



Me Treasure of Adding Word!



{Use these cards for /ar/ treasure map hunt}



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Pirate Mark!



Sample Lesson Plan

This lesson could be taught in a single day, broken into shorter, smaller lessons, or added as a supplement to your current reading curriculum. I dressed the part of a pirate when doing it with my students, wore a handmade /ar/ shirt and saying "aaargh" a lot throughout the day. Further, I tried to "talk pirate" by oversteating the /ar/ sound as "aaargh" within the words.

- Introduce the lesson with the picture of Pirate Mark. Tell students that his job is to help them remember that "ar" says /ar/. Just like pirates say "aaargh!"
- Read Pirate Mark book (the pictures are great)
- Pass out Listening Recording sheet. Send students back to their seats to practice their listening and writing skills. Record Pirate Mark. Students should write the /ar/ words they hear in the story. (This could also be given at the end of the lesson as a summative assessment)
- Create "aaargh" words pirates using provided templates.
- Lastly, direct students' attention to the large map that you've created and begin "aaargh" treasure hunt activity. Directions on pg. 34

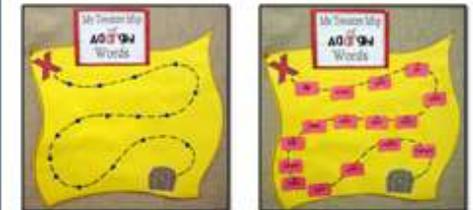
{Art Project Idea}



Materials: Templates, Construction paper, writing utensils

Suggestions: This is a fairly straight-forward project. I usually pre-cut many of the pieces (or at least the more detailed ones that could take up precious time) or provide a few templates per table so that the students can trace and cut themselves. It depends on your mood and/or on time, I guess!

{/ar/ Treasure Hunt Activity}



start → Finish

Materials: Large piece of paper for map, provided templates, provided word cards, dot stickers to mark where words will go, "treasure" reward for students at the end of the hunt

What To Do: Explain to students that throughout the day they will be looking for /ar/ words that you've hidden throughout the room and/or building. Tell them that they will need a word for every dot sticker (what I used) on the map. Once they've acquired all 18 words and added them to the map, the students get /ar/ treasure (candy/kah). To make it even more fun, hide the treasure somewhere in the room and let them hunt for it.

This is a screen shot of some of the pages found in the printable 😊