

Spelling Concentration

This game helps you learn to spell.

Needed: flashcard sets. Two or more players.

Rules

1. Print out several copies of the following flashcards:
Letter Flashcards
Vowel and Vowel Sounds Flashcards
Blends and Endings Flashcards
2. Cut the flashcards apart on the lines.
3. Mix up the flashcards and place them face down on a table in evenly spaced rows.
4. Each player turns over four cards in their turn. If they can form a word using any or all of those four cards, they take those cards from the field and place the word in front of them. If they cannot form a word the four cards are returned to a face down position. If the player forms a word, any cards that were not used to make the word are also returned to a face down position. The next player then takes a turn.
5. Play continues until one player makes 10 words in front of them.

Determining a winner

1. The winner is the first person to make 10 words from the cards they have turned over.

Variations:

Players may turn over five, six or more cards during each turn. The greater the number of cards turned over, the easier it is to make a word. However, it then becomes harder to remember the position of the letters that were turned over.

Players may also choose to play until a player has 35 cards in front of them which were used to make words. This prevents players from reaching the 10 word goal by making numerous one or two letter words.