5-Minute Kids ™: An Individual Drill-Based Program for Students with Speech Sound Disorders



THE RESERVE

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Seminar Objectives

Participants will learn how to:

- 1. Write an IEP for individual services
- Develop organizational systems for data collection
- 3. Schedule students for sessions
- 4. Implement the therapy program



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Participants will learn how to:

- 5. Create materials for therapy
- Address services to multiple buildings and speech sound disorder/language students
- 7. Apply the 5 minute concept for other speech/language goals

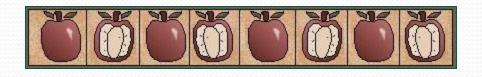
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20-30 MINUTES TWICE A WEEK

Concerns with Traditional Services

- Ability to collect data productively in a group session
- Amount of time students are actively engaged in therapy
- Amount of instruction that students were missing while attending speech therapy



Research

- Documented students' initial/exit IEP dates for both programs over 6 years
- Selected students ONLY with speech disorders.
- Determined average months in therapy for students receiving group speech therapy and students receiving individual speech drill

Comparative Data

Speech Program	Number of total months in therapy	Minutes per month	Total number minutes in therapy	Total number hours in therapy
Traditional Therapy	15	210	3150	53
5-Minute Kids™ Program	9.5	34	350	6

IEP Information

- X times monthly for 5- to 10-minute sessions
 - Mild: 5-8 sessions
 - Moderate: 7-12 sessions
 - Severe: 10-16 or more sessions

- X minutes per month
- 2-5 times weekly for 5- or 10-minute sessions
 - Number of sessions depend on needs of student

Individualized Services

- Vary the number and length of sessions.
 - INDIVIDUALIZE services
- Provide more service to earlier grades.
- Offer intensive service to new students.

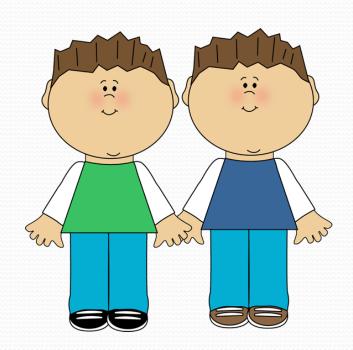


Special Situations

- Multiple buildings
 - Two times per week OR 5-8 times per month
 - Morning and afternoon if possible



Jeremy and Joshua



Special Situations

- Articulation/Language students
 - Services can be written separately
 - Write IEP for 30-40 minutes
 - Incorporate all goals into a single session



Scheduling Sessions

- Blocks of time during the day
- Grade levels
- Half-hour slots
- Non-instructional time



Delivering Services

Location

Minimize length of travel time whenever possible

- Work in hallway near classrooms
- Borrow chairs, use tables if available
- Find available space: library, cafeteria, empty rooms...
- Provide services in back of classroom
- Use therapy room if nearby



Therapy Session

- Review last session (discuss % achieved)
- Select goal for the day
- Drill
- Consider goal for next session
- Assign homework

Sample Session

- Greet & review
- DRILL DRILL DRILL
- Wrap up & homework

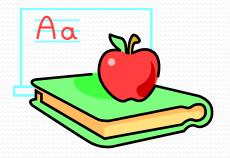


So what can you DO in 5 minutes?

- Name 117 pictures
- Repeat 157 words
- Repeat 125 phrases
- Create 35 sentences

Basic Materials

- Folders for student information
- Materials for drill
- Storage system
- Miscellaneous materials



Student Folders

- Pocket folders with clips
 - Color coded by grade
- Student's name on outside spine
- Spine reinforced with clear tape
- Medicaid sticker when needed



Student Folder: Front Pocket

- Attendance calendar
 - Add vacation/non attendance dates before copying
- Sticker with student information on front pocket

Student's name

- 1. To say S in words
- 2. To say R in words

IEP date: 9-29-11

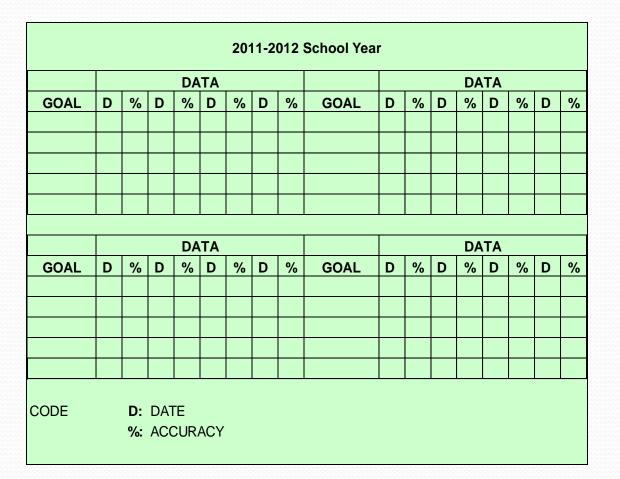
Student Folder: Back Pocket

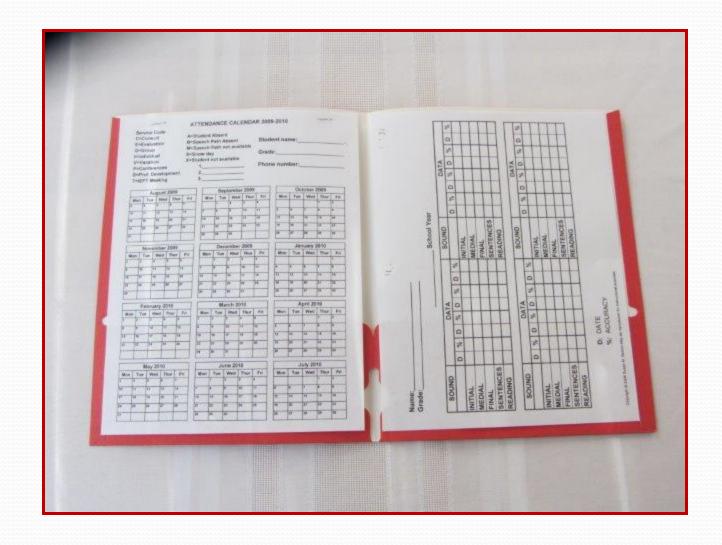
- Log sheet
- Notes for correspondence
- Label to record homework

DATE	ASSIGNMENT	RETURNED



Data Chart





Creating Books for Drill

- Copy pages from all published drill books available
- Sort the pages by specific sounds
- Bind pages to create individual books for each sound

Other Materials

 Picture cards for each sound copied on colored card stock

SPARC-Revised from LinguiSystems is an excellent source

- Reading books from class
- And...



Games!

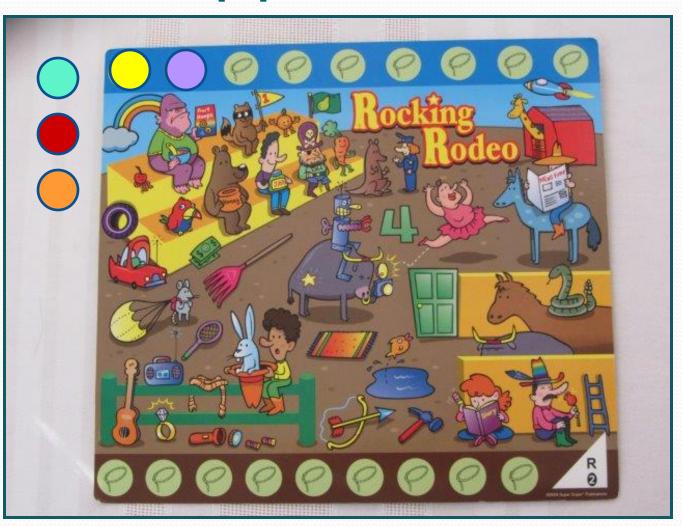
- Picture based
- Quick to play
- High number of responses



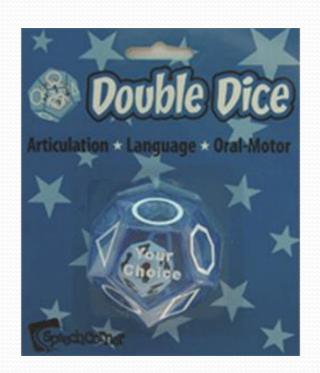
Games with Picture Cards

- Use published card decks or card stock pictures
- Place a small sticker on one card
- Take turns drawing cards from a pile
- Practice target sounds
- The player who draws the sticker card wins

Chipper Chat

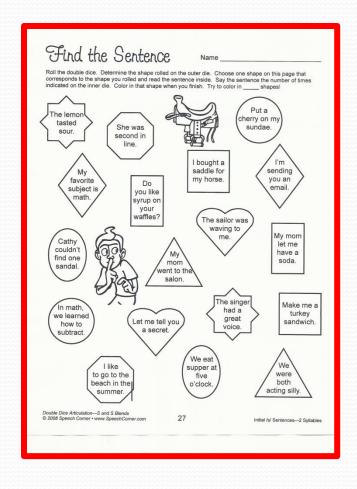


Double Dice



Available online @: speechcorner.com

Double Dice Activity



Zing!

- Write sound words on craft sticks
- Write the word "ZING" on 2 per 25 sticks
- Students draw sticks and practice words
- The player who gets ZING wins/loses the game

Melanie from The Speech Place

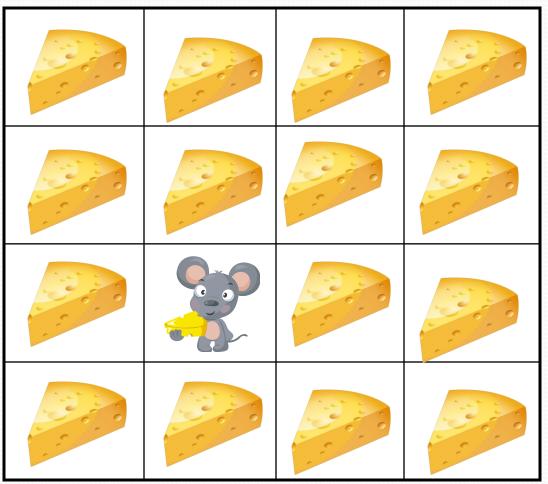
Envelope Games

- Pictures of words to practice
- One card designated as "outcome card"
- The outcome card determines the winner or loser of the game

Easy to Create

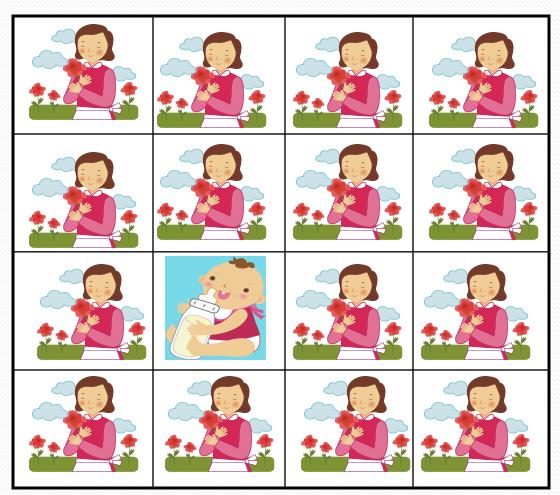
- Create a grid sheet of 16 or more squares
- Select and copy a clip art picture of the target sound
- Select one "outcome" picture to determine the winner/loser of the game

Envelope Games





Mom and Baby





Use for less common sounds.

Games in Envelopes



Storage System

- Portable file box to store student folders
- Magazine holders for sound books
- Plastic shoe boxes to store games and cards
- Small pencil boxes for homework rewards, pens and other supplies
- Cart for storing and transporting all materials



Miscellaneous Materials

- Tally counter
- Timer



Speech percentage calculator wheel

Beyond Speech Sounds...



- Language
 - Verbs, Pronouns, Plurals
- Fluency
 - Individual sessions/time as needed

ANY goals requiring drill & practice

Materials for Language Drills

- Copy pages of pictures on colored card stock
 Yesterday's Verbs (Super Duper) and SPARC-R (LinguiSystems)
- Cut and store in small plastic bags
- Drill on words
- Play games as described for speech sounds

Activities for Verbs

- Make a grid of action pictures
- Make a page of "outcome cards"
- Games to play:
 - Bingo
 - Envelope games

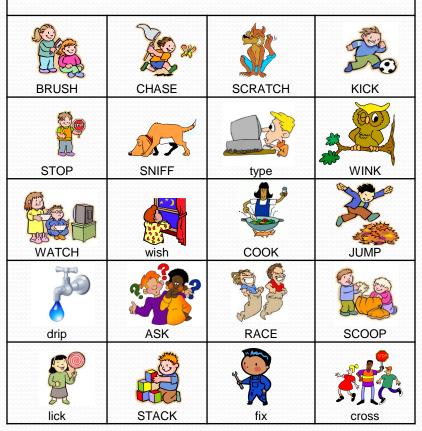


Picture cards can be sent home for homework

Verb pictures

regular past tense /t/ ending

These game pages can be cut apart and played as Bingo games (see directions and Bingo grids) or other games described in the main section. They can also be used as flashcards and the answers can be recorded and and a percentage calculated using the data chart immediately following these pictures.



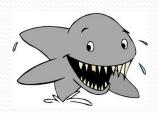
Outcome Cards



Variations for Envelope Games

The person who draws the outcome card......

- Wins the game
- Loses the game
- Returns all cards to the envelope
- Takes all cards from every player
- Earns a point







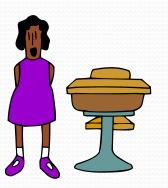
Homework

- Various ways to create simple homework
 - Published sources
 - Drill lists created before the session
 - Drill lists created in the session
- Returned and signed homework: reward



Advantages

- Minimal planning!
- Increased number of responses per session
- Able to focus on student's needs
- Very little time out of class
- Teachers/parents/students receptive



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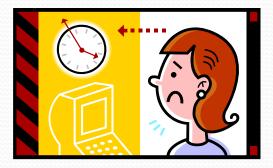
- If students are busy---come back later
- Keeping data—able to record more often
- No behavior problems
- You "earn" more time for other duties when there are absences, field trips etc

Advantages

- Fewer costs involved in materials
- Frequent contact with teachers
- "Buy in" with students—they enjoy seeing their results

Concerns

- Each new student adds more time in the day
- Time management
- Teachers/districts/parents may not be receptive



Comments from Teachers

- I love this program
- The kids do not miss instruction
- I don't have to re-explain lessons
- The kids don't seem stressed about leaving class
- The kids are not missing entire lessons



Questions?



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