

Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to recognize and spell words that start with the letter E.

Materials and Prep

- Whiteboard or paper
- Markers or crayons

No prior knowledge is required for this lesson.

Activities

- Activity 1: Letter E Hunt

Write the letter E on the whiteboard or paper. Go on a hunt around your home and find objects that start with the letter E. When you find an object, say its name out loud and spell it together with the letter E at the beginning. For example, if you find an elephant, say "elephant" and spell it "E-elephant".

- Activity 2: E is for E coloring

Give your child a coloring sheet with various objects that start with the letter E. Encourage them to color the objects and say their names out loud while spelling them with the letter E. For example, if there is an egg on the coloring sheet, they can say "egg" and spell it "E-egg" as they color it.

- Activity 3: E Word Puzzle

Write some simple words that start with the letter E on separate pieces of paper. Cut the words into individual letters and mix them up. Ask your child to put the letters in the correct order to form the word. For example, if the word is "elephant", they need to arrange the letters E, L, E, P, H, A, N, and T in the right order.

Toddler Grade Talking Points

- "Today, we are going to learn about the letter E."
- "The letter E makes the sound 'eh' like in elephant."
- "We can find many words that start with the letter E, like egg, elephant, and envelope."
- "Let's go on a hunt around our home and find objects that start with the letter E."
- "When we find an object, we will say its name and spell it with the letter E at the beginning."
- "Now, let's color some pictures of objects that start with the letter E."
- "As we color, we will say the names of the objects and spell them with the letter E."
- "Finally, we will solve a word puzzle by putting the letters in the right order to form words that start with the letter E."
- "Great job! You are becoming an expert at recognizing and spelling words that start with the letter E."