Spelling Bee Club

JANUARY 7 THROUGH FEBRUARY 11*
MONDAYS: 3:30 - 4:30 PM
FOR GRADES 4 - 6

The Spelling Club will provide children an opportunity to gather at OWL to learn the word bank for the Litchfield Bee in a fun and collaborative setting. Play word games such as Boggle, Jumble, Roll & Spell, and Vocab Toss. Listen to excerpts from novels that are filled with juicy words to prepare for the Spelling Bee. Run through practice Bees so you’re ready to compete. Study materials created by the Scripps National Bee. Participation in the Spelling Bee is not mandatory!

Snack will be provided. Registration is Required

Litchfield Spelling Bee

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12
LIS STUDENTS GRADES 4 - 6 AT 6:00 PM
LMS STUDENTS GRADES 7 - 8 AT 7:00 PM
Location: Litchfield Community Center, 421 Bantam Rd.

Registration is required.

To Register to compete please email:
BOD@leffortstudents.org with the name and grade of student

Compete in the local round of the Scripps National Spelling Bee. Students in Litchfield Intermediate and Middle Schools will have a chance to showcase their spelling talents for a chance to represent their school at the Connecticut State Bee in early spring. The Connecticut Winner will go on to compete in the Scripps National Spelling Bee in Washington D.C. Participation in the Spelling Bee Club is not mandatory to compete. Once registered, a word list will be provided to your child to help prepare for the bee!

Spelling Bee Club and the Spelling Bee are generously sponsored by the Litchfield Education Foundation.
1/2 Day Science Club
with How Cool Is That?

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6**
1:30 - 2:30 PM
FOR GRADES K - 6
**REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED**

Join us on February 6 for Marshmallow Shooters Hands-On Science with How Cool is That? Using common household items, your child will build a marshmallow shooter with Velya Jancz-Urban, a certified Connecticut teacher, in this hands-on workshop. They will play around with different weighted objects and force to see what flies further. Children will be placed in small groups, and each child will build their own project. Visit their website at: www.howcoolisthat.name

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**Storytime STEM**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8**
3:30 - 4:30 PM
FOR GRADES K - 3
**REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED**

Whether your child is using science to make their own snow or constructing the perfect sled like an engineer, this program is guaranteed to make learning fun! Children are invited to join us for a story and various STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) activities. This exciting and hands-on program will include a read aloud of a popular children’s picture book along with correlating STEM crafts, activities, and/ or whole group science demonstrations.
STEM Studio
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15
3:30 - 4:15 PM
FOR GRADES 4 - 6
REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Make the most awesome slime ever and construct a complex and complicated marble maze! Join us for a fun and hands-on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics). Each session will include a challenge correlating with one or more STEM concepts in which children will have to use teamwork, critical thinking, and innovation in order to complete their challenge.

Little Book Buddies
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22
3:30 - 4:15 PM
FOR GRADES K - 3
REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Children in grades K-3 are invited to join us for a special story time and craft program. Children will listen to a popular storybook, and then make their very own stuffed animal inspired by the book to take home.

NEED TO TAKE THE SCHOOL BUS TO THE LIBRARY? If your child needs to take the bus to the library, please notify Litchfield Center or Intermediate School in writing two weeks before the program.