

Bee Mine Word Ladder

Bee has a Valentine message for you! Start at the top with the word **Bee**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **mine**.

Bee

Start here.

Danny's Best Friend.

Change the B to s at the beginning.

What you do with your eyes.

Change the e to t at the end.

You do this to your alarm clock so you wake up on time.

Change the e to i in the middle.

A bird does this on her eggs while waiting for them to hatch.

Add an e at the end.

A place where something important has happened.

Change the s to b at the beginning.

To grab a big piece of apple with your teeth.

Change the b to wh at the beginning.

The color of snow.

Change the t to n in the middle.

Another word for complain.

Change the w to s at the beginning.

The sun does this.

mine

Change the sh to m at the beginning.

A place to dig for coal or gold.



Bike Ride Word Ladder

Danny and Bee are going on a summer bike ride. Start at the top with the word **bike**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **ride**.

bike

Start here.

I want to ride my bicycle. (Queen)

Change a letter at the beginning.

To really enjoy something or someone.

Change a letter in the middle.

A body of water that is surrounded by land.

Change a letter at the beginning.

To make cookies or cake in the oven.

Change the *ke* to *d* at the end.

The opposite of good.

Change a letter at the beginning.

Upset or unhappy.

Change the *m* to *gl* at the beginning.

Feeling joy or pleasure.

Change the *ad* to *ide* at the end.

To move smoothly or without effort.

Change the *gl* to *h* at the beginning.

To put or keep out of sight; part of the game _____ and Seek.

ride

Change a letter at the beginning.

Life is like riding a bicycle. In order to keep your balance, you must keep moving. (Albert Einstein)

Candycane Word Ladder

Gingerbread baked into miniature houses,
Snowflakes that fall on our sweaters and blouses,
Peppermint **candycanes** that make us all sing,
These are a few of our favorite things!

Read and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Start at the top with the word **candy** and work your way down the list to get to the word **cane**.

candy

Start here.

Oh, how sweet it is!



Change the first letter to s.

This is what your feet look like after walking on the beach.



Take away a letter at the end.

What you use to build a sandcastle.

Change the first letter to h.

What you find at the end of your arm.

Change the first letter to b.

A group of musicians that plays music for people.



Take away the letter d at the end.

Something you are not allowed to do.

Change the first letter to f.

This moves the air to cool something down.

Change the first letter to p.

You use this to cook some bacon or fry an egg.

Change the first letter to c.

Soup and pop come in this type of container.

Add the letter e to the end.

Another word for a walking stick.

cane

Chicken and Fox Word Ladder

The chickens are out in the yard. Uh oh! Here comes a fox. That sneaky fox is trying to get into the chicken coop. Help the chickens get into the coop before the fox.

Start at the bottom with the word **fox**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word.

Write the new word in the box. Work your way up the list to get to the word **chicken**.



chicken

Add en to the end.

Go away, fox! Go away and don't come back!

Change a letter at the beginning.

This is another name for a baby chicken.

Change the n to ck at the end.

Describes something chunky or heavy like a sweater or soup; the opposite of thin.

Change a letter at the beginning.

Very skinny; the opposite of thick.

Change the gr to ch at the beginning.

The part of the face below the mouth.

Change the p to gr at the beginning.

A big, wide smile.

Change the first letter.

A sharp, thin piece of metal used to fasten cloth together.

Change a letter at the end.

What fish have to help them swim, balance, and steer.

Change the o to i in the middle.

This is to repair something that is broken.

fox

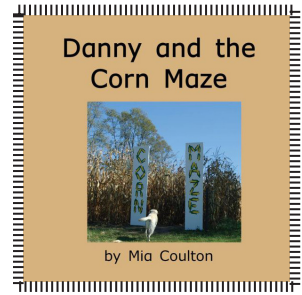
Start here.

The sneaky fox is looking for chickens.



Danny's Corn Maze Word Ladder

Start at the bottom with the word **corn**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each rung to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word on the line. Work your way up the ladder to get to the word **maze**.



maze

Change a letter in the middle.

This is where Danny almost gets lost.

Change a letter in the middle.

The hair on the neck of a horse.

Take away two letters and add one letter at the beginning.

Where you find diamonds or gold.

Add a letter at the end.

This is what the sun does during the day.

Take away a letter and add two letters at the beginning.

The front part of your leg between the ankle and the knee.

Change a letter in the middle.

This is where you put items to be recycled.

Take away a letter in the middle.

This holds a hotdog or hamburger so you can eat it.

Change the first letter.

This is what you do to wood in a fireplace.

Change a letter in the middle.

To change direction when moving.

Change a letter at the beginning.

What happens to paper when it is ripped in half.

Start here!

Candy, pop, or caramel - it all tastes good!

corn

Countdown to the NEW YEAR with Danny!

Start at the top with the word **new**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Work your way down the countdown to get to the word **year**.



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new

It's time to say goodbye to last year...
Something discovered for the first time.

9

Change the e to o in the middle.
At the present time or moment.

8

Change the n to sh at the beginning.
Something presented on a screen or stage.

7

Change the w to p at the end.
What you do when you want to buy groceries or toys.

6

Change the sh to p at the beginning.
The sound a balloon makes when you poke it with a sharp object.

5

Change the op to ea at the end.
A round, green vegetable that comes in a pod.

4

Change the p to s at the beginning.
A large body of salt water.

3

Add the letter l at the end.
A fish-eating mammal that lives in the water.

2

Change the s to d at the beginning.
What you do when you pass out cards for a game.

1

Change the l to r at the end.
The first word you write when writing a letter to Danny.

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year

Change the first letter.
This equals 365 days.

Celebrate with Danny's CUP CAKE Word Ladder

It's Danny's Birthday and he is ready to make a wish and blow out the candles on his birthday cupcake. Start at the top with the word **cup**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters.

Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word.

Write the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **cake**.



cup

Fill up your cup and let it overflow!

This holds your drink.

Change a letter at the end.

This is another name for a baby bear.

Change a letter at the beginning.

This is where Danny takes a bath.

Change a letter at the beginning.

A boat that travels completely under the water.

Change a letter in the middle.

This is what you do when you are crying very hard.

Change the *b* to *ck* at the end.

What Danny wears on each foot when he is Super Danny.

Change the first letter.

A hard stone found outside, can be small or large.

Change the *o* to *a* in the middle.

A place to hang or store things.

Change the *ck* to *ke* at the end.

This is used to clean up the leaves in the yard.

cake

Change the first letter.

Danny likes to eat this with ice cream on his birthday.

Gingerbread Word Ladder

Gingerbread baked into miniature houses,
Snowflakes that fall on our sweaters and blouses,
Peppermint **candycanes** that make us all sing,
These are a few of our favorite things!

Read and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Start at the top with the word **ginger** and work your way down the list to get to the word **bread**.

ginger

Start here.

A super flavorful holiday spice.



Change the first letter to f.

There are five of these on each hand.

Change the first letter to r.

A person who rings a bell is called this.

Take away the er at the end.

A piece of pretty metal that you put on a finger.



Change the first letter to w.

Birds have two of these to help them fly.

Change the last letter to d.

This blows through your hair on a stormy day.

Change the first letter to b.

To fasten or secure pages together in a book.

Change the letter i to e in the middle.

What you do to move your elbow or knee.

Change the letter n to a in the middle.

A small object with a hole in it that you can put on a necklace or bracelet.

bread

Add the letter r after the letter b.

Add some peanut butter and jelly to this and you have a great sandwich.

Danny's Give Thanks for Thanksgiving Word Ladder

Start at the bottom with the word **give**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each rung to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word on the line. Work your way up the ladder to get to the word **thanks**.



thanks

Add a letter at the end.

We give thanks for our friends, for teachers, and for you!

Change two letters at the beginning.

To show gratitude to someone.

Add a letter at the beginning.

An old way to start a car.

Add a letter at the end.

To put things in order from worst to best.

Change a letter at the end.

What you did during a race.

Change one letter at the beginning.

An animal with curly horns on its head.

Take away two letters and add one letter at the end.

Lunchmeat that is served with cheese between two slices of bread.

Change a letter in the middle.

Another name for a rabbit.

Change a letter in the middle.

To give somebody a job.

Change a letter at the beginning.

Where bees live and make their honey.

Start here!

"It's not what you got, it's what you give."

give

Slide down the RAINBOW to Danny's Pot of Gold!

Start at the top with the word **good**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word.

Write the new word in the box. Work your way down the rainbow to get to the word **luck**.



good

Happy St. Patrick's Day!
Something that is just right.

Change a letter at the beginning.
This is what a tree is made of.

Change the *d* to *l* at the end.
This is another word for the hair on a sheep.

Change a letter at the beginning.
Where you go to swim in the summertime.

Flip the first and last letters.
A path that starts and ends at the same point.

Change the *op* to *g* at the end.
A piece of the trunk of a tree that is often used for firewood.

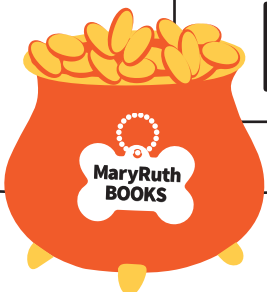
Change the first letter.
Danny is one of these.

Change the *g* to *ck* at the end.
A landing spot for a boat.

Change the *o* to *u* in the middle.
A swimming bird with a flat bill and webbed feet.

luck

Change the first letter.
If you find a four-leaf clover, you will have this.



Once you've solved the puzzle, color Danny's rainbow to get to the pot of gold!

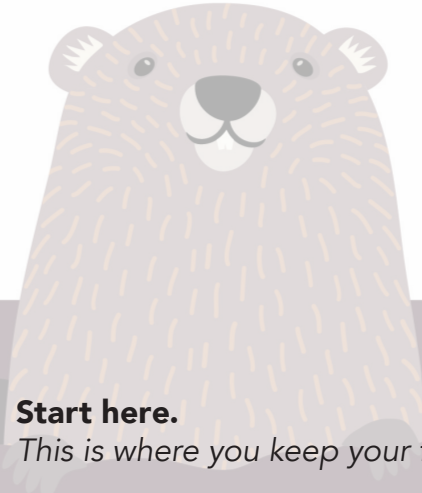
Groundhog Word Ladder

Will the groundhog and his friends see their shadows? Start at the top with the word **ground**.

Read and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters.

Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word.

Write the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **hog**.



ground

Start here.

This is where you keep your feet firmly planted.

Take away the g at the beginning.

The shape of a circle.

Change the r to f at the beginning.

Something that is lost hopes to be this.

Take away the o in the middle.

This is a supply of money set aside for a special purpose.

Take away the d at the end.

Danny and his friends like to have this.

Change the f to b at the beginning.

A hot dog or a hamburger goes inside one of these.

Change the n to g at the end.

Another word for an insect.

Change the u to o in the middle.

A swampy place.

hog

Change the b to h at the beginning.

Another word for pig.

Hee-haw Word Ladder

"Sweetly sings the donkey at the break of day. If you do not feed him this is what he'll say: Hee-haw, hee-haw. Hee-haw, hee-haw, hee-haw." Start at the top with the word **hee**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **haw**.

hee

Start here.

Hee-haw. The donkey is hungry!

Change the *h* to *b* at the beginning.

This insect is Danny's best friend.

Add a *t* at the end.

*A dark red vegetable
that grows under the ground.*

Change the *be* to *w* at the beginning.

*You become this
after you jump into a pool.*

Change the *w* to *p* at the beginning.

*An animal you take care of
that lives in your house.*

Change the *p* to *v* at the beginning.

An animal doctor.

Change the *e* to *a* in the middle.

A large tank or tub that holds liquid.

Change the *v* to *r* at the beginning.

A large rodent that likes to eat cheese.

Change the *t* to *w* at the end.

Food that is uncooked.

haw

Change the *r* to *h* at the beginning.

A command used to make a team of horses turn left.

Hip Hop Word Ladder

Hippity hop your way to the Bunny Barn! Start at the top with the word **hip**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **hop**.

hip

Start here.
Cool.

Add a c to the beginning.
A crispy, thin piece of fried potato.

Change the ch to cl at the beginning.
This is used to close a bag of chips.

Change the c to s at the beginning.
When you slide and fall on the ice.

Change the s to f at the beginning.
To quickly turn something over, like a pancake.

Change the i to o in the middle.
A total failure.

Change the f to c at the beginning.
The sound a horse's feet make.

Change the cl to ch at the beginning.
To cut vegetables into small pieces.

Change the c to s at the beginning.
When you buy things from a store or online.

hop

Take away the s at the beginning.
To move by jumping on one foot.



Rope Swing Word Ladder

In the summer, it's fun to swing on the rope swing in Danny's yard. Start at the top with the word **rope**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **swing**.

rope

Start here.

This is strong, thick string made of long twisted threads.

Change a letter at the beginning.

To really want something to happen.

Take away a letter at the end.

What a rabbit or frog does.

Add a letter at the beginning.

To go to the store and buy things.

Change a letter in the middle.

A really large boat.

Change the *h* to *l* in the middle.

To slide or fall without meaning to.

Change a letter at the end.

Another word for thin or slender.

Change a letter in the middle.

To move, splash, and play in the water.

swing

Change the *m* to *ng* at the end.

To move backward and forward or from side to side.

Snowflake Word Ladder

Gingerbread baked into miniature houses,
Snowflakes that fall on our sweaters and blouses,
Peppermint **candycanes** that make us all sing,
These are a few of our favorite things!

Read and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Start at the top with the word **snow** and work your way down the list to get to the word **flake**.

snow

Start here.

Frozen ice crystals that fall from the sky.

Take away the s at the beginning.

At the present time or moment.

Reverse the order of the letters.

When you come first in a race, you've done this.

Change the letter o to i.

Quitters never do this.

Change the first letter to p.

What you knock down with a bowling ball.

Add the letter e to the end.

This type of tree has needles and cones.

Change the letter i to a.

A section of glass in a window.

Change the first letter to l.

The area of the road where you drive your car.

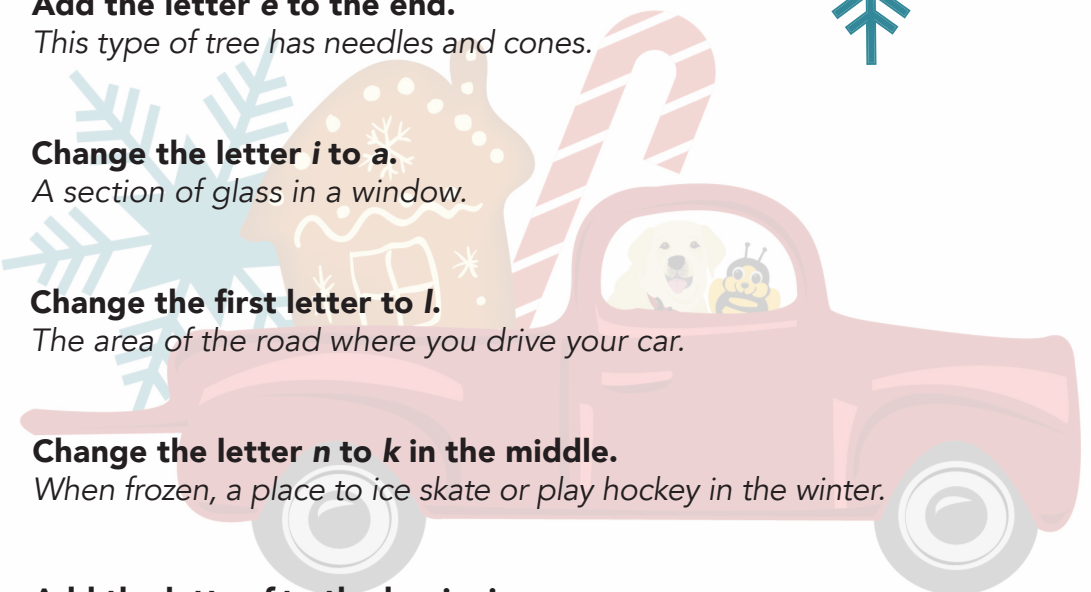
Change the letter n to k in the middle.

When frozen, a place to ice skate or play hockey in the winter.

flake

Add the letter f to the beginning.

A small piece of something.



Sun Set Word Ladder

Danny and Dad have had a great day at the beach. Now it's time to watch the sun set and make a wish on the first star in the sky. Start at the top with the word **sun**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. As the sun goes down, work your way down the list to get to the word **set**.

sun

Start here.

The biggest star in our sky.

Change a letter at the beginning.

This holds your hot dog or hamburger.

Change a letter at the beginning.

Danny does this when he's racing with his friends.

Change the *r* to *p* at the beginning.

A joke that makes a play on words.

Change a letter in the middle.

What you use to sign your name.

Change a letter at the beginning.

Where a lion or bear sleeps.

Change a letter at the beginning.

Another name for a mother chicken.

Change a letter at the beginning.

The number of cents in a dime.

Flip the first and last letters.

This divides a tennis court in half.

set

Change a letter at the beginning.

Day is done, gone the sun.

Danny's Trick or Treat Word Ladder

Start at the bottom with the word **trick**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each rung to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word on the line. Work your way up the ladder to get to the word **treat**.



treat

Add two letters to the beginning.

This is what Danny gets when he does something right.

Change the last letter.

Something you do at breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Take away the first letter.

What you use when you listen to birds sing.

Change the letter at the beginning.

The first word you write when you are writing a letter.

Add a letter to the middle.

This is what comes out of your eye when you cry.

Take away the last two letters and add a new letter.

Black and sticky substance used on the road to fill in the cracks.

Change the first letter.

Use this to pin papers to a bulletin board.

Take away the first letter.

An object with hooks where you hang your coat.

Change a letter in the middle.

What trains use to get from place to place.

Change a letter in the middle.

A vehicle with an open back that is sometimes used to haul things.

trick

Start here!

Trick or treat, smell my feet, give me something good to eat!

Turkey Trot Word Ladder

A **turkey trot** is a name for a dance where the dancers move like turkeys to fast-paced music. Start at the top with the word **turkey**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Dance your way down the list to get to the word **trot**.

turkey

Start here.

Here is a turkey. Gobble, gobble.

Take away the tur at the beginning.

This is what you use to unlock a door.

Change the k to h at the beginning.

Another way to say "hi."

Change the y to n at the end.

A female chicken.

Change the h to z at the beginning.

A peaceful and calm feeling.

Change the z to p at the beginning.

When you sign your name, you use this.

Change the p to t at the beginning.

The number of cents in a dime.

Change the e to o in the middle.

A unit of weight that equals 2000 pounds.

Change the n to t at the end.

A young child; another word for toddler.

trot

Add an r after the t at the beginning.

Faster than a walk, but slower than a run.

Ugly Sweater Word Ladder

It's **Sweater Weather**! And this time of year, the uglier the sweater, the better. Start at the top with the word **ugly**. **Read** and follow the directions beside each white box to add, subtract, or change letters. Each clue will also give you a hint about the meaning of the new word. **Write** the new word in the box. Work your way down the list to get to the word **sweater**.

ugly

Start here.

Another word for unattractive.

Change the *ly* to *h* at the end.

The sound you make when you think something is horrible.

Switch the first and last letters.

When someone squeezes you tightly with their arms.

Change the *g* to *t* at the end.

A small, simple house or shelter.

Change the *u* to *o* in the middle.

The opposite of cold.

Change the *o* to *a* in the middle.

Something worn on the head.

Change the *h* to *e* at the beginning.

What you do at breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

Add an *s* at the beginning.

The place where you sit; a chair or a stool.

Change the *s* to *sw* at the beginning.

What runs down your face when you are hot, when you have fever, or when you exercise.

sweater

Add an *er* at the end.

A long-sleeved knitted piece of clothing that is worn on the upper part of the body.

