

PHONOLOGICAL AWARENESS

Sensitivity to Any Size Unit of Sound

PHONEMIC AWARENESS

Sensitivity To and Control Over The Phonemes

- **Phoneme Isolation** – Recognizing Individual Sounds in a Word: “*What’s the first sound in van?*”
 - **Phoneme Identity** – Recognizing the Same Sound in Different Words: “*What sound is the same in fix, fall, and fun?*”
 - **Phoneme Categorization** - Recognizing a Sound That Does Not Belong in a Set of Words (Oddity Task):
“*Which word doesn’t belong- ball, baby, jump?*”
 - **Phoneme Blending** – Combining a Sequence of Phonemes to Form a Spoken Word: “*Which word is /b/ /i/ /g/?*”
 - **Phoneme Segmentation** – Stretching Out a Spoken Word into Separate Sounds: “*How many sounds are there in grab?*
Now let’s write the sounds.”
 - **Phoneme Deletion** – Recognizing the Spoken Word That Remains When a Phoneme is Removed:
“*What is smile without the /s/?*”
 - **Phoneme Addition** – Creating a New Spoken Word by Adding a Phoneme:
“*What new word do you have when you add /s/ to the beginning of park?*”
 - **Phoneme Substitution** - Substituting One Phoneme for Another to Make a New Word:
“*The word is bug. Change the /g/ to /n/. What is the new word?*”
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- **Rhyming**- Listening to Rhymes, Recognizing Whether or Not Words Rhyme, Completing Rhymes
 - **Alliteration**- Listening for and Identifying the Initial Sound in Spoken Words
 - **Segmenting Sentences into Words**- Identifying the Number of Spoken Words in a Sentence Through Clapping, Jumping, Tapping, Singing, etc.
 - **Segmenting Words into Syllables**- Identifying the Number of Syllables Heard in a Word Through Clapping, Tapping, Jumping, etc.
 - **Onset and Rime**- Listening to and Recognizing Rhyming Word Families (/h/-/at/, /f/-/at/)

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