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Phonemic Awareness

Break Spoken Sentences into Individual Words

I will say some sentences. Each time I say a word, I'll clap.

Rob drinks milk. (Clap 3 times.)

She wears a bright red shirt. (Clap 6 times.)

Wake up. (Clap 2 times.)

Eat your vegetables. (Clap 3 times.)

They are delicious. (Clap 3 times.)

I will say some sentences. Each time I say a word, you'll clap.

Please answer the phone. (Clap 4 times.)

Is the music too loud? (Clap 5 times.)

Please pick up your toys now. (Clap 6 times.)

Get dressed for school. (Clap 4 times.)

That is ridiculous! (Clap 3 times.)

If time allows, continue the activity with sentences you create, but have students tap their heads, legs, or feet as you say each word.



If students have difficulty with this activity, say the sentence more slowly as they clap with you.