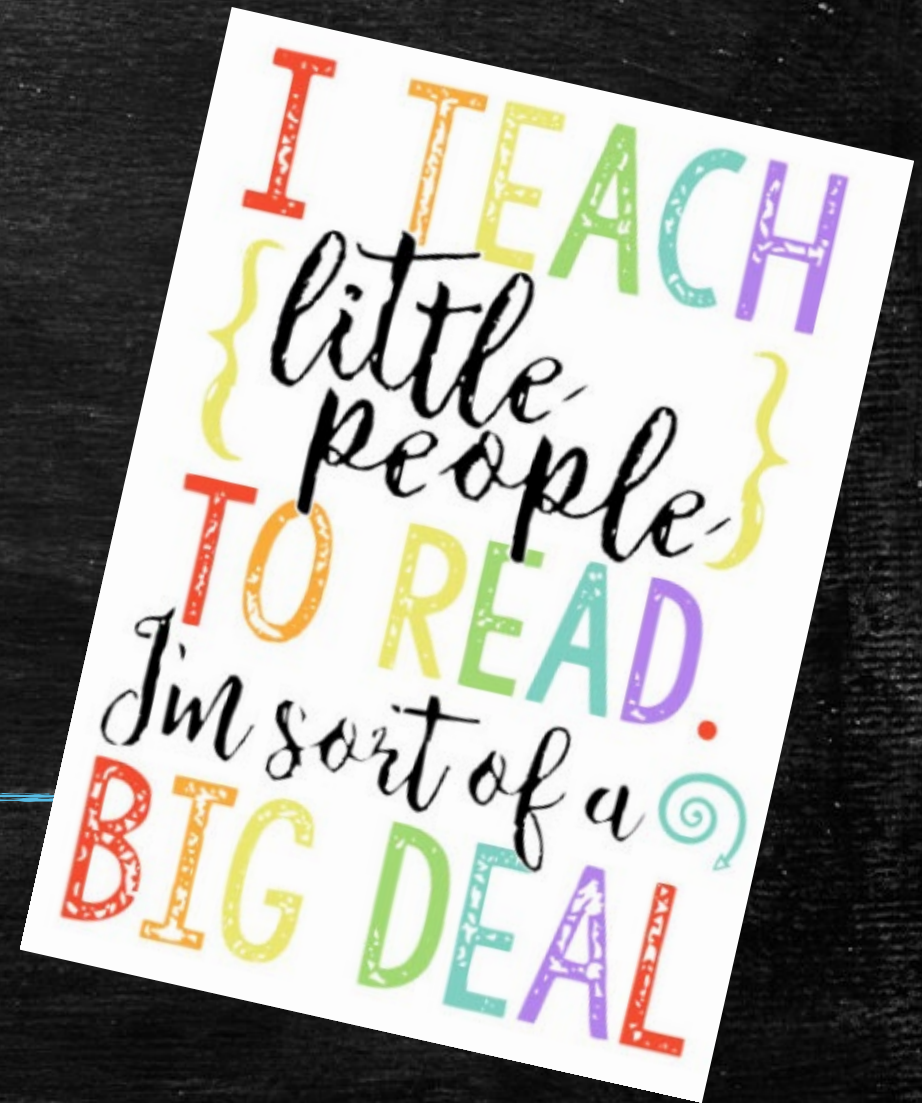


Engaging Beginning Readers

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The Plan



- Strategies and activities that can be incorporated in large or small group instruction.
- Direct & explicit instruction strategies.
- Utilizing routines to provide multiple practice opportunities.
- Ways to get and keep kids engaged with phonemic awareness, phonics, and irregular word instruction.

Direct & Explicit Instruction

A systematic method of teaching with emphasis on proceeding in small steps, checking for understanding, and achieving active and successful participation by all students.

Gradual Release of
Responsibility



I DO.
WE DO.
YOU DO.

Modeling

Guided Practice

Independent Practice

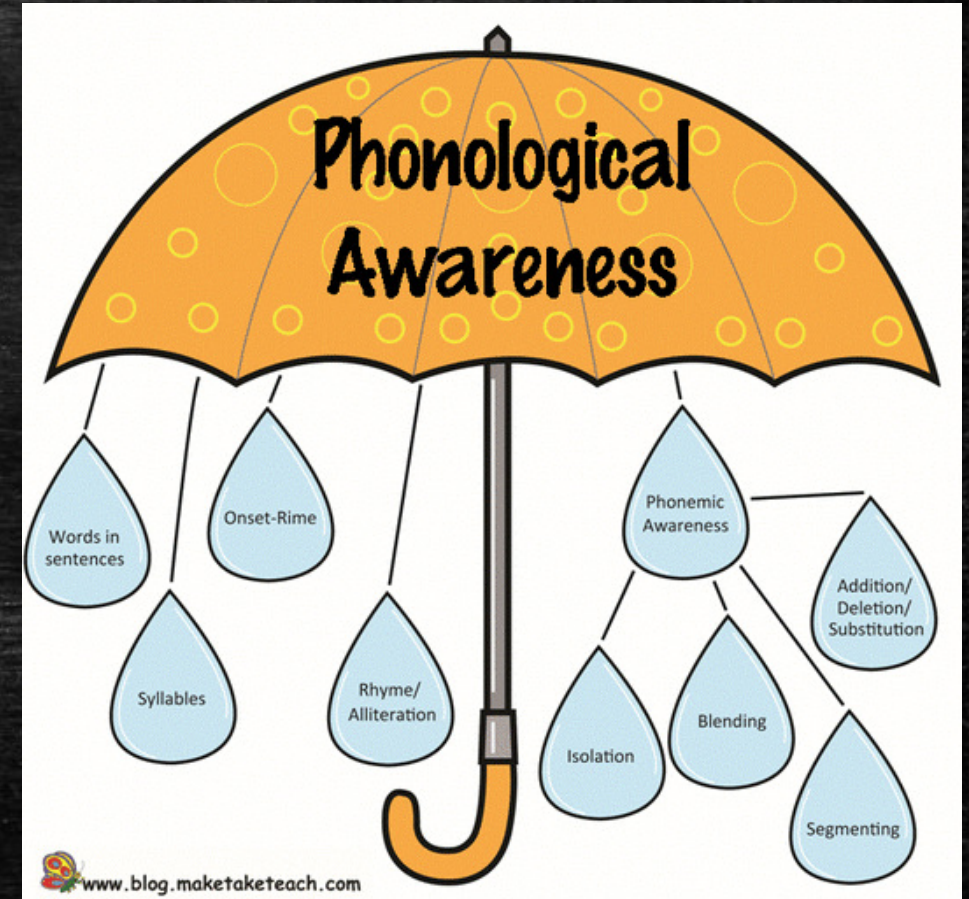
Direct & Explicit Instruction

- Practice, Practice, Practice
- Signals
 - Oral and/or visual
- Pacing
- Correction
- **ACTIVE PARTICIPATION:** lots of opportunities for student responses
 - Oral, Action, Written
 - Every student, Every time!



Phonemic Awareness

- Phonological Awareness: the broad term that includes work with rhymes, words, syllables, in addition to phonemes.
- Phonemic Awareness: ability to hear, identify, and manipulate individual sounds (phonemes) in spoken words.

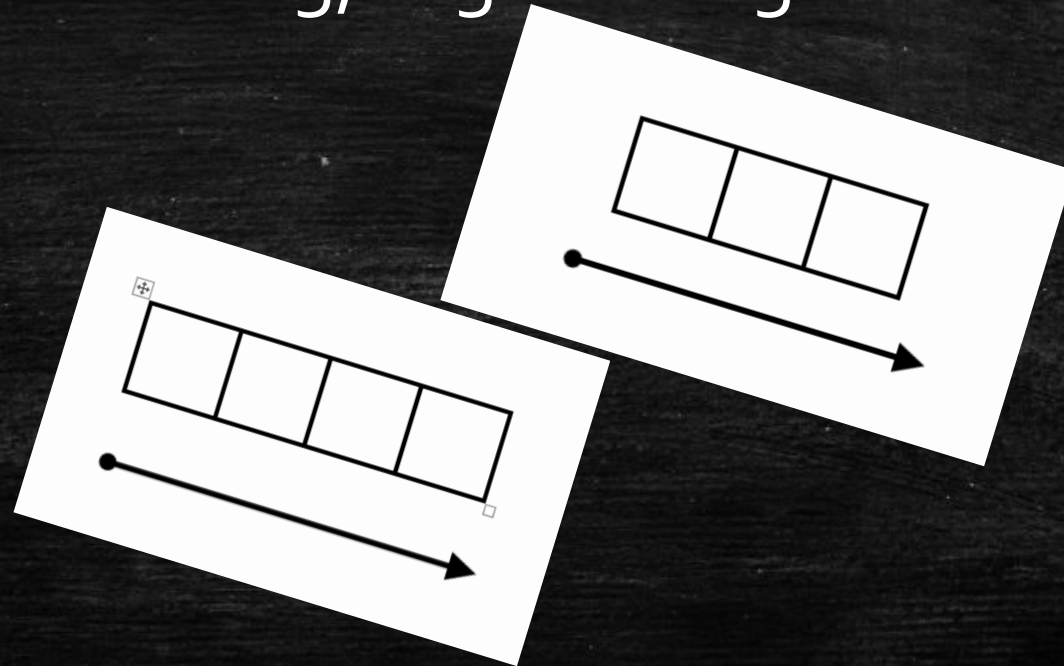


Phonemic Awareness

Ways to Practice:

*the key: EXPLICIT INSTRUCTION

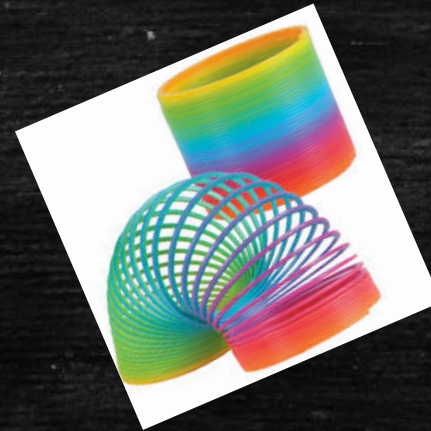
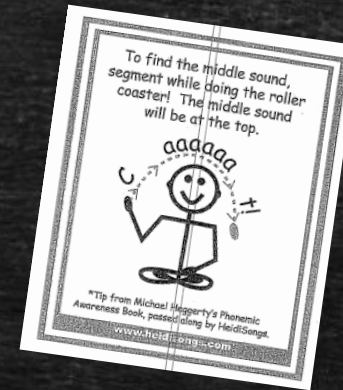
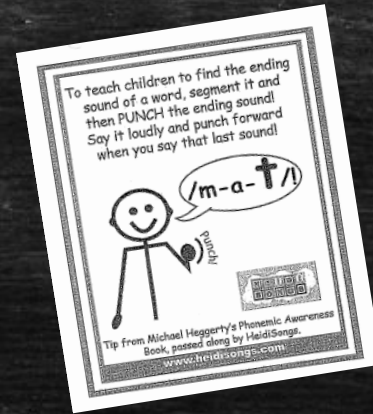
- “Templates”: onset rime, blending, segmenting
- Head Tummy Toes
- Elkonin (sound) boxes
- Tap It, Map It, Zap It



Phonemic Awareness

Spice it Up!

- Slide on Arm
- Punch It (ending sound)
- Roller Coaster (middle sound)
- Beads on pipe cleaner
- Rubber bands or hair ties
- Silly putty
- Slinky



Phonics

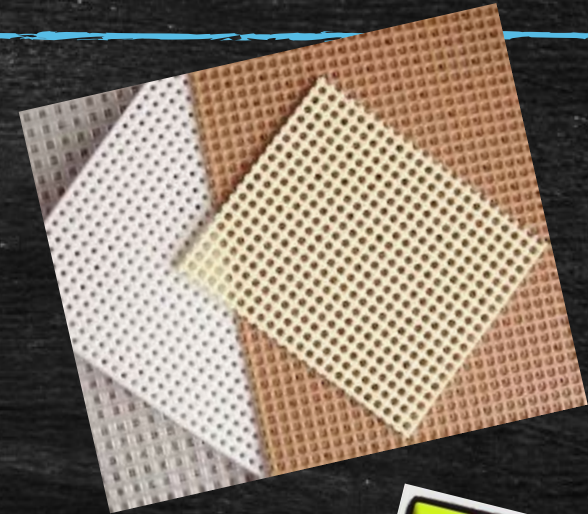
- Teaches the relationships between the letters (graphemes) of written language and the individual sounds (phonemes) of spoken language.

Phonics

Ways to Practice:

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- "Templates": letter, sound, sound spelling, sound by sound blending,
- Response Cards
- Bumpy Boards
- Finger Tappers



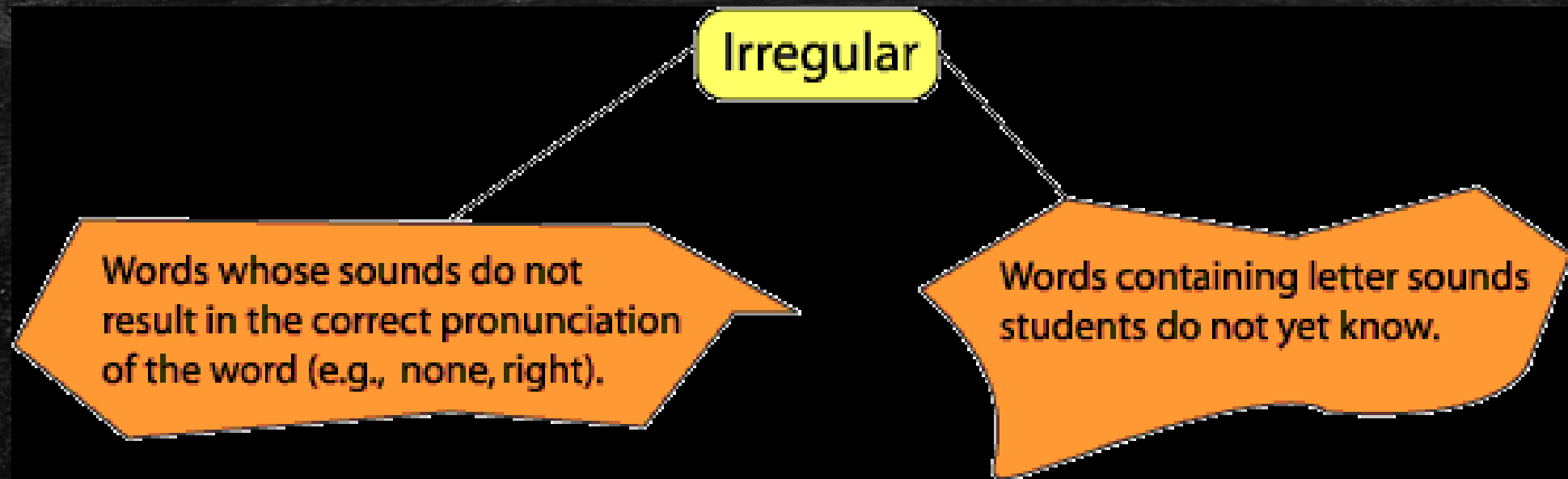
Phonics: Change it up!

- White boards
- Chalk boards
- Boogie boards
- Ipads
- Wikki sticks (bendaroos)
- Chenille stems
- Playdoh
- Sand trays
- Shaving cream
- Magnetic letters



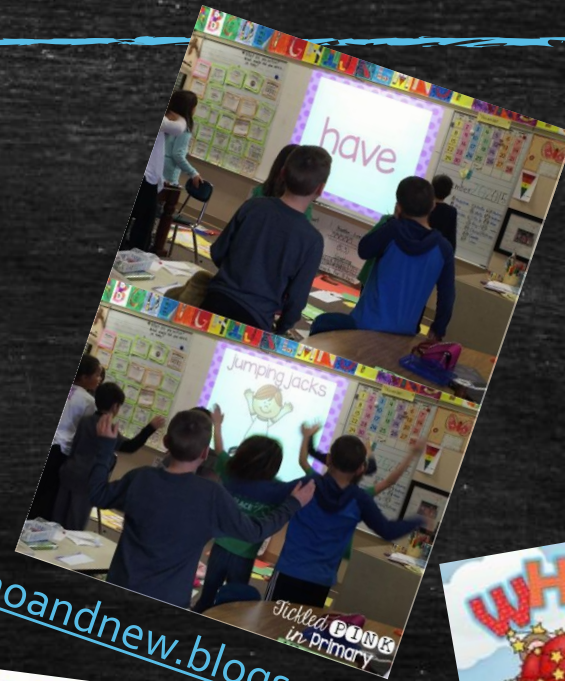
Irregular words

- Also known as high frequency words, word wall words, sight words



Irregular word practice:

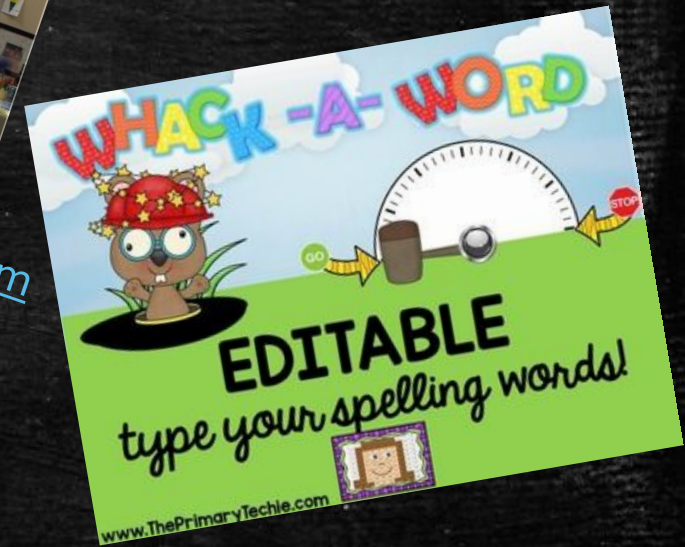
- Word wall chants and cheers
- Game boards
- Whack a Word
- Word Ladders
- Move It powerpoints



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Thank you!

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