

Speech and Language Activities Categories



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1. Put your cursor on the page you want to print.
2. Go to File and select Print.
3. Under Page Range, select Current Page
4. Then select OK.

The category cards on the last five pages, are formatted to print on business cards. They will also fit on self adhesive shipping labels that are sized 2" x 4". (I use OfficeMax #86111.)

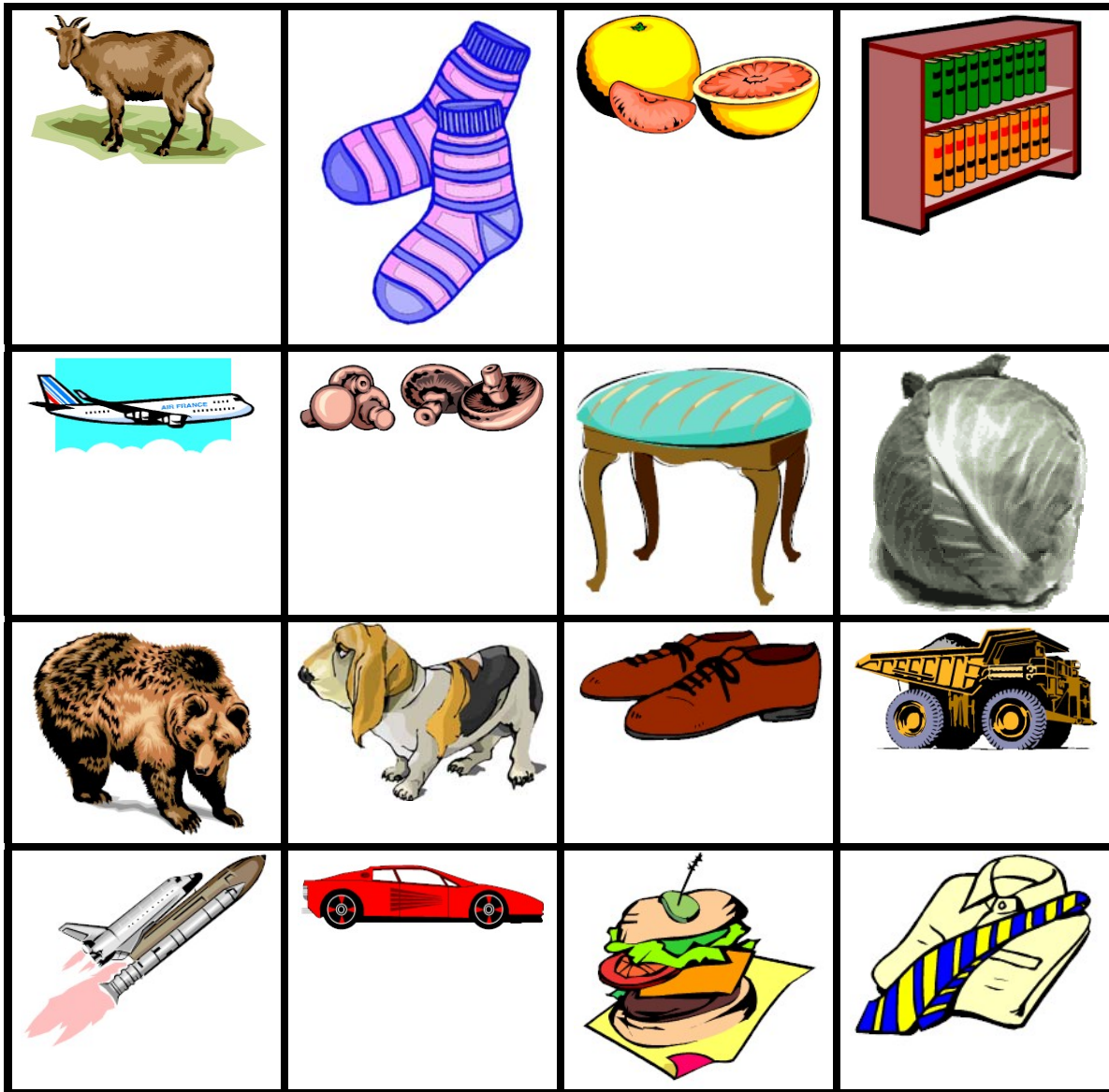
Category Lotto

Directions:

1. Each player gets a lotto card
2. Place the category labels into a box or bag
3. Chose a card from the box/bag, name the category and direct the student to put a marker on the picture that belongs in the category.
4. After the cards are filled, the students get a prize.



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Jeopardy

Directions:

1. Print up the Jeopardy sheet.
2. Write point values on the backside. Place the cards on the table with point values facing up and questions or answers underneath.
3. The first student picks a category and gets the next point card available.
4. If the question is answered correctly, the student gets the point.

Variation: If the student gets the question correct with prompting, then give half of the points.

Jeopardy for Older Kids

Clothes	Transportation	Food	Animals
You wear them on your hands. They have two sections, one for the thumb and one for the fingers.	A four wheeled vehicle that carries people	This orange colored root is a vegetable.	A small soft furred four legged domesticated animal
An outer garment worn for protection.	A powered heavier than air flying vehicle with fixed wings	A beef burger served on a bun	A solid hoofed, four legged mammal with a flowing mane and tail.
Protective foot coverings usually having a sturdy sole.	A two-wheeled motor driven road vehicle without pedal propulsion	A sweet creamy frozen food usually flavored	Broad snouted domesticated mammal
A suit of loose pants and jacket for sleeping in.	An underground railway	The fruit of a tree, rounded in form and with a edible peeling	A small rodent with large ears and a long tail
A strip of material worn around the collar and tied in a knot at the front with the ends hanging down.	A truck with a body that tilts or opens at the back for unloading	Baked dough made from flour eaten as a staple food.	A hoofed, grazing animal which usually has branching antlers

Jeopardy for Younger Kids

Clothes	Transportation	Food	Animals
You wear them on your hands when it's cold	Grown ups usually drive this	An orange colored vegetable that grows under the ground.	A small soft animal with fur that says "meow"
You wear it over your clothes to keep warm.	You ride in it to travel somewhere and it flies	A round piece of meat on a bun and sometimes with cheese.	A four legged animal that you can ride on.
You wear them on your feet	It has two wheels and you pedal with your feet. Don't forget your helmet.	A sweet creamy frozen dessert that comes in chocolate, vanilla, and strawberry.	An animal that lives on a farm, eats corn, and like to get muddy.
You wear them to sleep in.	A train that travels under the ground.	The fruit of a tree that is round and can be red, yellow, or green.	An animal that eats grass and gives us milk
Men wear them around the neck when they dress up.	A large truck opens at the back and something will fall out.	Baked dough that you use for making sandwiches or toast.	An animal that has wool and says, "baa".

Category Pick Up

Directions:

1. Place a selected number of pictures out on a table (random pattern) face up. The players should be seated in such a way that they can all reach the pictures or tiles.
2. Have a stopwatch ready and a cup or other small receptacle in front of each child.
3. Tell the players they will have ___ seconds (45 works well for elementary age kids) to pick up as many of a certain kind of picture when you say “go”. Emphasize that they should wait for you to say “go” - this allows processing time for those who need it and time for players to ask for repetition or clarification.
4. To level the playing field for kids with fine motor challenges have students pick one picture at a time and drop it into their cup before getting another.

