

## Typing Activity

Below is a box with 12 of your spelling words in it. Use a computer word processor to type 12 sentences. Each sentence should have a spelling word in it.



### Word Box

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|-------------|------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1. costume  | 2. swift   | 3. imitate  | 4. suddenly   |
| 5. building | 6. cousin  | 7. fling    | 8. crunch     |
| 9. fudge    | 10. prompt | 11. octopus | 12. important |

#### Step 1: Type sentences with your spelling words in them.

- Type your name at the top of the page.
- Use each word in a complete sentence.
- Each sentence should have at least six words in it.
- Number the sentences 1 through 12.
- Underline the spelling word in each sentence.

#### Step 2: Proofread your work.

- Check to be sure all words are spelled correctly.
- Be sure each sentence makes sense, begins with a capital letter, and ends with a punctuation mark.
- Check to make sure you underlined each spelling word.
- Be sure each sentence has six or more words in it.
- Check to make sure you numbered your sentences and typed your name at the top of the page.

#### Step 3: Adjust the font and size.

- Choose a basic font that is easy to read, such as Arial or Verdana.
- Your font size should be between 12 and 16 point.

#### Step 4: Save or print your file, as per your teacher's instructions.

# Teacher Notes

- For this activity, you can use any word processor, such as Microsoft Word, OpenOffice, or GoogleDocs.
- We suggest you disable automatic numbering. It can be confusing for students, especially if they are leaving blank lines between sentences with the enter key.
- We also suggest that you disable the spelling auto-correct feature. This will prevent the computer from correcting words automatically, without the student noticing.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spelling Level D, Unit 2

## Score

\_\_\_\_\_ / 25      Student wrote 12 complete sentences. Each sentence makes sense and has 6 or more words in it.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 50      All words in the sentences are spelled correctly.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10      Student has correctly used spaces, capital letters, and punctuation.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10      Sentences are numbered, and spelling words are underlined.  
Student has chosen a font size and style that is easy to read.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 5      Student has successfully saved or printed the file, as per the teacher's instructions.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 100      total score

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
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