

Special Ed

THE SCARECROW

LITERACY UNIT



Special Needs for Special Kids



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These literacy units are something I created and started using in my classroom. I had students with significant challenges and most were **non-readers**. This is a great way to expose all students to some great books.

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In a separate file, there are directions and links to digital versions of these activities.

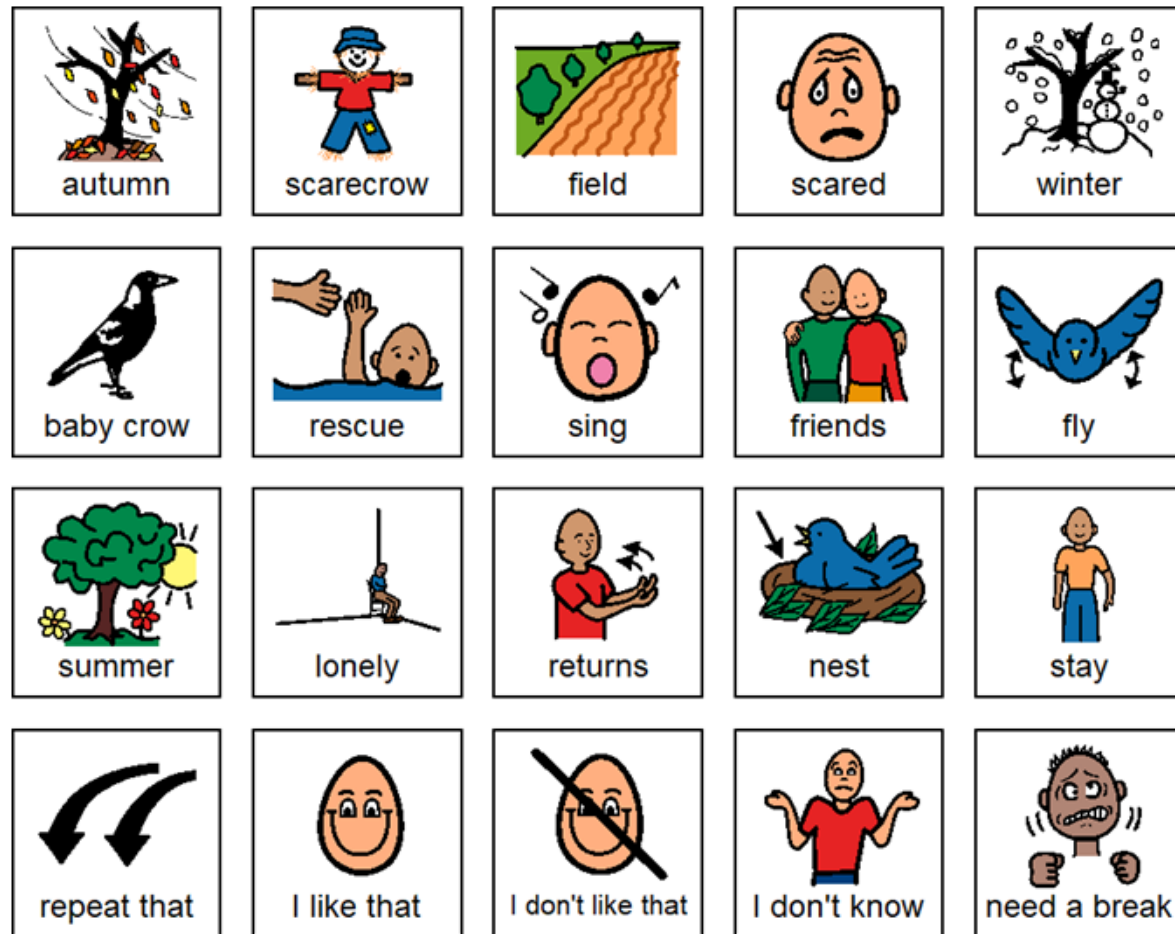
This unit has 5 activities to go with this book to last a full week of instruction.

There are 2 separate files, one in color and one in black and white.

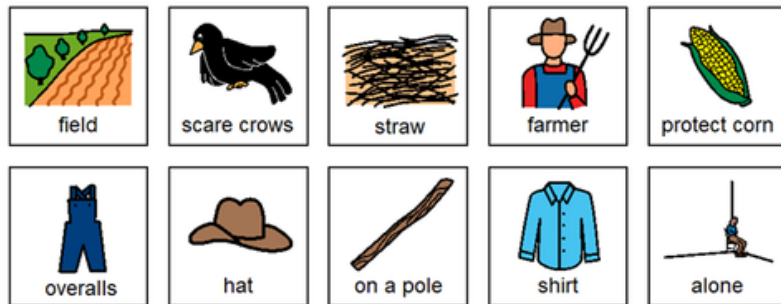
This unit comes with a storyboard.

Storyboards are great for ALL students to assist with participation and engagement in group discussions.

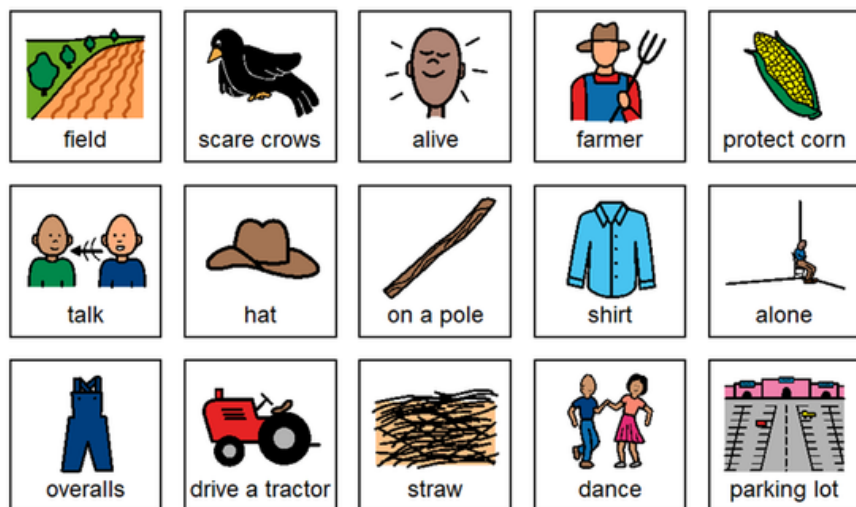
Tips on how to use in the unit!!



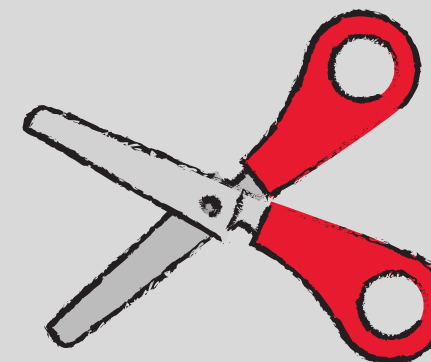
Place the following in the circle map on the previous page showing things about scarecrows.



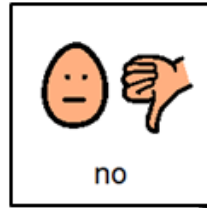
Place the following in the circle map on the previous page **ONLY IF** they are true about scarecrows.



There is a circle map showing things about scarecrows. There is an option that only has correct answers and one that has wrong answers mixed in.

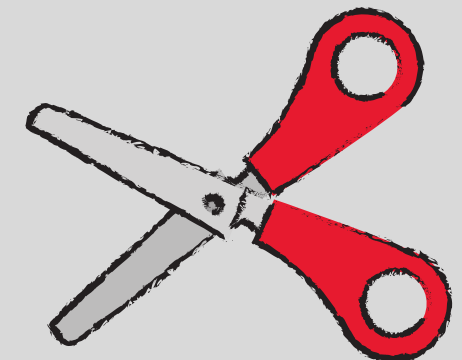


What are some examples of personification?













<p>The wind howled.</p>	<p>They raced by.</p>	<p>The bird flew away.</p>	<p>The fog hugged the house.</p>
<p>The car hugged the curve.</p>	<p>The two cars collided.</p>	<p>The owl had a questioning look.</p>	<p>The window groaned as I opened it.</p>
<p>The weeds took control of the yard.</p>	<p>The trail was very steep.</p>	<p>I knocked on the door.</p>	<p>The cactus threatened those who came near.</p>
<p>The kite danced in the wind.</p>	<p>He went fishing.</p>	<p>I opened the can.</p>	<p>It was storming.</p>

There is a sorting activity looking at examples of personification. There are suggestions for differentiation included.

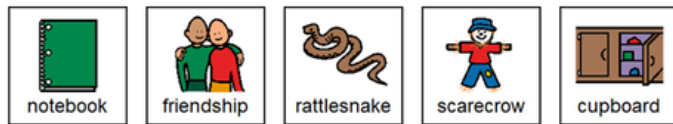


Look at each pair of pictures. When you put them together, what new compound word do they make?

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rattle		snake		

Page 1






The Picture



Page 2

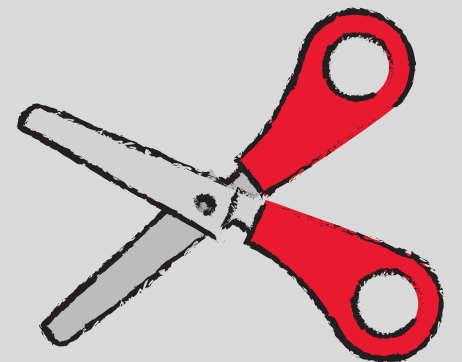


What two words would make up each compound word below?

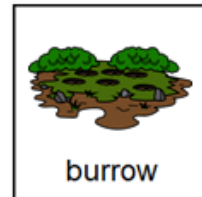
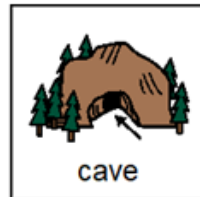
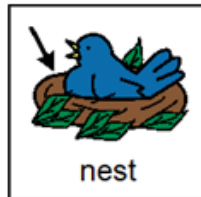
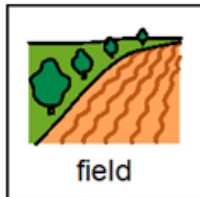
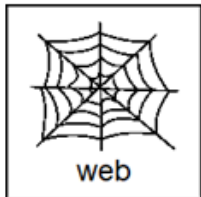
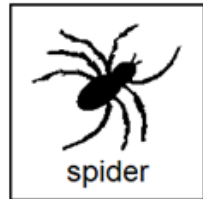
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pancake				

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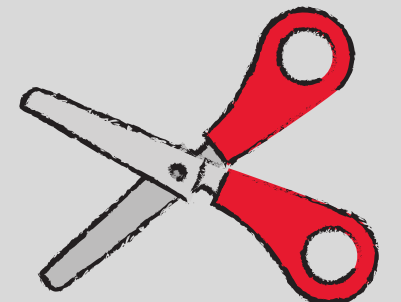
Students will create compound words. There are 2 versions seen here.



Where would each animal live? Find the matching home.



Students will match the home to the animal.
Suggestions for differentiation are included.



The Scarecrow

I am a scarecrow in a field protecting the .

One day, a landed on my shoulder.

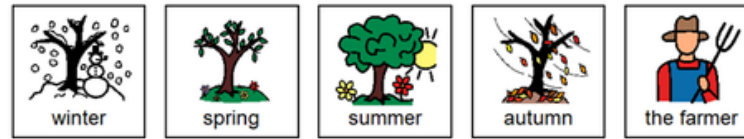
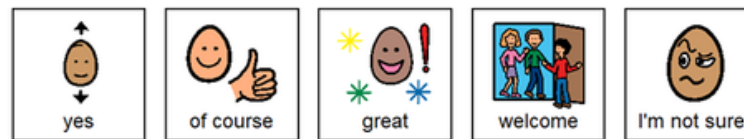
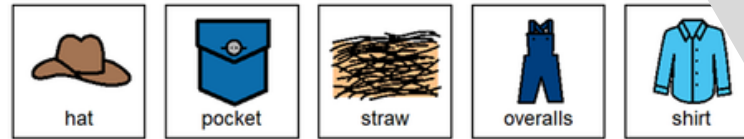
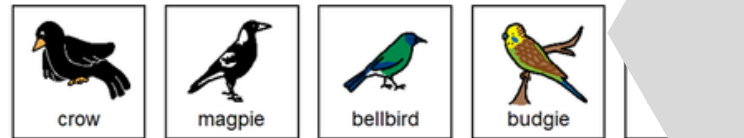
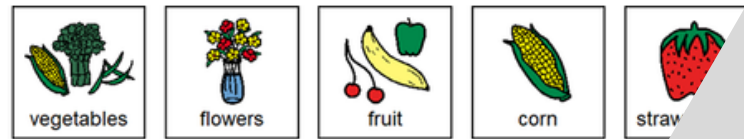
He wanted to make a nest in my .

I said .

He stayed with me until came.

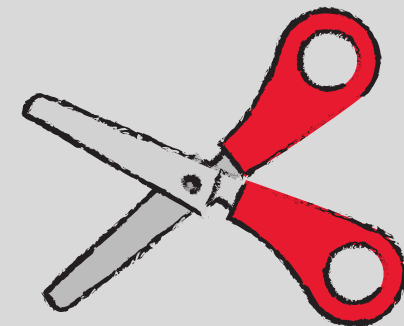


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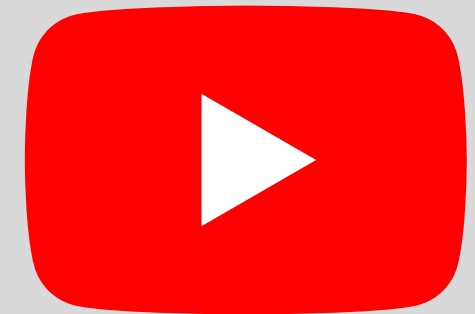
There is a writing prompt.
Students will write a story as though they were the last leaf.
This is an errorless activity.








Listen to
the book
read aloud












There is a video of the book
read aloud. This is a video
from YouTube.



Great for independent centers

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 rainbow	=	<input type="text"/>	+	<input type="text"/>
 skateboard	=	<input type="text"/>	+	<input type="text"/>
 teapot	=	<input type="text"/>	+	<input type="text"/>
 pancake	=	<input type="text"/>	+	<input type="text"/>

What two words would make up each compound word shown?

 coat	 pan	 skate	 tea
 rain	 pot	 bow	 board
 cake	 board		

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There are digital versions of the activities included. Students click and drag the answers.

Perfect for every learning level

What are some example of personification?



Sort pictures into correct columns depending on if it contains personification. If you are not sure, place it on the middle line.

 <p>The wind howled.</p>	 <p>They raced by.</p>	 <p>The bird flew away.</p>	 <p>The fog hugged the house.</p>
 <p>The car hugged the curve.</p>	 <p>The two cars collided.</p>	 <p>The owl had a questioning look.</p>	 <p>The sign as...</p>
 <p>The weeds took control of the yard.</p>	 <p>The trail was very steep.</p>	 <p>I knocked on the door.</p>	 <p>The cactus threatened those who came near.</p>
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There are 2 sets, one that includes differentiation shown here.