

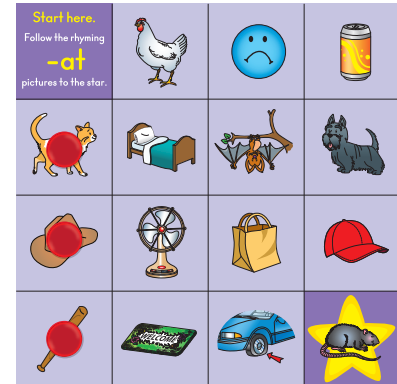
Rhyme Maze

This is a simple rhyming maze that students can complete together or in pairs, taking turns. There is only one correct rhyming path through the maze that leads to a star. You can only move to a box that has one side touching (no diagonal moves).

Materials: 1 Rhyme Maze Mat, 1 Colored Set of Chips

Directions:

1. Start in the box that says "Start here." and read the instructions aloud.
2. Place a chip over the first picture that matches the word family in the Start Box.
3. To move forward, name the pictures in the boxes while directly touching each one with your chip. If one of the pictures rhymes with the target word, cover it with a chip.
4. Continue covering the rhyming pictures as you make your way to the star. If you move to a box that does not lead to another rhyming word, you must go back until you find the correct path.
5. Once you complete the maze, name each picture again to hear the rhyming words.
6. Turn over the mat to check the answers.



Partner Maze

Rules for this game are similar to the Rhyme Maze; however, this maze is for two players who make their own way to two different stars.

Materials: 1 Partner Maze Mat, 2 Colored Sets of Chips

Directions:

1. Players both start in the same Start box and read the instructions.
2. Player 1 names the pictures in the surrounding boxes, identifies one with the target word family and places his or her chip over it.
3. Player 2 goes next and places his or her chip over a different picture (with the same word family).
4. Player 1 continues by finding a rhyming picture in a box that is touching his or her first selection.
5. Player 2 does the same. If a player moves to a box that does not lead to another rhyming picture, he or she must go back to the previous box and the turn is over.
6. Players take turns until they each reach their own star. The first player who reaches a star is the winner.
7. Players turn over the mat to check the answers and name the rhyming pictures.



Rhyme Hunt

This is a rhyme hunt activity that students can use on their own or with a partner. If working in partners, provide two colored sets of chips and two different colored markers.

Materials: 1 Rhyme Hunt Mat, 1 or 2 Colored Sets of Chips, Dry Erase Marker

Directions:

1. Read the instructions at the top and name the target picture.
2. Name a picture below. If it rhymes with the target picture, cover it with a chip or circle it and write its name on the first line.
3. Name another picture. Cover it with a chip or circle it and then write its name on the second line if it rhymes with the previous pictures.
4. Continue until all the rhyming pictures are found.
5. Turn over the mat to check the answers.

If playing in partners, take turns.

