



Kind, Wild, Old Ghost Word Family

Sorting Practice

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Dear Educator,

Thank you for your download! This is a collection of activities to use for the word families -ind, -ild, -old, and -ost.

You may start introducing these word families with the word lists provided. Then move into the sorting activities. Word sorting is a brain-based activity that will really get your students looking more critically at words and their patterns. ONE SORT IS NOT ENOUGH. Children need multiple exposures to sorting in a variety of ways. There should be no writing involved in the first sort.

Just looking at the words, discovering patterns and determining categories is enough for the first lesson. Subsequent lessons can involve sorting, speed sorting, and blind sorting.

Use the word cards for sorting and for playing concentration.

Please be sure to check my [Teachers Pay Teachers Store](#) for more word study activities. Thank you!

-Emily Gibbons, The Literacy Nest

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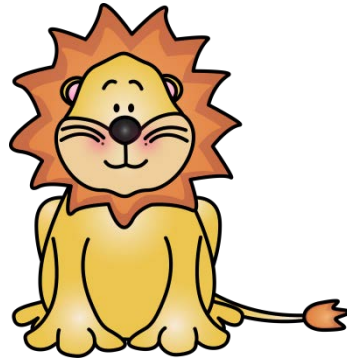
-ind, -ild, -old, -ost

-ind



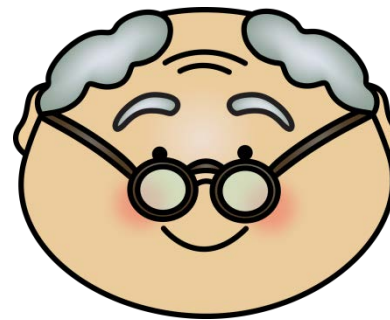
Kind

-ild



wild

-old



old

-ost



ghost

kind wild old ghost words

-ind

-ild

-old

-ost



kind

mind

bind

find

behind

bold

gold

told

cold

sold

fold

host

most

post

postman

wild

child

mild

wildcat

wildlife

Sentences To Read

1. Did Jean find the gray wildcat?
2. We will wind the old gold clock.

Directions for Concentration

Materials: one set of cards

1. Shuffle the cards well. Arrange the cards face down in an array. (A 4x6 or a 6x4 array will work well.)
2. Take turns flipping cards over to make matches.

HOW TO MAKE A MATCH:

- Find 2 cards that have the same consonant digraph.

Cards for cutting, sorting and playing Concentration



kind

kind



find



grind



bind



mind



wild

wild



child



mild



wildcat



wildlife



old

cold



bold



fold



mold



scold



ghost

most



host



post



compost



postpone



Name: _____

Date: _____

Sort and write the word cards into the correct categories.



-ind



-ild



-old



-ost

Name: ANSWER KEY

Date: _____

Sort and write the word cards into the correct categories.

-ind	-ild	-old	-ost
kind	wild	cold	most
find	child	bold	host
grind	mild	fold	post
blind	wildcat	mold	compost
mind	wildcat	scold	postpone

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