

Purpose & SOL

- The students will correctly identify and use common homophones in a sentence.
- Language Arts 3.4a, 4.8g, 5.4c

Materials

- Homophone cards (see attached)
- Homophone recording sheet (see attached)

Length
20 min.

Introduction

Discuss the definition of a homophone. Review the exercises that will be performed during the activity. Distribute the recording sheets. Do number one together as a class.

Implementation

Retrieval

- 1) Place task cards in a central location.
- 2) On the teacher's signal, students retrieve a card by walking, skipping, hopping, marching, etc. and bring the homophone card back to their desk.
- 3) Students record the word and write a sentence using the homophone.
- 4) After, students complete the exercise on their card and move to retrieve a new card.
 - a) Students may bring their recording sheet with them to pick up a new card, so the teacher can check sentences as the students write them to assure correct use of each homophone.
- 5) Continue the retrieval until time expires.

Cool Down

Reach up to the sky and quietly say, "Homophones sound the same". Reach down to your toes and say, "Different spelling, different name" (definition/meaning).

Modifications

Have the students work with a partner to complete the task.



Name _____



Homophone Fitness

1. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

2. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

3. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

4. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

5. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

6. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

7. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

8. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

9. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

10. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

11. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

12. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

13. Word: _____
Sentence: _____

Meat

10 jumping jacks

Meet

7 jumping jacks

Meat

8 hops on one foot

Meet

8 push ups

Meat

7 squats

Meet

2 squats

Here

11 sky reaches

Hear

8 twist and reach

Here

10 basketball shots

Hear

6 jumping jacks

Here

10 second jog in place

Hear

15 sky reaches

There

11 seconds balance on one leg

There

10 seconds pretend jump rope

Their

3 star jumps

Their

5 squats

They're

7 cross crawls

They're

5 push ups

Which

4 star jumps

Witch

10 cross crawls

Which

3 heel raises

Witch

6 low jacks

Which

7 hops on one foot

Witch

You choose!

Be

3 basketball shots

Bee

9 jumping jacks

Be

10 basketball shots

Bee

13 seconds balance on one leg

Be

9 bunny hops

Bee

10 arm circles

where

6 twist and reach

Wear

12 arm circles

where

7 lunges

Wear

7 heel raises

where

You choose!

Wear

10 jumping jacks