

## Working With Words Phonics Lessons

Lesson # 1 Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Introduce: U /ũ/

Key word: Up

Before beginning lesson, **review the following concepts:**

- Alphabet is a code that lets us write our thoughts or words we speak so someone else can read them
- Two ways to write each letter—capital and lower case
- 26 letters in the alphabet
- Two kinds of letters – consonants and vowels
- Letters make words
- Words make sentences
- Sentences go together to make stories, letters, etc.

Using the Key Word card **introduce the letter and model the sound** it makes. Have each student repeat the sound correctly.

Have students **generate a list of words** that begin with the first sound in the key word. Choose one word to use in a sentence. Write the sentence on the board.

Using a variety of picture cards have the students **distinguish the pictures that have the /ũ/ sound in the middle position.**

Activity: \_\_\_\_\_

**Dictate words** that have /ũ/ as the vowel.

bug, jug, rug, lump, fun, run, gum, nut, jump, bump, shut, grump, tug

Ideas:

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