## **Spelling Word Chants and Cheers**

| Basketball Dribble the letters and shoot the words.                      | Marshmallow clap Almost like a clap, but you stop just before the hands touch each other.                                     |
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| Cheerleader Give me a, give me a give me a What do you have?             | Ketchup bottle Pound each letter of the word.   |
| Deep voice Say the letters and word in a deep voice.                     | <b>Nose</b> Hold your nose and spell the word.  |
| <b>Disco</b> Do the disco dance and for each arm movement, say a letter. | Rocket blast-off Start crouched at the floor. Say each letter and get a little higher. Jump into the air as you say the word. |
| Snap and Clap Snap the vowels and clap the consonants.                   | Alligator Clap  Hold arms straight out with fingers curled to make teeth. Clap the letters of the word.                       |

| The Swim  Swim the letters, hold your nose as you go down and say the word.              | Explosion  Start spelling the word at a whisper.  Get louder with each letter. Explode when you say the word at the end. |
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| Cowboy  Straddle the back of the chair and throw the lasso for each letter of the word.  | Chicken  Arms folded up to make wings and head moving back and forth. Flap for each letter.                              |
| Yo-Yo Pretend to have a yo-yo in your hand. Each time the yo-yo goes down, say a letter. | Frog Start standing, squat lower with each letter and jump with the final word.  |
| Raise the Roof  Push up toward the ceiling, one push for each letter.                    | The Whisper Scream  Scream the letters and the word, then whisper the letters and the word.                              |