



Phoneme Segmentation

Today's Standard

1.RF.2d - Segment spoken single-syllable words into their complete sequence of individual sounds (phonemes).

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Clapping out sounds in words; Using blocks to represent sounds in words; Playing sound matching games; Practicing with picture cards; Reading simple words aloud and breaking them into sounds

Today I Learned

Today, we learned about breaking down words into their individual sounds, called phonemes. This helps us understand how words are made up of different sounds.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Sometimes, kids think each letter is a single sound, but some sounds are made of more than one letter, like 'sh' in 'ship'. Also, blending sounds to make words is different from breaking words into sounds.

Quiz Me

- What is a phoneme?
- Can you clap out the sounds in the word 'cat'?
- What sound do the letters 'sh' make?
- Is blending the same as segmenting?
- Can you break the word 'dog' into its sounds?

Help Me

Breaking words into sounds helps us read better. For example, the word 'cat' has three sounds: /c/, /a/, and /t/. We can use clapping or blocks to show each sound.