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Clap and Stomp Together

Benchmark: D.1a, F.2a



Objective

The child will distinguish individual words within spoken phrases or sentences.

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Materials

- Picture Cards (Activity Master) Copy on cardstock, cut apart and laminate.
- Clap and Stomp Cards (Activity Master) Make multiple copies of each on cardstock, cut apart and laminate.



Activity

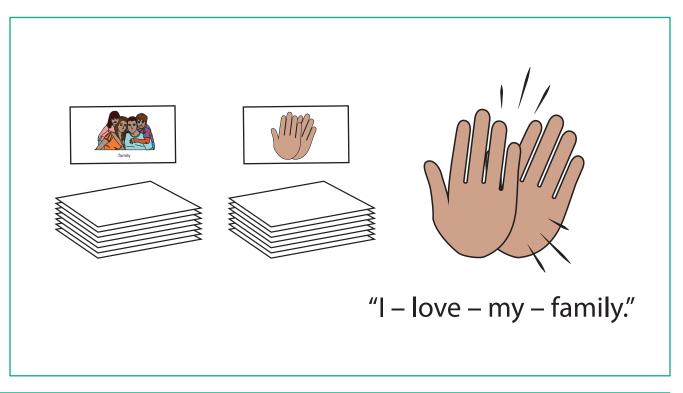
After teacher introduction, children will distinguish individual words within a spoken sentence by playing a clapping and Stomping game.

- 1. Set Picture Cards in a stack on a flat surface. Place the Clap or Stomp cards face down in a second stack on the flat surface.
- 2. Child one selects one card from the picture pile and one card from the Clap or Stomp pile (e.g., swing picture, clapping hands picture).
- 3. Child one creates a sentence about the picture and then claps out the individual words (e.g., I like to swing. 4 claps).
- 4. The other children in the group repeat the sentence, "I like to swing." and clap hands for individual words.
- 5. Continue taking turns until all cards have been used.
- 6. Peer evaluation.



Adaptations and Extensions

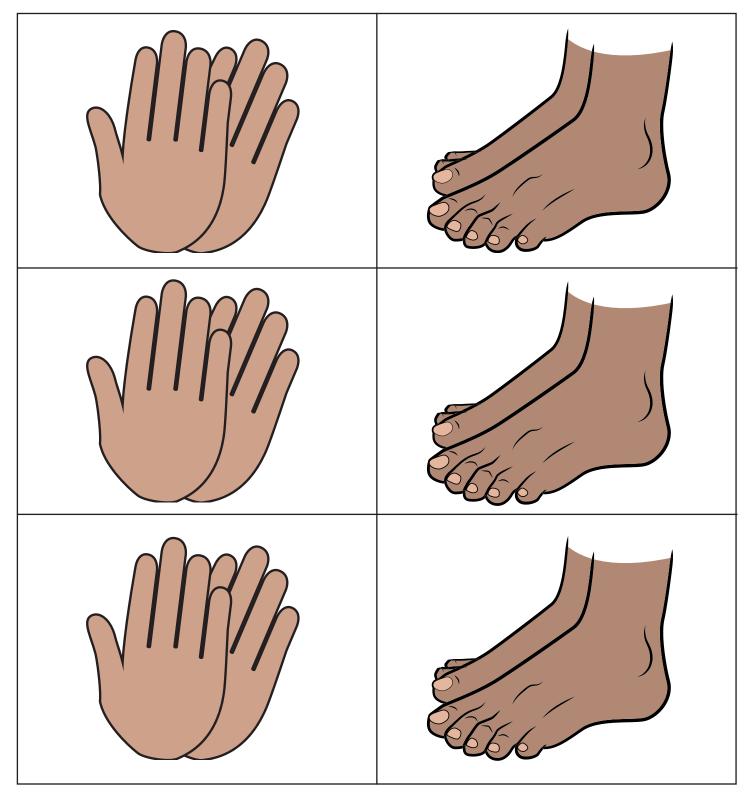
- Add blocks for setting out one block for each word (e.g., "I like to swing" would have 4 blocks.)
- Add rhythm sticks for tapping the words as they are heard.



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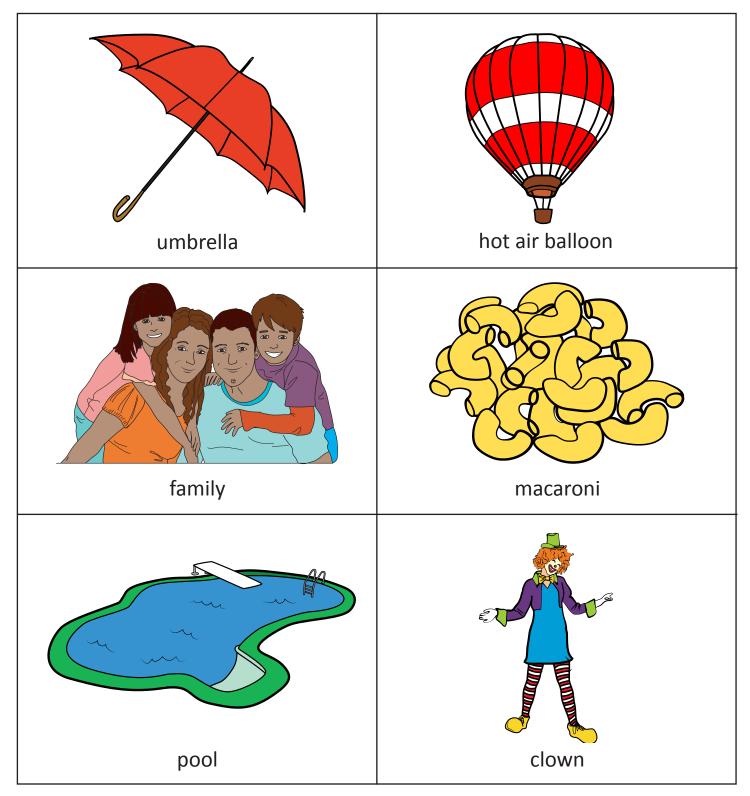
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