

Chunking Chipmunk

Reading Strategy: As students begin reading multi-syllabic words, it is important for them to know how to break words into units larger than individual sounds. Efficient readers may chunk words into onsets and rimes, phonograms or letter combinations (ough), syllables, or morphemes (-ing).

| Common Core Standards: | |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Kindergarten | RL.10; RI.10; RF.2; RF.3 |
| First | RL.10; RI.10; RF.3; RF.4 |
| Second | RL.10; RI.10; RF.3; RF.4 |
| Third | RL.10; RI.10; RF.3; RF.4 |

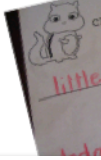
Suggestions for Use:

- Choose Chunking Chipmunk with desired amount of onsets for students how to break the words into smaller chunks and whole word.
- Chunking Chipmunk can be used as a tool during phonics.
- Chunking Chipmunk can be used as a tool for spelling work.
- Chunking Chipmunk can be enlarged and used as a whole class activity.

Resources:

- Sample lesson
- Reproducible Chunking Chipmunk with 4 chunks
- Reproducible Chunking Chipmunk with 3 chunks
- Reproducible Chunking Chipmunk with 2 chunks
- Color reproducible Chunking Chipmunk
- Spelling word review Chunking Chipmunk reproducible

Example:



Chunking Chipmunk Multisyllabic Words: Onset/Syllable Sentence Writing 1

| | |
|--------|--------|
| helmet | rocket |
| melon | ticket |
| | exit |

- Directions: Use at least 3 words from the list to write your own sentence.
- Did I capitalize the beginning of the sentence and
 - Did I use correct punctuation at the end of the sentence?
 - Did I spell all of the words correctly?
 - Did I write neatly and use finger spaces between words?
 - Did I write a complete sentence?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Common Core Phonics Activities for Multisyllabic Words

Complete Unit: All Syllable Types

Unit #8

Decoding Lesson 4: Chunking Chipmunk

Objective: Students will learn to break words into smaller chunks to decode unfamiliar, multi-syllabic words.

Materials:

- Charlie the Chunking Chipmunk graphic organizer
- Book: Thumbtacks, Earwax, Lipstick, Dipstick by B. Maestro
- Leveled readers
- Books for independent practice

Whole Group:

- Teacher will introduce the Charlie the Chunking Chipmunk puppet by reading it.
- Read aloud selected pages from the Read Lessons to show how the Charlie the Chunking Chipmunk graphic organizer is used to break words into smaller chunks.
- Teach specific syllable types to show students how to use the Charlie the Chunking Chipmunk graphic organizer to break words into smaller chunks.
- Use the Charlie the Chunking Chipmunk graphic organizer to break words into smaller chunks.

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Multisyllabic Words: Vowel Digraph/Diphthong

Name _____ Date _____

Chunking Chipmunk Multisyllabic Words: Vowel Digraph/Di Word List

| -al/-ay | -ee/-ea | -oa/-oe | -oi/-oy | -oo/-ow |
|----------|----------|------------|---------|----------|
| afraid | agree | railroad | soil | thousand |
| today | freedom | toaster | toilet | towel |
| relay | sixteen | charcoal | toilet | shower |
| mermaid | needle | tiptoe | toilet | around |
| crayon | thirteen | coasting | toilet | surround |
| haystack | between | roadside | toilet | discount |
| painting | asleep | stagecoach | toilet | flower |
| complain | beetle | crossroad | toilet | aloud |
| payment | steeple | floating | toilet | outline |
| daisy | beehive | boating | toilet | drowsy |
| railing | coffee | cocattail | toilet | rainbow |
| rainfall | nineteen | cocoa | toilet | arrow |
| runway | freeway | approach | toilet | yellow |
| subway | eastern | rejoice | toilet | elbow |
| explain | peanut | loyal | toilet | |
| remain | increase | royal | toilet | |
| daytime | repeat | enjoy | toilet | |
| mailbox | dreamer | appoint | toilet | |
| mayor | beneath | goalie | toilet | |
| | | shipload | toilet | |
| | | oatmeal | toilet | |
| | | floating | toilet | |
| | | boatload | toilet | |
| | | aloe | toilet | |
| | | haunt | toilet | |
| | | coolest | toilet | |
| | | exhaust | toilet | |
| | | scrawl | toilet | |
| | | paup | toilet | |
| | | withd | toilet | |
| | | dawd | toilet | |
| | | sauc | toilet | |
| | | awni | toilet | |
| | | three syl | toilet | |
| | | raccoon | toilet | |
| | | shampoo | toilet | |
| | | poodle | toilet | |
| | | cartoon | toilet | |
| | | igloo | toilet | |
| | | balloon | toilet | |
| | | mushroom | toilet | |
| | | scooter | toilet | |
| | | rooster | toilet | |
| | | football | toilet | |
| | | notebook | toilet | |
| | | looking | toilet | |
| | | cookbook | toilet | |
| | | childhood | toilet | |
| | | enjoyment | toilet | |

READING STRATEGIES

DECODING ANIMALS



Pointing PORCUPINE



Detecting DEER



Repeating RACCOON



Chunking CHIPMUNK



Sounding Out SNAKE



Detecting DEER

COMPREHENSION ANIMALS



Summarizing SQUIRREL



Visualizing VULTURE



Questioning QUAIL



Predicting POSSUM



Connecting COYOTE

| | |
|-----|---------|
| in | payment |
| aid | crayon |
| id | today |
| ox | relay |

| Read the word. | Chunk the word and write syllables in acorns. | Write the whole word. |
|----------------|---|-----------------------|
| avoid | | _____ |
| annoy | | _____ |
| destroy | | _____ |
| pc | | _____ |

"What's up? I'm Charlie the Chunking Chipmunk. I help you break unknown words into small chunks. Look for little words or sounds that you know. Put them back together as a word and you'll be the star of the show!"



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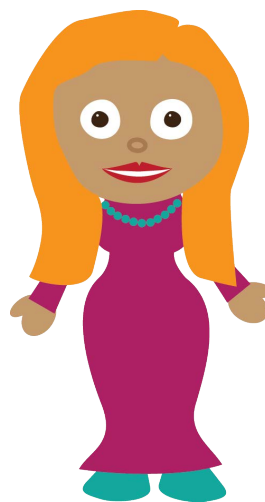
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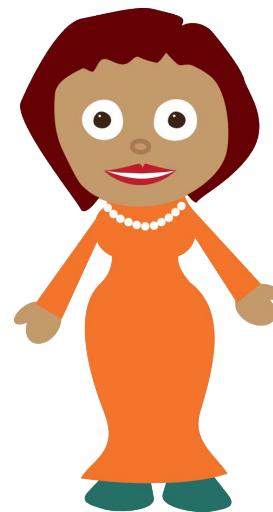
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