

**Spelling  
Game**

# The Missing Letter

**Players:** 2

**You need:** chalk, eraser, chalkboard, Basic Words from Units 7–11 as listed in Unit 12

**How to play:** Players fill in the missing letter of a Basic Word.

- The first player turns away from the chalkboard. The second player writes a Basic Word on the chalkboard but leaves out one letter. Then the second player says, “Go!” and begins to count to ten. The other player turns to face the word and tries to fill in the missing letter before the count of ten.
- A player receives one point for filling in the correct letter. If the letter is incorrect, a player loses one point. Whoever has the most points after each player has had five turns is the winner.

**Other ways to play this game:** Players can make the game more challenging by leaving out all the vowels in a word. Players can also set a timer for ten seconds instead of counting to ten.

