2014-2015 CHEF Co-op

Crack the Code 1 (Spelling)

Instructor:	Christine Santalucia		Class Code:	SPL200
Co-teacher?	No			
Class Time	1:30-2:25pm		Tuition:	\$25/semester
Length of Class (1st sem/	2nd sem/both) B	oth N	Materials Fee:	\$5/semester
Description:	This class will teach spelling with a systematic, multisensory phonics approach. Students will learn rules that apply to the English language so that they will be equipped to spell and decode most words they read. Class time involves each student using a set of their own color-coded letter tiles. I will instruct class using identical letter tiles that are projected on the wall with an iPad. Students will practice spelling using real and nonsense words. Occasionally games will be played to reinforce spelling. Lessons covered: consonants, vowels, digraphs, blends(2 and 3 letter), digraph-blends, units, schwa, accented syllables, syllable division, contractions, compound words, idioms and the top 175 most common sight words that are not able to be phonetically sounded out. Spelling and reading are intimately linked. This class should also help your child to become a better reader.			
Enrollment: Min: 8 Max: 17				
Pre-Requisites: Grades 3,4,5,6				
Required Text:	None.			
	white 3"x5" index cards, black and red Sharpie markers, 3 ring binder(one			
Additional Materials:	section needed) for spelling rules, sightword quizzes and occasional handouts.			
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