

WORD HUNT

Sight word activity #3

This is another easy and fun way to get your kids moving while learning.

Together with your child, choose some sight words from the cards/list and you can write them or have your child write them on a post-it note or piece of paper. One word per post-it/paper. Write the same words you have chosen onto a chart like the ones included on the back side of this sheet. One word for each square. Then you hide the post-it notes (with the words written on them) around the house. Give the chart and a pencil to your child and send them off on the hunt for the words.

You can have them collect the post-it notes if they are playing alone and bring them back to you. Have them read the word to you. If correct, keep it. If incorrect, hide it again along with some new words for the next round.

If more than one child is playing, write and hide words on your own leaving the chart blank. Players hunt for the post-it notes and write the words in the blanks on the grid as they find them. When the grid is completed, the child will come back and read each word to you.

Switch up words each time you play. You can create your own grid or method of tracking which words your child has found. Make it simple and remember to have them read the words to you as you/they are writing them on the post-it notes and chart and when they return to you after they are done word hunting.

- ★ Another way to use the post-it notes is to see if you can make sentences with the words you have chosen. They could also insert words if needed to form sentences. They don't have to be fancy sentences, your goal is to get them to read and recognize as many words as possible.
- ★ Hang the post-its on the fridge or bathroom mirror so your child is exposed to them as often as possible. Have them read the words out to you as they brush their teeth or help out in the kitchen. 😊

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