

High Frequency word games

Rationale: Children who learn to read high frequency words will increase their confidence and fluency in their reading.



Pop stick sight words.

Write sight words on to sticks, including 'try again' on 3-4 sticks. Put sticks so they can't be seen into a cup. Each player takes a stick and reads the sight word (and could use it in a sentence). If a player picks up 'try again' they need to return their words to the cup. The winner is the first person to a set number of sight words.

Sight Words Fly Swat is a game for building speed and confidence with identifying sight words. The adult says a word, and the child has to spot the word and splat it with a fly swat.



Children practice sight words by reading them on their eggs and flipping them over with a spatula. This game can be played in pairs.

Use a simple **board game** with high frequency words. Players roll a dice and read the word they land on.

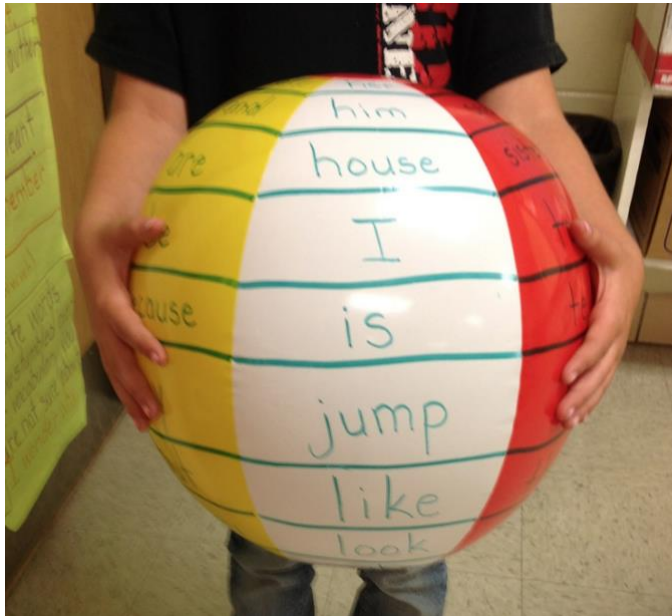
High Frequency Words (1) Roll a dice to move along the board. Say the word you land on. If you don't know the word, move back.

I	made	oh		very	all	came
from		some		that		go
by		up		old		if
a		about		make		me
Start		called	get	I'm		Finish

Sight word hopscotch. Players read each sight word as they jump on it. Have a range of hopscotchs and words.



Beach ball sight words. Throw the ball to students who catch it and read the words their thumbs land on. They can also spell the word and/or use it in a sentence.



Write letters on pegs and students make up words pegging the correct letters onto them.



Sight word puddle jumping. Students jump onto words reading them aloud (or spelling or saying in a sentence.)

Sight word bingo and dominoes and memory.



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