

# Games for Word Families

- \* Match Cards (old maid, already made for you [also picture sorts with header])
- \* What is Missing? (use my PDF or laminated letters and go outside)
- \* Wheel of Fortune (use POV as sentence starters)
- \* Fly Swat the Word Family Image or Word (student led)
- \* Sound Chaser (same game as letters A to Z)
- \* Duel (same game as letters A to Z)
- \* Musical Chairs (student led [pulls words out of a hat])
- \* First to Erase the Word Family Word on the Whiteboard (use teams)
- \* Hide the Word Family Word, Use Tape, on the Playground (kid uses word in a sentence)
- \* Simon Says (grab the word family and also teach prepositions of location)
- \* Play-Doh (spell words)
- \* Salt Tray (spell words)
- \* Jenga (stack the word family words)
- \* Bowling for Word Families (and match with laminated images)
- \* Throw a Mini Ball at 2 Liter Bottles (word families taped to bottles)
- \* Word Family Bingo (cards already made for you)
- \* Match Word Families Balloons with Flash Cards
- \* Tape Word Families to Soccer Balls and Kick into a Matching Net
- \* Walk to the Answer on the Wall (ideal for files with multiple choice)
- \* Hangman (erase the face [student vs student or as a class])
- \* Make Your Own Word Search and Scrambled Words (compete with a classmate)

***Kids love competition!***

***Use a 100s chart and stickers to earn a prize.***

***Also, a spinner rewards a random person with a sticker rather than the fastest student.***

***Raffle tickets are good for rewarding one random person.***