**Objective**
The student will produce the meaning of words.

**Materials**
- Information books about a content topic
- Index cards
  - Write four-to-six target vocabulary words on cards. Provide page numbers where the word can be found in books.
- Word-O-Nary cards
- Picture dictionary
- Stapler
- Pencils

**Activity**
Students write simple explanations, sentences, and synonyms of words.
1. Place books, index cards, picture dictionary, and stapler at the center. Provide each student with four-to-six Word-O-Nary cards.
2. Taking turns, students select an index card, read the word, and write it on the Word-O-Nary card.
3. Review the word in the text and dictionary and complete the Word-O-Nary card.
4. Continue until a Word-O-Nary card is completed for each of the vocabulary words.
5. Staple cards together to make a “Word-O-Nary.”
6. Teacher evaluation

**Extensions and Adaptations**
- Make a class “Word-O-Nary.”
Word-O-Nary – What my word means to me.

Word: ___________________________ Name: ___________________________

My word means: ____________________________________________________

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My sentence: _____________________________________________________

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Other words that have the same meaning: __________________________

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