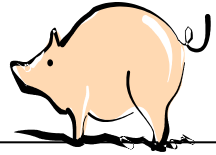


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Objective: ...present dramatic interpretations of experiences, stories

Have a Readers' Theater Play!

All: We love to play with words!

Voice 1: My favorite game is "**I could have been!**"

Voice 2: Would you like to play?

Voice 3: Me first! I could have been a firecracker, but.... my POP wouldn't let me!

All: Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Voice 4: Here's another one! I could have been a shoe, but...

I couldn't FIT in!

All: Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Voice 1: I've got one: I could have been a possum, but I couldn't HANG in there!

All: Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Voice 2: Here's another one: I could have been left handed, but... but it didn't feel RIGHT!

All: Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Voice 3: Well, I could have been a light bulb, but.... I wasn't bright enough!

All: Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Voice 4: I could have been a candle, but... I blew it!

All: Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Voice 1: Games with words are really fun.

Voice 2: They make us laugh, everyone.

Voice 3: Another game is called **Hink Pink!**

Voice 4: You've got to rhyme or you will stink!

All: Here's an example of a Hink Pink:

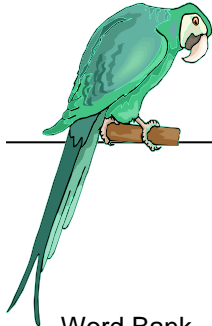
Voice 1: What do you call a puppy kiss?

Voice 2: A pooch smooch!

Voice 3: You can read more Hink Pinks!

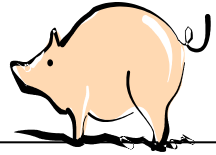
Voice 4: Check out **A Huge Hog is a Big Pig** by Francis McCall and Patricia Keeler!

All: Then, make up your own! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!



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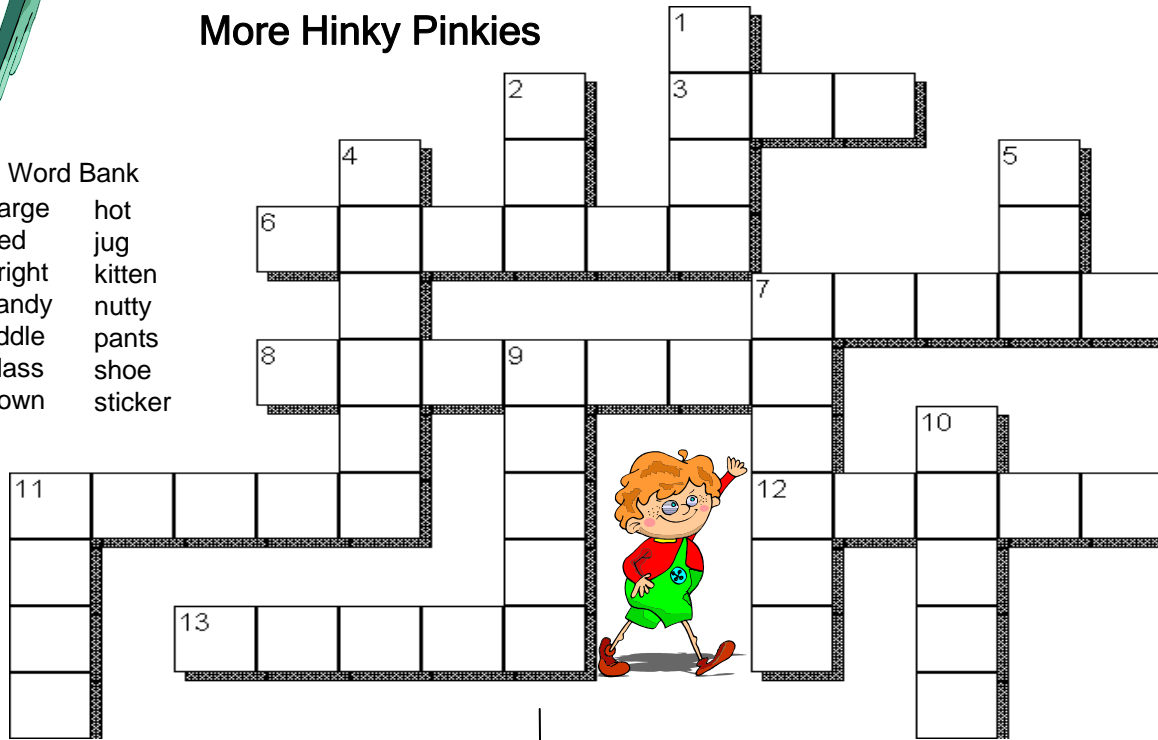
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More Hinky Pinkies

Word Bank

barge	hot
bed	jug
bright	kitten
candy	nutty
fiddle	pants
glass	shoe
gown	sticker



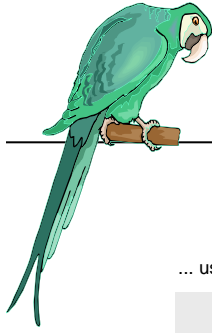
ACROSS CLUES:

3. A heated pan is a _____ pot.
6. A violin for a beetle would be a little _____.
7. A big flat boat is a large _____.
8. A stamp you have to wet with your tongue could be called a licker _____.
11. A long emerald vegetable is a _____ bean.
12. A clear breakable fish is a _____ bass.
13. A goofy friend is a _____ buddy.

DOWN CLUES:

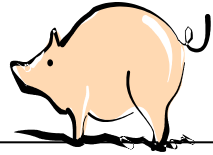
1. A piece of footwear that is colored like the sky is a blue _____.
2. A scarlet mattress is a red _____.
4. A glove for a little cat would be a _____ mitten.
5. A bottle for holding insects is a bug _____.
7. When the moon is full and no clouds cover it, you have a _____ night.
9. Sweet food that you dropped on the beach is sandy _____.
10. Trousers for a small insect are ant's _____.
11. A tan nightie is a brown _____.

Objectives: ...use vocabulary to describe clearly ideas, feelings, and experiences
 ...develop vocabulary through reading



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For younger students, cut each question into a separate square and work one question at a time as a group.

Can You Hink-Pink?

Objectives: ...represent text in different ways
... distinguish fiction from nonfiction, including fact and fantasy
... use knowledge of word order (syntax) and context to support word identification and confirm word meaning

Use the story to help you answer the questions below.

1. Which of these is the best hink-pink for clean frozen water?

- yummy snow cone
- soapy water
- nice ice
- nose y rose y

3. What is the best hink-pink for the fuzzy stuff on a big animal?

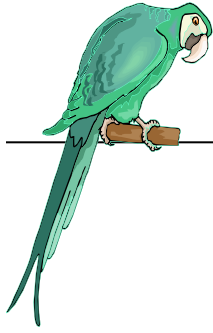
- elephant fur
- bear hair
- whale tail
- grape ape

2. What is the best hink-pink for a large hair piece?

- curly hair
- combed hair
- funny wig
- big wig

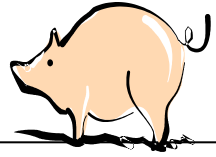
4. What is the best hink-pink for a music that does not stop?

- hour song
- cat hat
- long song
- sing song



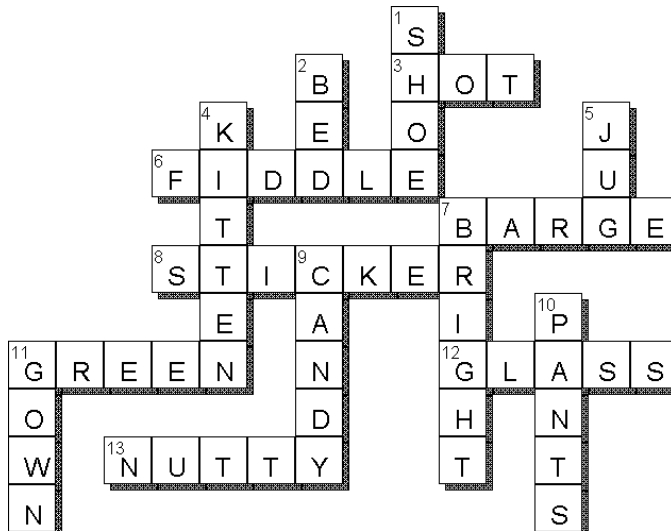
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