



Beaconside Primary & Nursery School

Supporting Spelling at Home - Year 2-6

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to let you know that our school is using a programme called **Spelling Shed** to support the teaching and learning of spelling.

As part of this programme, each child has their own account which allows them to log in and play a range of fun and interactive spelling games. Teachers can set a weekly spelling focus (assignment), and children can practise these words by playing games linked to their assignment. As they play, children earn points which they can use to customise their own avatar - a great way to keep spelling practice engaging!

There are two ways to access Spelling Shed:

- **Website:** You can log in for free at www.edshed.com
- **App:** A paid app is also available for mobile devices if you prefer.



Children have already accessed their accounts in school, so they should be familiar with how to log in and navigate the website. This week, your child's teacher will send home their personal login details.

Please note that using Spelling Shed at home is **optional**. However, it is a fantastic tool to help reinforce spelling skills and support your child's learning in a fun and motivating way.

For more information regarding Spelling Shed and supporting spelling at home, please click on the below link which will take you to a parent presentation.

<https://www.spellingshed.com/en-ie/resource/introduction-to-spelling-shed---parent-presentation-en-gb>

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,
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