

**Spelling
Game**

Spelling Bee

Players: 2 teams of 2–5 children, a caller

You need: list of Unit 23 Basic Words

How to play: Arrange players into two teams. Have team members form two lines.

1. The first player on one team steps forward. The caller says a word, and the player repeats the word, spells it, and says the word again.
2. The caller checks the word list. If the word is spelled correctly, the team gets one point. If the word is misspelled, the first player in the other team's line attempts to spell the word.
3. Players move to the end of their lines after spelling. Teams alternate, with the next child in line moving forward to take a turn.
4. The spelling bee ends when all the words on the list have been spelled correctly. The team with the most points wins.

Other ways to play this game: Have players write the words on the chalkboard instead of spelling them out loud.

