Osmo Spelling and QR Scanner

Mini-Lesson Idea #4

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1. Grade level/Audience:

This will be a 2nd grade lesson to help reinforce and practice their spelling words. Students will practice spelling a variety of words using Osmo and then use a QR Scanner app to scan codes and hear words to try to practice to spell as well.

2. Curriculum topic:

This assignment and activity is a Spelling and Reading lesson.

3. Tools:

Students will take turns in partners to play the Osmo spelling game as they look at different pictures and try to spell out what the pictures entail. While some students are playing the Osmo activity, other students will be using their i-Pads and their QR Scanner apps to scan QR codes and listen to the words the QR codes give them. They will write down those words in their journals. The students will have to be split between half of the room doing the QR codes and the other half taking turns on the Osmo spelling game.

4. Synopsis of what you are doing and how you will be using the tools:

Students will begin by being put with a partner to go through both of these activities. Since we do not have enough of the Osmo game to let everyone do it at the same time, half of the groups will be on the Osmo game and the others will be using the QR codes to practice spelling words. I will be scaffolding throughout both activities but this time will be used as extra practice time for these students to work on their spelling words with the QR codes while also using the Osmo Spelling game to begin practicing spelling and writing new vocabulary words.