the conventions and mechanics of written English to communicate clearly. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.54.1 (B)	Use correct spelling.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.3	Research. The student uses relevant research to promote understanding of literary works. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.3 (B)	Research the author, author's works, literary criticism, allusions in the text, and definitions and pronunciations of words to enhance understanding and appreciation of the chosen text.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.6	Interpretation. The student applies research and analysis to make appropriate performance choices. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.6 (D)	Justify the use of dialect, pronunciation, enunciation, or articulation.

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Grade **12** - Adopted: **2010**

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TEKS	TX.110.31	English Language Arts and Reading, English I (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION		Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION		Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.
TEKS	TX.110.32	English Language Arts and Reading, English II (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)

STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.1)	Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	EIII.1 (C)	Infer word meaning through the identification and analysis of analogies and other word relationships.
TEKS	TX.110.33	English Language Arts and Reading, English III (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIII.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.
TEKS	TX.110.3 4.	English Language Arts and Reading, English IV (One Credit)
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(EIV.19)	Oral and Written Conventions/Spelling. Students spell correctly. Students are expected to spell correctly, including using various resources to determine and check correct spellings.

Grade **12** - Adopted: **2011**

		Grade 12 - Adopted: 2011
TEKS	TX.110.4 7.	Reading I, II, III (One-Half to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.47.1)	The student uses a variety of word recognition strategies. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.47.1 (B)	Use reference guides such as dictionaries, glossaries, and available technology to determine pronunciations of unfamiliar words.
TEKS	TX.110.52	Creative Writing (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.52.3)	The student applies the conventions of usage and the mechanics of written English to communicate clearly and effectively. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.52.3 (B)	Spell with accuracy in the final draft.
TEKS	TX.110.53	Research and Technical Writing (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.53.4)	The student applies the conventions of usage and mechanics of written English. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.53.4 (B)	Use correct spelling in the final draft.
TEKS	TX.110.5 4.	Practical Writing Skills (One-Half to One Credit).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.54.1)	The student uses the conventions and mechanics of written English to communicate clearly. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.54.1 (B)	Use correct spelling.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.3)	Research. The student uses relevant research to promote understanding of literary works. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.3 (B)	Research the author, author's works, literary criticism, allusions in the text, and definitions and pronunciations of words to enhance understanding and appreciation of the chosen text.
TEKS	TX.110.5 9.	Oral Interpretation I, II, III (One to Three Credits).
STUDENT EXPECTATION	(110.59.6)	Interpretation. The student applies research and analysis to make appropriate performance choices. The student is expected to:
GRADE LEVEL EXPECTATION	110.59.6 (D)	Justify the use of dialect, pronunciation, enunciation, or articulation.