

V. 030

Words in Context

Word Filler

Objective

The student will identify words to complete sentences.



Sentence strips

- Select target vocabulary. Write sentences putting a blank line for the target words. For example, Danny was _____ about his new roller blades.
- Index cards or construction paper rectangles
 Write the missing target words from the sentences on the cards (i.e., excited).

Activity

Students choose words to complete sentences.

- 1. Place sentence strips in a stack at the center. Place word cards face up in rows.
- 2. Taking turns, student one selects a sentence strip and reads the sentence, saying "blank" for the missing word.
- 3. Student two finds the word, places it on the blank, and reads the sentence. If the sentence doesn't make sense, chooses another word until the correct word is found.
- 4. Reverse roles and continue until all the words are matched to corresponding sentences.
- 5. Peer evaluation

Danny was excited	
about his new roller blades.	

Extensions and Adaptations

- Make other word cards that complete the sentences. For example, *Danny was <u>thrilled</u> about his new roller blades.*
- Write other sentences and exchange with a partner to fill in the blanks.