



Oh My Word!



Objective

The student will produce the meaning of words.



Materials

- ▶ Index cards or paper
Write target vocabulary words on the cards. Provide page numbers where the word can be found in books and textbooks if available.
- ▶ Word forms (Activity Master V.016.AM1)
Cut out forms.
- ▶ Science or social studies text
- ▶ Dictionary or picture dictionary
- ▶ Stapler
- ▶ Pencil



Activity

Students write simple explanations, sentences, and synonyms of words by completing a form.

1. Place word cards and word forms, stapler, text, and dictionary at the center.
2. Student selects a word card, reads the word, and writes the word on a form.
3. Reviews the word in the text and thinks about the word meaning.
4. Records meaning in own words and writes a sentence using the word.
Use the dictionary if needed.
5. Writes other words that have the same meaning.
6. Staples forms together to make a personal word book.
7. Teacher evaluation

Word: _____

My word means: _____

My sentence: _____

Other words that have the same meaning: _____



Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Use graphic organizer to record information (Activity Master V.016.AM2).
- ▶ Select target words with a partner and brainstorm meanings.

Vocabulary

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Word: _____

My word means: _____

My sentence: _____

Other words that have the same meaning: _____

Word: _____

My word means: _____

My sentence: _____

Other words that have the same meaning: _____

Word: _____

My word means: _____

My sentence: _____

Other words that have the same meaning: _____



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| example | | example | | example | |
| Definition | word | Sentence | word | Sentence | word |