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SIGHT WORD CENTER

Apple Word Building



Name: _____

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BUILD THE WORD RECORDING PAGE

Write the words you built below.



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About This Resource

This apple themed activity gives children practice reading, building, and writing words. Children choose a word crate, find the matching apple letters, and arrange them above the crate to spell the word. The editable format allows you to use words that match your children's learning needs.

The resource includes word crates, red, green, and yellow apple pieces, a recording page, an "I Can" instruction card, and a center label.

Editing the File

1. Download and save the editable PDF to your computer. Open it directly in Adobe Acrobat Reader. Download the free program here: <https://get.adobe.com/reader/>.
2. Click inside the editable fields. Type one word on each crate and one letter on each apple. Include enough copies of repeated letters to build your chosen words.
3. To adjust the text in a field that allows formatting, highlight the typed text and press Ctrl + E on Windows or Command + E on Mac. Use the Text Properties toolbar to choose an available font, size, and color.
4. Choose a clear font that matches the letter formation you teach. Install any additional font on your computer before selecting it, then close and reopen Adobe Acrobat Reader if needed.
5. Check that all words and letters fit inside their spaces. Save your edited copy before printing.

Preparation

Print the crates, apple letters, instruction card, and center label. Laminate the reusable pieces for durability, then cut out the crates and apples along the dotted lines. Attach the center label to your storage container.

Print a recording page for each child, or place it in a reusable dry erase sleeve. Provide pencils or dry erase markers. Small letter tiles or magnetic letters may also be used to build the words.

How to Play

1. Choose a crate and read the word together if support is needed.
2. Find the apple letters needed to spell the word.
3. Arrange the letters from left to right above the crate.
4. Check each letter against the word on the crate and read the completed word.
5. Write the word inside a crate on the recording page. Choose another word and repeat.

Start with a small selection of familiar words. Children do not need to fill every space on the recording page in one session.

More Ways to Play

- Name building: Add children's names to the crates. Include a capital letter for the beginning of each name and lowercase letters for the rest.
- Phonics practice: Use CVC words or words containing spelling patterns you have taught. Encourage children to say the sounds and blend them to read each word.
- Word families: Build words such as cat, hat, and mat. Change the beginning letter and read the new word.
- Letter matching: Put an uppercase letter on each crate and match lowercase apple letters to it.
- Counting: Put a number on each crate and count out that many blank apples.
- Extra challenge: Read a word, cover it, and build it from memory. Uncover the word to check.

Learning Through Play

This activity supports letter recognition, letter order, spelling, word reading, handwriting, fine motor coordination, and independent work habits.

Happy Teaching! :)

BUILD THE WORD

I can

- 1 Pick a crate and read the word.
- 2 Find the apple letters and build the word above the crate.
- 3 Check my word and write it on my recording page.



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APPLE

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