



Student Console Help



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About Spellodrome

Welcome to the Spellodrome Student Console!

Did you know that becoming a good speller can help you with your reading and writing skills as well? Take the first step towards improving your spelling in the Spellodrome Student Console, where you can create your own profile and play against other students from around the world.

Compete against other students, challenge yourself and test your spelling skills in order to earn points and credits along the way! Receive enough points and you'll earn a Star or Galaxy certificate. Use your credits in the shop, where you can buy features and accessories for your profile.

Keep track of your progress each week and you'll be amazed at how your spelling results improve!



My Word List



My Word List

In My Word List, you can see the words that your teacher has assigned you for the week.

- Click on one of the lists to see all of the words in the set.



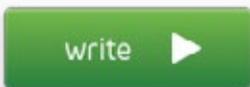
- Click on a word to hear it and to take you to word training.



- Click on the speaker icon to hear the word again.



- Click write to hear the word in a sentence and then try to spell it yourself.



My Word List



My Word List

- After writing the word in the example, do one of the following to submit the word.

- ★ Click Check.



- ★ Click Enter on the virtual keyboard.



- ★ Press Enter on your physical keyboard.

- At any point of time, click exit to go back to the word list.

< exit



My Word List Games

My Word List games are spelling games made up of words from your list.



My Word List Games



Word Detective

Objective

This is an exciting game where you compete against Mr D tective. The objective is to work out what the hidden word is. The winner is the player who finds the last letter and completes the word.



Instructions

- If you chose the correct letter, you can continue choosing letters. However, if the letter chosen is incorrect, the turn is passed on to your opponent.
- A pink time bar shows the time you have left to choose a letter. If you do not select a letter before the time lapses, then the turn is passed on to Mr D Tective. His time is indicated by the blue time bar. If you do not select a letter before the time lapses, the turn is passed to your opponent.
- Each time you select a letter, the letter gets greyed out. This ensures that you do not select the same letter a second time.
- The bulb turns green when a selected letter is correct. However, the box turns red when an incorrect letter is selected.
- The winner of the game is the player who selects the final letter to complete the word.
- If you win the game you receive 50 points.

My Word List Games



Words in Pieces

Objective

Match up two puzzle pieces to form a word. There are 16 words to be found.



Instructions

- Click **OPEN** to view the list of words. Viewing the list of words is optional.



- To match the puzzle pieces, you should locate two pieces of a single word on the screen, then drag one piece across to the other.
- Each time a word is identified, the selected word is greyed out in the list.
- The progress of the game can be viewed on the left-side corner of the page.
- You can click the close icon to close the word list.
- When you have matched all of the words, you win 50 points.
- You can exit the game at any point of time by clicking the **Exit** button.

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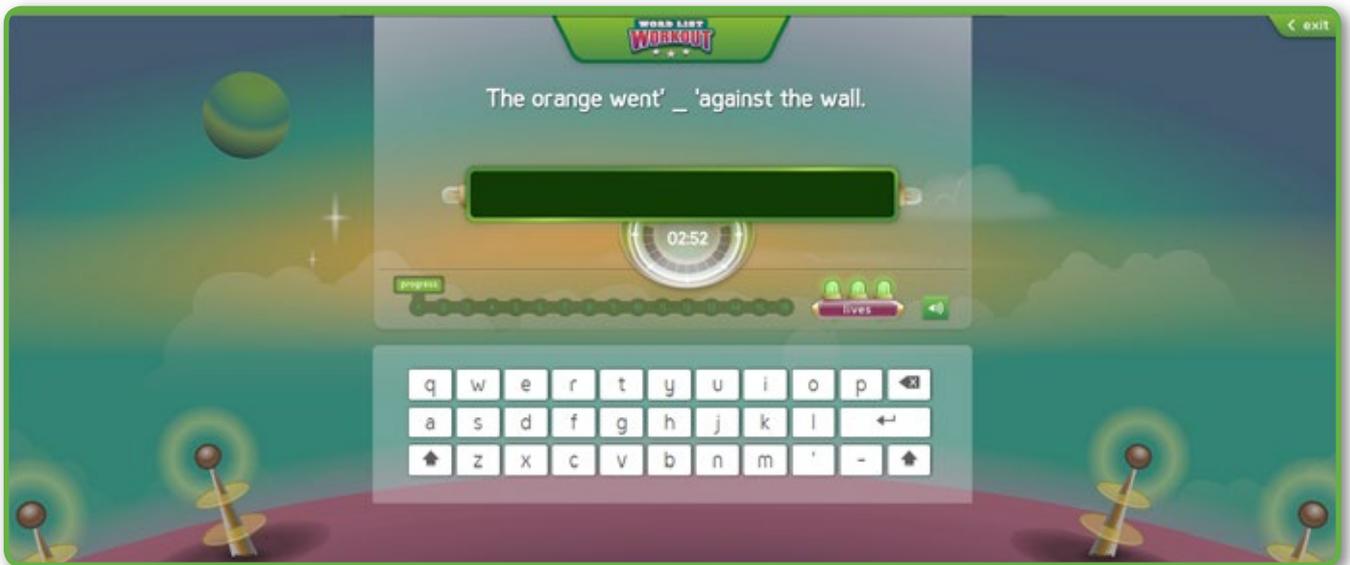
My Word List Games



Word List Workout

Objective

Listen to the audio and type the correct word for 16 sentences. You will achieve 10 points for each correct sentence.



Instructions

- You can either type the word manually on your keyboard or select the letters from the virtual keyboard.
- You will get a time limit of three minutes for each sentence. This time frame allows you to listen and type the word.
- The audio will read the word then an example of the word in a sentence.
- When you type a word correctly, you will see a green tick mark. ✓
- When you type an incorrect word, you will see a red cross mark, ✗ followed by the correct spelling of the word.
- Click the speaker icon to listen to the audio again. 
- You have three lives to complete the 16 sentences, which is displayed at the bottom of the screen. If all three lives are lost, the game ends automatically.
- The progress bar at the bottom of the screen updates to show how many sentences you have completed.
- You can exit the game at any point of time by clicking the exit button on the top right-side of the page.

Bonus Games

Bonus games are extra word list games where you can learn your words and earn points.



Bonus Games



Find a Word

Objective

A game where the objective is to find 16 words hidden in the grid.



Instructions

- Words appear in forward, backward, upward, downward, and diagonal directions.
- When you find words in the grid, the words get greyed out in the Word List.
- You can both drag and select words in the grid or you can click each letter manually using your keyboard to select words.
- You can exit the game at any point of time by clicking the **Exit** button  on the top right-side of the page.

Bonus Games



Crossword

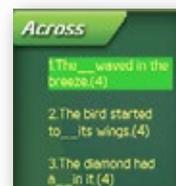
Objective

A traditional crossword game with clues and audio to solve an exciting puzzle.



Instructions

- Click on the clue to hear the word and sentence. The audio will read the word, and then the sentence.
- You can either type the word manually on your keyboard or select the letters from the virtual keyboard.
- Click **Reset** to restart the game. 
- Click **Erase Mistakes** to check your answers. 
- Click **Submit** to complete the game. 



Live Spellodrome



Live Spellodrome

Objective

A live head to head game where you race against another player to see who can answer 10 questions the fastest.

The game has three levels – Level 1, Level 2, and Level 3. These levels are sorted in ascending order of difficulty and can be selected as per your requirement. In Level 1, you will earn 10 points per word and a total of 100 points. In Level 2, you will earn 15 points per word and a total of 150 points. In Level 3, you will earn 20 points per word and a total of 200 points.

In addition to earning these points, you also have the challenge of beating your best time to earn some shopping credits to spend in the Facemaker shop.



Instructions

- On the Live Spellodrome home page, you can select **Level 1**, **Level 2**, or **Level 3**, depending on the difficulty level that you want to play, select **World** or **Single Player**, and then click **GO**.
- If you select **Single Player** and click **GO**, the game will begin immediately.



Live Spellodrome



Live Spellodrome

Instructions (cont.)

- However, if you select **World** and click **GO**, the game will first search for the country of the second player. If the game is unable to find a second player, the game will begin with the computer.
- If you simply click **GO** without selecting the level, world, or single player, the game will begin with a default **Level 1** and against **World**.



Single Player



World



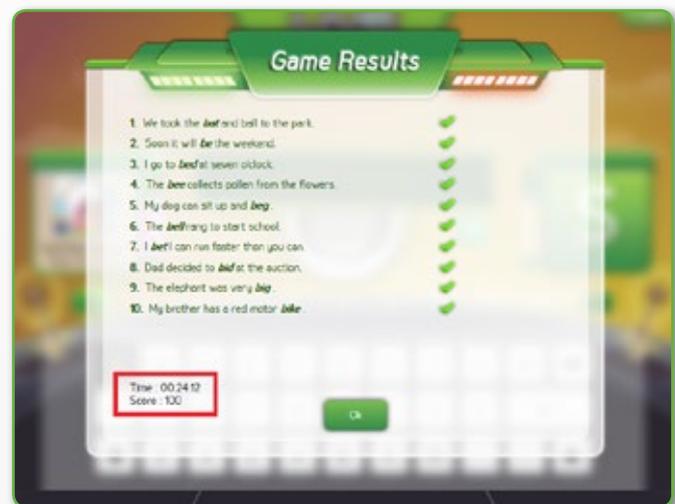
Live Spellodrome



Live Spellodrome

Instructions (cont.)

- You will get a time limit of three minutes to answer ten questions correctly. This time frame allows you to listen and type the word. The audio will first read the word, followed by an example of the word in a sentence.
- You can either type the word manually or select the letters from the virtual keyboard, and then press **Enter**.
- The progress bar indicates the progress of the game and only proceeds when a question is answered correctly.
- In the case of an incorrect answer you only have three lives. If you lose all three lives, the game ends automatically.
- If you spell 10 words correctly, a **CONGRATULATIONS** pop-up appears.
 - If you play as a single player, you win 10 shopping credits for beating your best time.
 - If you play against an opponent, you can win:
 - 5 shopping credits if you win a game without losing any of your lives.
 - 10 shopping credits if you beat your best time.
 - 15 shopping credits if you win a game without losing any of your lives and beat your best time.
- On clicking **Close** on the **Congratulations** pop-up, the **Game Results** pop-up appears, which provides a summary of your performance along with the time and score. This includes a list of the sentences that you attempted, which includes correct and incorrect answers.



Live Spellodrome



Live Spellodrome

Instructions (cont.)

- On clicking **exit**, you will go back to the home page of Live Spellodrome.
- On the Spellodrome home page, you can click **My Results** to get a consolidated view of your results on all the levels that you have played in Live Spellodrome.

A screenshot of the 'My Results' page in the Live Spellodrome application. The page has a blue and green gradient background with a globe at the bottom. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a user profile icon, the 'LIVE SPELLODROME' logo, and buttons for 'Level 1' (10 points per word), 'Level 2' (15 points per word), 'Level 3' (20 points per word), and 'My Results'. The 'My Results' section is a table with the following data:

My Results		
Level 1	Overall	This Week
Correct Spelling	472	330
Accuracy	90%	100%
Best Time	22.92	22.92
Level 2	Overall	This Week
Correct Spelling	40	40
Accuracy	100%	100%
Best Time	31.96	31.96
Level 3	Overall	This Week
Correct Spelling	0	0
Accuracy	0%	0%
Best Time	-	-

Writing Fun



Writing Fun

Writing Fun is a variety of writing samples covering different text types. You can also create your own writing samples.

Writing Fun by Jenny Eather *Using text organisers to assist students with the writing process.*

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Read what each text type is used for.
2. Click on the text type you need.
3. The text organiser will load.

Text Organiser

1. Check how each organiser works.
2. Read some examples.
3. Print organisers or examples.
4. Try writing your own.

Complex texts often contain more than one text type. You can mix and match to suit your purposes.

PURPOSE
TEXT TYPE
TEXT ORGANISER
IDEAS
ACTION !!

Text Types

- Information Report** - provides information - states the facts
- Procedure** - tells how to make or do something, e.g. recipe
- Recount** - retells past events in the order they occurred
- Explanation** - explains how or why something happens
- Persuasion (exposition)** - presents one point of view with reasons - often used to influence or sell, e.g. advertisement
- Discussion** - presents both sides of an issue, e.g. debate
- Narrative** - tells a story, e.g. folk tale
- Response** - describes personal reactions, e.g. review
- Description** - describes someone or something in detail - often used in other text types
- Poetry** - words arranged in lines, rhythmic, e.g. verse

Everyday Texts

A text may be **FACTUAL** (true) or **LITERARY** (imaginary).

Instructions

- There are ten types of texts that you can access. Click on the radio button to begin learning the desired text type.
- There are six examples to describe each text type. Click on each example to understand each text type better.
- Tips on the right-hand side of the page explain the examples more elaborately.
- In addition to learning about text types, you can also learn how to write a letter, invitation, email, and news. Click on the respective button to start writing.
- Click **Downloads and Printables** or **Print** to take a printout of the content that you want to read at a later time.
- Click **Back** to go back to the Spellodrome home page.

My Results



My Results

Check your progress each week in My Results. This section shows all the words that you have answered correctly and incorrectly. If you select the word from the incorrect list it will take you to Word Training. If you then spell this word correctly three times in Word Training it will move to the correct list.



print My Results exit

Week starting : 16 June 2014

Correct: 11 Incorrect: 3

Correct List	Incorrect List
frivolous	frivolous
shakuhachi	glasse <small>Live</small>
fiery <small>Live</small>	monumen <small>Live</small>
hepatitis	
logistics	
look <small>Live</small>	
fire	
giant <small>***</small>	
manufacture	

Live : correct answer in Live SpelloDrome *** : was incorrect but has now been correctly attempted 3 times

My Report

My Report

You can also keep track of your progress in the Report section. This will help you see your achievements in all different areas of Spellodrome.



Millennium Gallery

Millennium Gallery

Millennium Gallery consists of all the awards and certificates in Spellodrome.



- If you earn 1000 points in a week, you will receive a star award, along with a certificate.
- Keep it up for four weeks and you'll get a Galaxy Award!
- Click on each certificate to view and print your certificate.
- At any point of time, click **Exit** to go back to the Spellodrome home page.

< exit

