Word Families Fun Came

Students master word families with this fun-to-play spinner game!

Preparation:

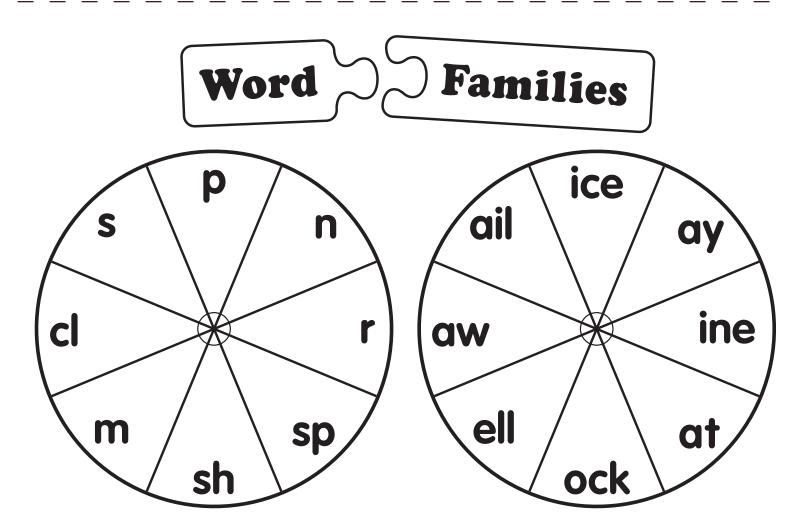
Print out the spinners and game mat. Each pair of students will need two copies of the game mat and one set of spinners. Then use a brass fastener to loosely attach a paper clip to the center of each spinner. The paper clip will be the "arrow" for the spinner.

How to Play:

- I. Each player takes a mat.
- 2. The first player spins the paper clips on both spinners. She forms a word using the beginning sound from the first spinner and the word family ending from the second spinner. She says the word aloud. If it is a real word, she writes it down on her mat. If she can't form a word with that beginning sound and word family, she spins both paper clips again.
- 3. The next player takes a turn.
- 4. Players continue taking turns until they have each built 10 words.

Extension:

Challenge students to choose a word from their mat and brainstorm other words that belong in the same word family!



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