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Robert Munsch Books
Card 5 - 'teacher'



'Teacher' is a job of one of the characters in Thomas' Snowsuit. Look through the other Robert Munsch books and find five more jobs that the characters do. Print these words in your learning center booklet.



Descriptive Words
Card 1- The Dark



Print five words in your learning center booklet that describe what the dark looked like in the book The Dark.

Week 2 - Lesson 1

Spelling

The children print their spelling words three to five times each in their spelling notebooks.

Brainstorming

As a class, the children brainstorm words associated with 'princes' and 'queens' and 'castles'. When they are finished brainstorming, have the children put the words into different categories.

Word Cards

Introduce the children to the words 'prince', 'decide', and 'seconds'. Study each word and look for common letter combinations (or helpers) that help the children decode the words. The children mark the helpers on their individual word cards or the helpers are orally discussed as a class using the group word cards. Point out the different sounds the 'c' makes in these words. Discuss the soft 'c' sound rule with the children. Working in partners, have the children think of hard 'c' and soft 'c' words.

Reading Activity

Read the book The Paper Bag Princess to the children or have the children read the book to a partner. After reading the story, the children answer the questions and complete the **cloze** activity in their student booklets.

Writing Activity

The children choose their favourite character from the story and write about him or her. As a class, think of questions the children can answer about each character. The children answer these questions or they write their own comments about the character of their choice.

Language Arts Activities

As the children finish their writing activity, they work independently on the Language Arts activities.

Robert Munsch Concentration Game

Whenever the children have free time, they play the Robert Munsch Concentration Game with a partner.