**Activity Explanations:**

Word Pyramid:

Take each Word Wall Word and write it one letter at a time (adding a new letter for each new line) to create the shape of a pyramid.

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wit

with

Rainbow Writing:

Write each word wall word in pencil first.

Then write each word again using a different color crayon or marker each time you rewrite the word.

with (pencil)

with (in all red)

with (in all orange)

with (in all yellow)

with (in all green)

with (in all blue)

with (in all purple)

Mystery Letters:

Using a whiteboard or a chalkboard write a Word Wall Word. Now have your parent hide the board and erase 1 letter. Have them show you the board and ask you to fill in the missing letter. Repeat this…make sure your parent erases a new letter each time. Try this again but erase two letters at a time instead. Finally have your parent erase the whole word and try to remember how to write the word on the whiteboard or chalkboard. Do this for each of your words.

Word Wall Word Memory Game:

This is similar to any memory card game. Have your child write the word wall words out on index cards. Make sure you make two sets so that each word has a match. Mix all of the cards up and then place them face down on the table. Turn over two cards at a time. Each time you find a match shout out the word and then try to spell that Word Wall Word without looking. If you can do it in a SNAP you can keep it! If it’s still tricky place the cards back down to try again another time.

SNIP SNIP:

Write each word on an index card. Make sure to leave a little space between each letter of the word. Cut the word apart into separate letters. Scramble the cut up letters. Then rearrange them to remake the word. Now write the word on paper without looking. Do this for each Word Wall Word.

Word Hunt:

Write each Word Wall Word on an index card. Have someone hide the words around your house. Look for each word. When you find one…shout out the word in a SNAP. Then try to spell the word out loud without looking.

Across and Down:

Write each Word Wall Word across the page and then down the page.

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Quiz Me:

Give your child a quiz. See how many words he/she can read in a SNAP and then how many words he/she can spell without looking.

Type It:

Type your Word Wall Words 3 times each. Use different fonts to make it fun!

**Challenge Activites:**

Riddle Me:

Write a riddle for each of your Word Wall Words. Don’t forget to write the answer!

with

\*I have one vowel

\*I have diagraph/”h” brother/chunk at the end

\*I am one syllable

Silly Sentences:

Write a silly sentence using 1 Word Wall Word in each sentence. Underline the word. Make sure you use a capital letter to start the sentence and punctuation to end it. Write neatly and use at least 5 words in your sentence.

Clowns like to juggle with elephants at the circus.

Story, Story:

Write a short story using ALL of your Word Wall Words. Be sure to underline each word in the story.