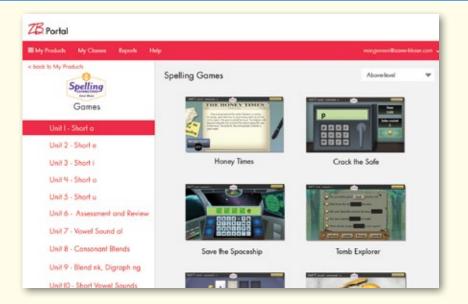
Extend the SLEARNING EXPERIENCE ONLINE

My ZB Portal

The free digital tools at MyZBPortal.com offer students exciting online games to help them learn their spelling words. For teachers, online activities offer time-saving options, such as online spelling tests and reporting.



Online Activities

Spelling Connections includes several online time-saving activities that students can complete independently.

Word Sort

Tired of having to print or create word cards? Students can sort their assigned below-level, on-level, or above-level spelling words in this online activity.



Pretest

Students can independently take prefests online. Prefest scores are automatically sent to the Reports page of MyZBPortal.com, so it's easy to determine which word list to assign to each student.



Practice Test

Students can prepare for postlests by taking a practice test. The content in a practice test is identical to the real version of the postlest that students can take online. The difference? Students receive instant feedback if they spell a word incorrectly in a practice test.

Posttest

Like prefests, students can also independently take postlests online. Postlests consist of below-level, on-level, or above-level spelling words. Save valuable classroom time by doing postlests online, and check the results from the Reports page in MyZBPortal.com later.

Online Games

The online spelling games, found at MyZBPortal.com, provide additional practice with the differentiated word lists. Students can play a variety of engaging games that target the weekly spelling pattern.



Crack the Safe

Students are tasked with opening a variety of safes by spelling words from their word lists. What kinds of mystery objects will they find inside each safe? Also available in a timed version.

The Honey Times

Before the newspaper can be printed, students are tasked with finding all of the spelling errors in the front-page article.





Tomb Explorer

Can your students make it to the center of the tomb? Open ancient passageways by inserting word blocks into the sentences. Only after all of the sentences are completed correctly will the doors into the tomb open!

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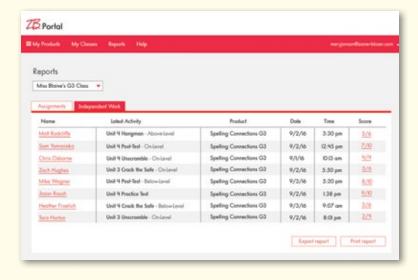
Save the Spaceship

Protect the spaceship from being destroyed by meteors in this hangman-type game. If too many meteors hit the ship, it will have to go back home. Students must guess the letters in a mystery spelling word to keep the ship's shields up.

Bumbling Bee

A bumbling bee is up to no good at the city museum, and precious vases and artwork have been broken. Students reassemble the museum's collection by unscrambling letter shards to spell a word from their spelling list.





Reports

Easy-to-understand reports enable you to see the results of students' practice activities as well as their online test results.

Using the Digital Tutor

Using a mobile device, students can scan the QR codes throughout their student book to access the Digital Tutor for additional practice with their word lists. Students select their level—circle, diamond, or square—and tap the *play* button to hear the words read aloud and used in a sentence. Students can independently practice their spelling on paper, with letter cards, or whatever you decide! Students can check their work by pressing the *check* button, which reveals the correct spelling of each word.





