

# Assistive Technology Training Online

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## Speaking Homework Wiz (FRANKLIN)

The Homework Wiz is a powerful educational device to help children develop aptitude in spelling and vocabulary development.



- Automatic spelling correction for up to 40,000 words
- Automatic spoken definitions for 40,000 words
- Designed for children aged 6 to 10; definitions are easy to understand
- Handwriting animation helps teach penmanship
- "Confusables" identifies and defines commonly mistaken homophones such as ant -- insect, aunt -- relative
- Word patterns fosters word discovery using the ? key enter ?uck and see duck luck tuck etc
- User word list stores weekly vocabulary words for practice and review
- Auto shutoff turns the Wiz off after 2 minutes of non-use

**Demo Program**      A good place to start! Hold **LIST** and press ↓

**Look Up a Word**      Type a word ("trunk"); press **ENTER** to see the definition(s)  
Press **SPEAK** to hear the word; **BACK** to turn speech off  
Press **CLEAR** to end  
Use arrow keys to go to another word in the definition

**Spell Check**      Type a misspelled word ("jiraph")  
Press **SPEAK** to hear the word or ↓ to go to the next word  
Press **ENTER** to see the definition; **BACK** to the corrections

**Spell a Word**      If you are unsure how to spell a word, type ? in place of a letter; try more than one ?? (useful for crossword puzzles and word discovery)

**Confusables**

A ? will flash on the screen when you type a word with a homonym.  
Press the ? key to see the word choices.

**Word List**

Up to 80 words can be saved in a list for study + review, including those not in this dictionary.

Press **LIST** and ↓ to *Add a Word*; press **ENTER**

Type a word and press **ENTER**; use ↓↑ to see options for new word

**To Use**

Press **LIST** and ↓ to *See Your Words*; press **ENTER**

Use ↓↑ to highlight a word; **ENTER** to see its definition and **SPEAK** to hear it; *abc* to see it written

**Games**

6 word games with 2 skill levels are available: Hangman, Jumble, Flashcards, Guess that Word, Tic-Tac-Toe (1+2 players)

Press **GAMES** and use ↓↑ to select the game you want

You can choose to use only words from your word list