



### Antonym Match-Up



#### Objective

The student will identify antonyms.



#### Materials

- ▶ Document Camera (if available)
- ▶ Antonym word cards  
*Select eight pairs of antonym word cards.*
- ▶ Student sheet
- ▶ Copy of word cards  
*Copy antonym word cards on cardstock and cut.*
- ▶ Basket  
*Place the word cards in the basket.*
- ▶ Pencils



#### Activity

**Students read, pair, and record antonyms.**

1. Place antonym pairing sheet on document camera (or on a table in front of students if not available) and place basket of antonym word cards at the center. Provide each student with a student sheet.
2. Taking turns, student one selects a card, reads the word (e.g., “hot”), and places it in the top left box on the antonym pairing sheet.
3. Student two selects the antonym, reads it (i.e., “cold”), and places it in the top right box.
4. Reverse roles and continue until all antonyms are matched. Read each pair of antonyms aloud.
5. Record the antonyms on student sheet.
6. Teacher evaluation

The diagram illustrates the activity setup. On the left, a document camera view shows a grid with two columns. The top row has a smiley face icon above the word "hot" and a frowny face icon above the word "cold". Below this are five empty rows. On the right, a student sheet is shown with a "Name" field, a "V.022.SS1" code, and the title "Overhead Antonyms Antonym Pairing Sheet". The sheet has a similar grid with "hot" and "cold" in the top row and five empty rows below. A yellow pencil is shown pointing to the bottom row of the student sheet.



#### Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Pair Synonyms

hot

cold

back

front

above

below

big

little

laugh

cry

day

night

fast

slow

happy

sad



# Vocabulary

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hard	soft
new	old
top	bottom
up	down
short	long
large	small
full	empty
over	under

antonym word cards



## Antonym Pairing Sheet

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happy	glad
large	big
little	small
all	every
begin	start
below	under
close	shut
go	leave

synonym word cards



thin

slender

sum

total

error

mistake

fix

repair

hard

difficult

right

correct

like

enjoy

shout

yell



## Synonym Pairing Sheet

