## Variant Correspondences

## Vowel Slide

## Objective

The student will identify variant correspondences in words.

## Materials

- Vowel Slides

Select target vowel slides.
Thread vertical strips through the horizontal strip to create slides

- Paper
- Pencil


## Activity

## Students blend sounds to make words while manipulating a slide.

1. Provide the student with vowel slides and paper.
2. The student selects a vowel slide and reads the medial vowel pattern (e.g., "/ar/"). Slides vertical strips until letters can be seen through the windows. Blends the sounds and reads the word (e.g., "/d//ar//t/, dart").
3. Determines if it is a real or nonsense word. If real, records on the paper. Manipulates both slides until all possible combinations are made.
4. Continues until all real words are recorded.
5. Teacher evaluation


## Extensions and Adaptations

- Use short vowel slides.
- Make slides with other letters.


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