



# Spelling Shed

## Parent Guide

Log in using the username and password that is in your pink homework book. This can be online or via the app.

To get to the Spelling Shed games, click on Spelling Shed and you will see a screen that looks like this.

This screen shows the assignments that have been set by the teacher. The assignments link to games that include the words that need to be learnt or practiced. The icons or badges on the assignments show different achievement levels and are an incentive for the children to play more and aim for the top level. They are also a quick way for teachers to see how well they can spell the words in the lists.



When you click on an assignment, you will see three game options that look like this.

When completing an assignment, you must use one of the first two game options, Playing the bonus games will not contribute towards the set assignment



## Play

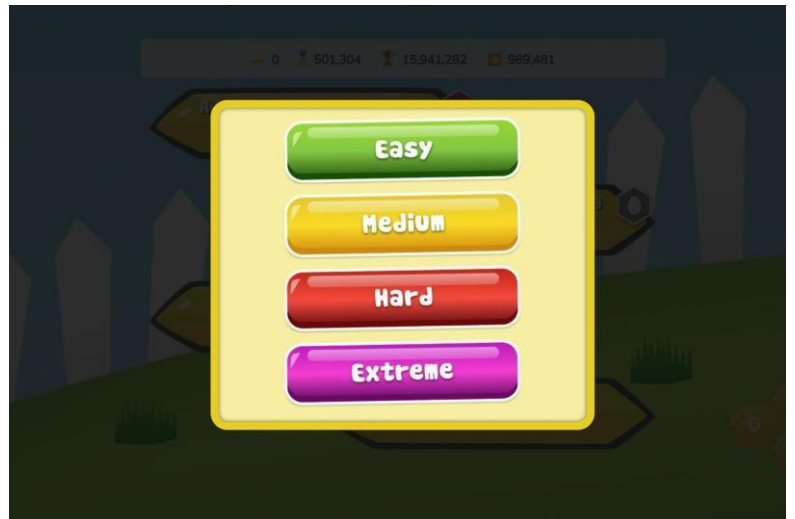
When you click 'Play', four difficulty options will appear.

**Easy** - You will be shown the word as well as hearing it and you will only see the letters you need to spell it.

**Medium** - You can listen to the word and you will only have the letters you need.

**Hard** - You can listen to the word but you will have a few extra letters added

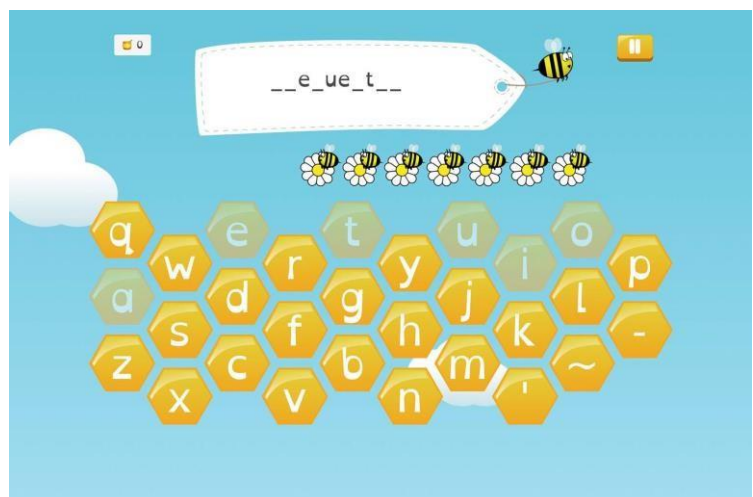
**Extreme** - You will hear the word and you have a full keyboard of letters



These levels of difficulty apply to solo and hive games. Games completed on easier levels will give the player a lower score and lower ranking. The teacher will be able to see which levels have been chosen for each game.

## Bonus Games

Beekeeper is a Hangman-style game where you have to guess the letters of a word before you lose all of the bees. The less wrong letters you choose, the more bees you save.



## Scoring and Honey Pots

When playing any of the spelling Shed games, a score and honey pots will be awarded depending how well you have done.

Honey pots can be used to buy clothes, accessories and backgrounds for your avatar.



