

Alex Nearing
Solar Lesson Plan
Spelling Words
April 11, 2016

Spelling Words Week 27 Lesson

Standards:

L.2 Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English capitalization, punctuation, and spelling when writing

Objectives:

- Students will be able to **demonstrate** the correct spelling of the selected words during the activity.
- Students will participate in activity using teamwork and healthy competitiveness.

Learning Activity:

1. Students will be reminded that this lesson is about the spelling words for this week and will be told that because there isn't too much time, everything needs to be done in a timely manner if they wish to participate in the game.
2. The class will be asked to stand in a circle around the room ordered boy-girl-boy-girl as best as possible.
3. The game will be spelling sparkle. The first student will be given a word and they are to say the first letter or the word. The second student says the second letter and so on until the word is complete. When the last letter is said, the student following is to say the word sparkle which means the person immediately to their right is out. If a student misspells a word, they are out also. The game goes on until one person is left standing or until time runs out.

Assessment:

- Students will be assessed based on their friendly participation.

Reflection:

This lesson went amazing! The kids absolutely loved it! There are some harder words for the kids to know this week and I think that it really showed during this game, however, it also showed that they wanted to know the words which was a very good thing. After several failed attempts at a word, I could hear all the students finally figuring out how to spell it and that was really cool to witness. I honestly don't think I would change anything about this lesson. I was taught spelling this way and it worked amazingly for me so this lesson has definitely stood the test of time and is absolutely a student favorite.