

Dear Parents,

Students have spelling sentences homework every other week. The goal is for them to write the sentences with correct **punctuation, capitalization**, and with **all** of the words **spelled correctly**. Below is a checklist that students should use when writing their spelling sentences at home. This should help your child check his/her work.

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