

## Lesson 9

## READ THIS STORY #1, Basic

**The Spelling Bee**

**There's going to be a spelling bee, but I won't be in it if I can help it. To be honest, I misspell a lot of words. I just get mixed up and even missay the word.**

**When I get preoccupied with how the word is spelled, I forget what the word is. I feel rotten when I have to redo my work. I am unwilling to try again.**

**Now I know that this is a common problem, and I can work with it. The spell checker helps me be independent.**