

# Sparkle

## A Spelling Game

**Objective:** Students practice spelling words.

**Materials:** Spelling list

**Plan:**

1. Students form a circle. (Or just have students stand by their desk.)
2. The teacher picks someone to begin.
3. The teacher reads one spelling word aloud.
4. The student must say the word and then the first letter in the word.
5. Going clockwise (or up and down rows), the next student says the second letter and so on until the word is spelled
6. When the word has been spelled correctly, the next student in the group spells the entire word.
7. The next student in line says, “Sparkle” and the student after that sits down.
8. Students also sit down if they say a wrong letter or need the word said again.
9. If a student gives the wrong letter, the word needs to begin being spelled from the beginning with the next student.
10. The last person standing is the winner.

**Example:**

*Teacher:* The word is “school”.

*Student #1:* “School ... s”

*Student #2:* “c”

*Student #3:* “h”

*Student #4:* “o”

*Student #5:* “o”

*Student #6:* “l”

*Student #7:* “School... s...c...h...o...o...l...school”

*Student #8:* “SPARKLE!”

*Student #9 has to sit down.*