

Spelling Game

Happy Endings

Players: 6, a caller

You need: tagboard, yarn or string, beanbag, list of Unit 32 Basic Words

How to play: Make five “letter necklaces.” Write each of these letters on a piece of tagboard: **d, e, i, g, n**. Attach yarn to each card. Five players take necklaces. The sixth player takes the beanbag. The six players stand in a circle.

1. The caller says a Basic Word from Unit 32.
2. The player with the beanbag spells the first part of the word but stops before spelling the **ed** or **ing** ending. He or she tosses the beanbag to the player wearing the letter that comes next, **e** or **i**.
3. This player says his or her letter. Then the beanbag is tossed to the player wearing the next letter. Play continues until the entire word has been spelled.
4. The player wearing the final letter trades places with the beanbag thrower. The caller announces a new word.

