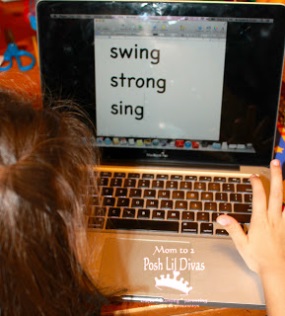
**How you can help at home with spelling**

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* Writing the spellings in a glitter tray.
* Writing in sand/salt/flour/shaving foam.
* Using a paint brush and water bucket to write on the pavement.
* Using bath crayons at bath time.
* Making words using magnetic letters on the fridge
* Writing words on a small whiteboard in the car on long journeys
* [](http://4.bp.blogspot.com/-O9s0KuudoG4/UINbBfhDXpI/AAAAAAAAPW8/zYHCepqiaAU/s1600/spelling+crayon+bits.jpg)Making words using objects such as lego, cubes, crayons, cereal etc
* Chopping words into parts or letters and putting them back together again.
* Word hangman using spellings from the table above.
* Missing letters out of the words and getting the children to fill them in.
* Using flashcards or letter cards to make the spelling word.
* Tracing spellings in different colours (rainbow writing).
* Tracing letter in the air.
* Joining the dots to make spelling words.

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* Typing the spellings onto a Word document.
* Using the **Spellosaur** app to play spelling games.
* Visit the **Puzzlemaker** website and add your weekly words into a word search for children to find the words in.