

MOVIE STAR KISSES	Put hands to your mouth. Through each letter a kiss, like Marilyn Monroe at the Oscars.
OPERA	Sing the letters in opera fashion
FLY LIKE A BIRD	Arms flapping up and down
CHICKEN	Arms folded up to make wings and head moving forward and back.
NOSE	Hold your nose and spell it
BEAT IT	Beat it out on the desk
CHEER IT	Like a cheerleader (Give me an "h", etc)
SNAP AND CLAP	Snap the vowels. Clap the consonants.
KETCHUP	One hand open, the other closed. Pound hands together like you would pound a difficult bottle
EXPLOSION (VOLCANO)	Start at a whisper. Get louder with each letter. Explode when you say the word at the end.
MARSHMALLOW CLAP	Almost like a clap, but stop just before the hands touch for each letter.
SLOW MOTION	Hold the sound of each letter for a second or two.
RIDE'M COWBOY	Straddle the back of the chair. Spin lasso around for each letter. Pretend to rope a calf and pull in at the end when you say the word.
DEEP VOICE	Say the letters and word in a deep voice.
MOUSE TALK	Squeaky voice with hands curled up by face
SCREAM IT / WHISPER IT	Scream the letters and the word. Followed by whisper the letters then the word.
HAND JIVE	Pair children up. Children clap hands together for consonants and lap clap for vowels. Put hands in the air at the end as you say the word.
RAISE THE ROOF	Push up toward the ceiling, one push for each letter.
DISCO	Pretend to be John Travolta in Saturday Night Fever. Hand starts at stomach for each letter. Hand up then back down for each letter.

THROW THE STARS	Throw one hand at a time up toward the ceiling for each letter.
MEXICAN HAT DANCE	Alternate feet in front.
FLAPPING & NODDING	Pretend you are a bird and flap your wings, while nodding your head for each letter.
STOMPING	Stomp out each letter with your foot.
MOTORCYCLE	Hang on to the pretend handle bars and do wheelies for each letter.
DRIBBLE AND SHOOT	Dribble the letters and shoot the word.
YO-YO	Pretend to have a yo-yo in each hand. Each time the yo-yo goes down say a letter. Do a loop-the-loop for when you say the word at the end. You might want to add some sound effects to this one.
PUMPING IRON	Pretend to be lifting weights, one rep for each letter. You must strain to get each letter up. Pretend to mount the barbell on the stand and sound exhausted as you say the word at the end.
IMAGINARY CHALKBOARD	Children pretend a chalkboard is in front of them. Write each letter. When you're finished with each word you can pretend to erase it.
APPLE PICKING	Pretend to pick an apple from the tree and put it in the basket. Pretend to pick up the basket when you saw the word at the end.
ROBOT	Use a robotic voice, with arms moving back and forth ("Danger! Danger! Will Robinson" style)
TIGGER BOUNCE	Bounce up and down for each letter.
ALLIGATOR CLAP	Hold arms straight out with our fingers curled to make the teeth Open and close arms, clapping our hands together for each letter
BLAST OFF	Start crouched at floor. As you say each letter get a little higher. Jump into the air at the end as you say the word
FROG JUMPS	Start standing up. As you say each letter crouch down a little farther. Jump into the air at the end as you say the word.
BACK TRACER	Trace the letter on the back of the person in front of you. This is best done in a circle. Then everyone has a back to trace on.
PAT IT	Pat heads for tall letters. Pat tummies for short letters. Pat knees for letters that extend below the baseline.
BOX IT	Pretend to be a boxer. One punch for each letter

BE THE LETTER	Sort of like doing the YMCA song.
HULA	Hands on hips. Swivel for each letter. Hands in the air at the end when you say the word.
JUMPING JACKS	One letter for each movement
TOE TOUCHES	One letter for each toe touch.
BATTER UP	Getting into a batting position. Take a swing for each letter
PUSH-UPS	One push-up for each letter.
FRISBEE	Throw each letter out Frisbee style.
AT THE MOUND	Pretend to be a pitcher at the mound and pitch out each letter. Pretend to watch the last pitch get hit as you say the word at the end.
LUMBER JACK	Pretend to swing an ax for each letter. Pretend the tree is falling down. At the end, say the word the way a lumberjack would say TIM-BER!
SURFIN' & SPELLIN'	Start out by getting on a surf board. Sing: "Let's go spellin' now, everybody's learning how, come and spell it with me!" Then while we're surfing we say the letters of the word!
THE SWIM	Swim the letters. Hold your nose and go down at the end when you say the word.
SONGS FOR 3 LETTER WORDS	This Old Man, Jingle Bells, Are You Sleeping? (C-A-N can), Three Blind Mice
SONGS FOR 4 LETTER WORDS	Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star, Skip to My Lou, YMCA, Are You Sleeping?
SONGS FOR 5 LETTER WORDS	Row, Row, Row Your Boat, You Are My Sunshine, BINGO ("There was a class that learned to spell; And this is what they sang-o")
SONGS FOR 6 LETTER WORDS	This Old Man, Jingle Bells, Happy Birthday, The Farmer in the Dell, Skip to My Lou
SONGS FOR 7 LETTER WORDS	She'll Be Coming Around the Mountain When She Comes My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean, Twinkle, Twinkle, Willoughby Wallaby Woo
SONGS FOR 8 LETTER WORDS	We Wish You a Merry Christmas For He's a Jolly Good Fellow
SONGS FOR 9 LETTER WORDS	I'm A Little Teapot