

## 4 Ways to Build Language Skills with Quiddler Junior

Can you use the cards in your hand to form one or more words and earn the most points? If so, you can become a Quiddler Junior champion!

Here are four great ways to use Quiddler Junior to build your child's spelling skills and expand working vocabulary.

- Strengthen spelling skills. This game encourages kids
  to be creative with their cards and find the words
  that will earn them the most points. There are several
  cards that have common letter combinations (like AN,
  OO, and QU) to help your child build longer and more complex words. This helps reinforce
  which letters frequently work together to form words.
- 2. **Discover new words.** To help kids learn new words and get ideas for words they can play in the game, every card shows a word containing the featured letter or letter combination along with an image that illustrates the word.
- 3. **Explore the alphabet and how it works.** Every letter card is given a point value, and these point values reflect how easy it is to use certain letters to build words. For example, frequently used letters (like vowels) have lower point values. Letters that are more difficult to use like Q, X, and Z are worth more points.
- 4. **Expand working vocabulary.** Kids have a vocabulary of words they use every day, and they may tend to fall back on using those words again and again. This game helps build creativity with word choices, broadening your child's working vocabulary.

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