Rhyming Words

Facilitator Information Sheet

This resource was created by the Trinity College Dublin team (Nicole Maiorano, Pia Gardeweg and Katie Moore) for use in the Irish REFUGE-ED pilot site. It was used in the Irish pilot site with a group of approximately 40 children. The information below is a facilitator information sheet with sample activities. It is designed to be used as part of an Interactive Group exercise. The intended audience is children approximately 7 to 8 years old of all migration backgrounds.

Description of activity:

Pair words that rhyme (sound the same) and practice saying the words out loud.

Learning objectives:

Strand: Reading and Oral

Understanding: Vocabulary; phonics, word recognition and word study; phonological and

phonemic awareness

Exploring and using: Categorisation; playful and creative use of language

Materials needed:

The deck of rhyming words

Instructions:

- 1. Lay out the entire deck of cards face up
- 2. Children take turns going around and selecting a pair of rhyming words
- 3. Child should say both words out loud as they select the pair
- 4. Children should be encouraged to help one another

Solutions: (* = words that can be paired with multiple others) Moon – Spoon Ball - Tall New* - Two* Hit – Sit Weight – Date You* - Zoo* Cave – Wave Post – Toast Spot – Hot Book – Luck Rat – Mat Test – Nest Add – Bad Lake – Cake Car – Star

Height – Bite

Blue* - Shoe*

Moon Test

Spoon Nest

Cave Ball

Wave Tall

Book Height

Luck Bite

Lake Weight

Cake

Date

Hit

Car

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