

Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to identify and spell words related to hibernation and animals in winter.

Materials and Prep

- Paper
- Pencil
- Markers or crayons
- Printed pictures of hibernating animals (optional)

No prior knowledge is required for this lesson.

Activities

1. Introduce the concept of hibernation and animals in winter. Show pictures of hibernating animals if available.
2. Write the word "hibernation" on the board and help the student sound out each letter. Break it down into syllables if necessary (hi-ber-na-tion).
3. Ask the student to write the word "hibernation" on their paper. Encourage them to sound out each letter as they write.
4. Repeat the process with other words related to hibernation and animals in winter, such as "bear," "den," "sleep," "cold," "snow," etc.
5. Have the student draw pictures of hibernating animals or scenes related to winter and label them with the corresponding words they learned.

Preschool Grade Talking Points

- "Hibernation is when animals sleep during the cold winter months."
- "Some animals, like bears, find a cozy den to sleep in during winter."
- "When we say hibernation, we break it down into smaller parts: hi-ber-na-tion."
- "Can you try writing the word 'hibernation' on your paper? Remember to say each letter as you write it."
- "Let's learn more words about hibernation and winter. How about 'bear'? Can you say the word 'bear'?"
- "Now, let's try writing the word 'bear' on your paper. Sound it out as you write."
- "Great job! You are learning so many words about hibernation and winter. Keep up the good work!"