

Don't Say It: Spring

Introduction

This challenging spring-themed "don't say it" activity has students dig into their vocabulary knowledge to get classmates to guess a word without using common descriptive words.

Before the Lesson

Print (A4 size), laminate, and cut out the cards. In lieu of laminating, print on thicker A4 cardstock paper. Be sure to print enough copies for the amount of students you have, *for example, if you have 15 students in class, print the pdf five times and group students into threes.*

In the Lesson

- Divide the class into small teams or pairs. (Can be played as a group game)
- One player picks a card and must describe the spring-related word without using the three forbidden words.
- Their team has one minute to guess the word.
- If the team guesses correctly, they earn 1 point.
- If the player accidentally says a forbidden word, they lose their turn!
- Continue playing until all cards are used or set a time limit. The team with the most points wins!

Focus	Aim	Level	Time
Spring vocabulary	To describe objects without using common descriptive words.	B1/B2	35-45 minutes



sunshine

bright

warm

yellow

bee

honey

buzz

sting

rainbow

colors

sky

arc

blossom

flower

bloom

tree



picnic

basket

blanket

food

garden

plants

flowers

yard

butterfly

wings

caterpillar

insect

rain

water

wet

cloud

dew

morning

grass

water

umbrella

rain

cover

open

breeze

wind

cool

air

nest

birds

eggs

tree

tadpole

frog

water

swim

ladybug

red

spots

insect

puddle

water

rain

jump

Easter

eggs

bunny

holiday



spring cleaning

clean

tidy

chores

raincoat

jacket

waterproof

wear

tulip

flower

petal

bulb

April

month

spring

showers



bunny

rabbit

hop

carrot

worm

soil

Earth

wiggle

pollen

allergy

yellow

bees

hay fever

allergy

pollen

sneeze