



Objective

The student will identify contractions, synonyms, antonyms, abbreviations, homophones, and homographs.

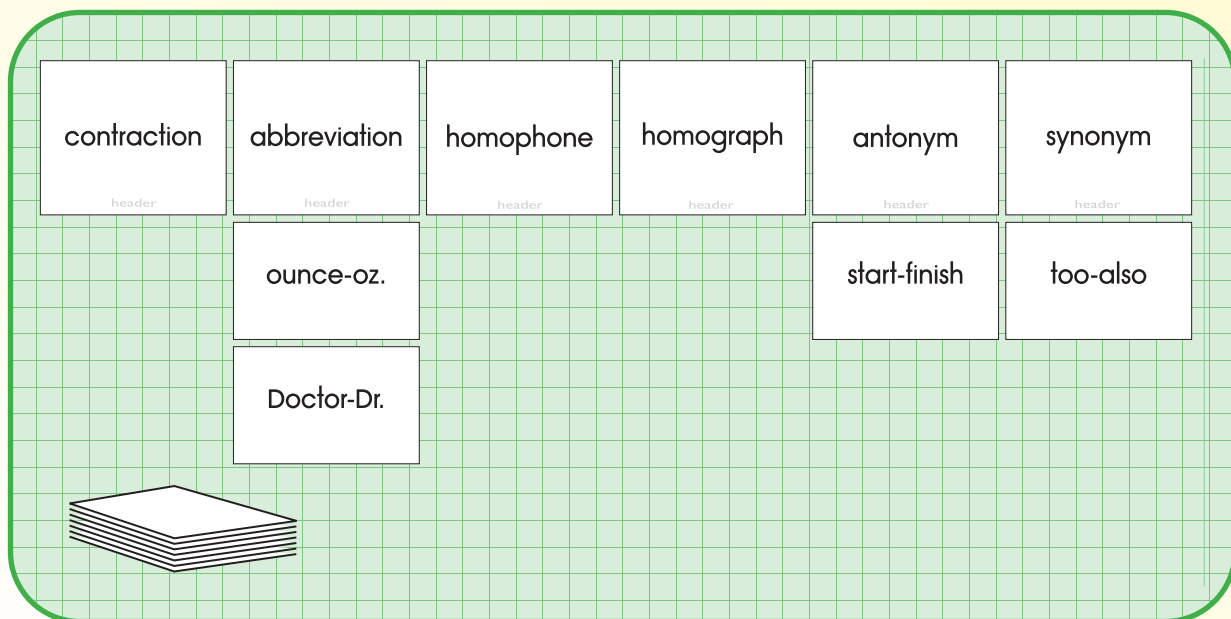
Materials

- ▶ Spinner
- ▶ *Laminate*
- ▶ Header cards
- ▶ Word cards
- ▶ Student sheet
- ▶ Pencils

Activity

Students sort words by playing a spinner game.

1. Place the spinner with header cards face up in a row at the center. Shuffle word cards and place in a stack face down.
2. Taking turns, student one spins the spinner and reads the category that the arrow lands on.
3. Looks through the stack and selects a word card that belongs to the category and reads it.
4. Places it under the corresponding header card.
5. Continue until all cards are sorted. Note: If spinner lands on a category that is complete (i.e., five cards), student spins again.
6. Complete the student sheet.
7. Teacher evaluation



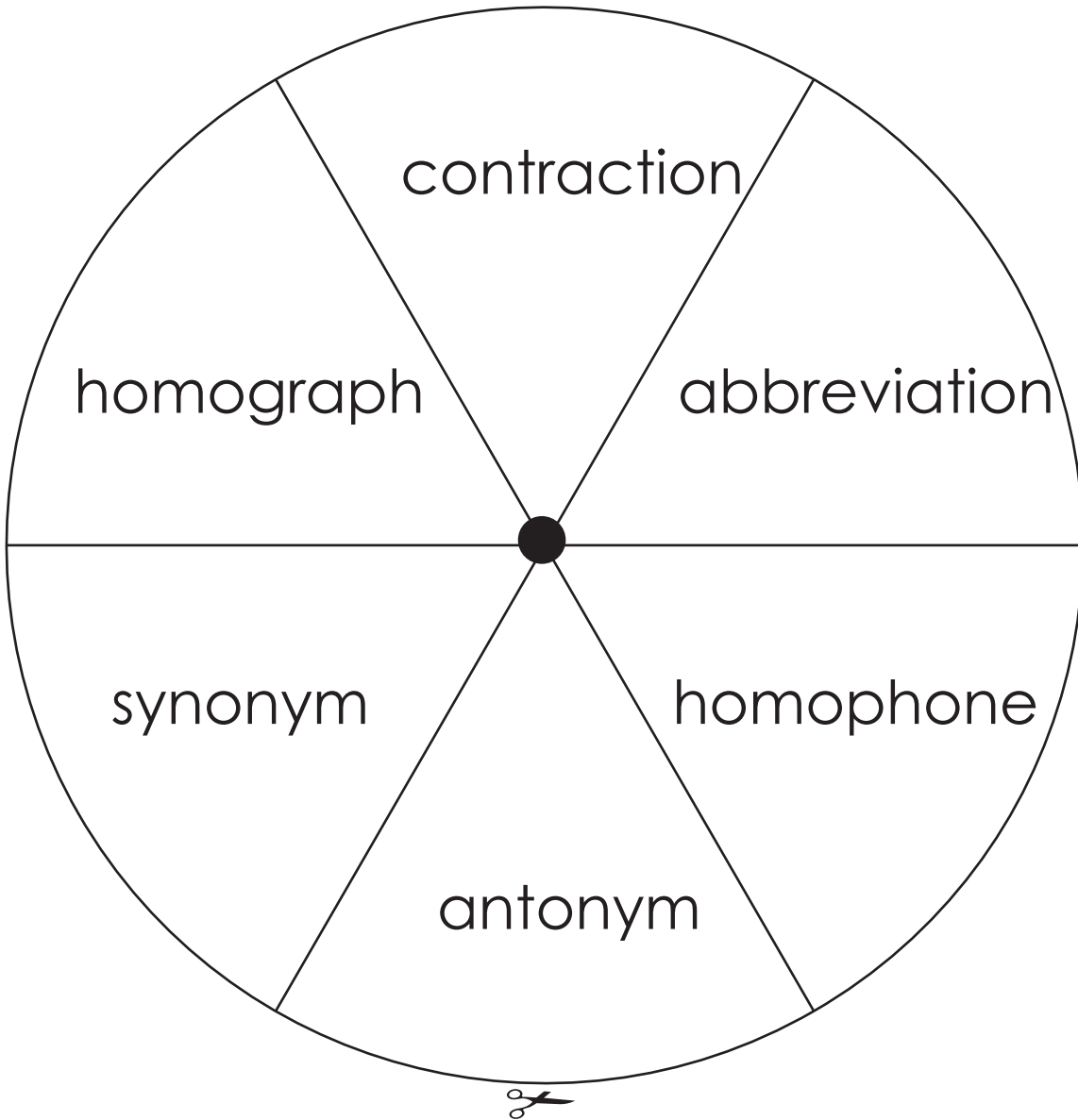
Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Write sentences using the pairs of words on paper or the back of the student sheet.
- ▶ Make other word cards to sort.

Vocabulary

Spin Sort

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contraction

header

abbreviation

header

homophone

header

homograph

header

antonym

header

synonym

header

header cards



Vocabulary

Spin Sort

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she'd-
she would

they'll-
they will

won't-will not

he's-he is

wouldn't-
would not

let-allow

almost-nearly

stop-end

word cards



wash-clean

too-also

off-on

many-few

up-down

most-least

start-finish

Doctor-Dr.



Vocabulary

Spin Sort

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ounce-oz.

October-Oct.

Mister-Mr.

Junior-Jr.

hour-our

sea-see

eye-l

sail-sale

word cards



through-threw

well

- a hole dug for water
- how you feel

left

- direction
- did leave

ball

- toy that bounces
- royal dance

tick

- sound of a clock
- small insect

saw

- a cutting tool
- did see



Name _____

Spin Sort

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contraction	abbreviation	antonym	synonym	homophone	homograph