

Phonemic Awareness Activities For 6-7 Year Olds

Guidelines for Use of Following Activities

Attached you will find a "developmental" list of activities to reinforce what is happening in your child's classroom. We hope this is a positive and fun one-on-one time with your child.

These activities are intended to be done orally and for short periods of time (5-7 min.) repeatedly in every day life. *Examples:* in the car, in the bath, waiting for appointments, car wash, in line, etc...

Rhyme

Parent reads a Nursery Rhyme aloud. Child identifies rhyming words heard in nursery rhyme.

- **"Rhyme Hunt":** Parent thinks of a one syllable word. Ex: "you". Parent chants, "Let's make a rhyme for "you". Child: "stew"

Sample word list:

book—cook tree—flea try—fly two—blue

tea—bee pot—hot wall—wall play—day

➡Identify any rhymes you come across in your daily reading with your child.

- **"What Does Not Belong Game":** Parent gives child three words. Two of the words rhyme. Child finds word that does not belong (does not rhyme).

Example:

Parent: "Rat, men, hat"

Child: "Men"

Sample Word List

hit—sit—fat

hen—Tom—pen

man—can—bell

hill—mop—top