

Making words

Students are given the letters l, s, t, b, t, e, a

Take two letters and make the word *at*.

Add a letter to make *ate*.

Move the letters around to make *tea*.

Move only one letter to make *eat*.

Add one letter to make *beat*.

Add a letter to make *beast*.

Replace the first letter with the last letter to make a new word. (*teas*)

Move the letters around to make three new words.

Now we will make a new two letter word, *be*.

Add a letter to make *bet*.

Add another letter to make *belt*.

Add another letter to make the plural of belt. (*belts*)

Take away the first letter and move the others around to make a new word. (*lets*)

Add a letter and move the others around to make *steal*.

How many six letter words can you make using all of the letters? (*bleats, tables, stable*)

How many five letter, four letter words etc?

