Phonemic Awareness Assessment

Rhyme

- A. Ask the child if the following word pairs rhyme.
- 1. cat/hat _____
- (yes)

2. pig/wig

__ (yes)

3. box/lip

(no)

4. man/mat

(no)

5. sun/run

(yes)

6. let/leg

- (no)
- B. Say the following rhyming word pairs.Ask the child to provide another rhyming word.
- 1. rack, sack _____
- 2. pop, hop _____
- 3. wing, king _____
- 4. goat, coat _____
- 5. wide, hide _____
- 6. bake, lake

Oddity Tasks

C. Make picture cards for the following word sets. Display each picture-card set. Ask the child to find the two pictures whose names <u>begin</u> with the same sound. Circle the child's choices.

1. <u>s</u>un

<u>s</u>ock

fish

2. <u>m</u>op

sun

<u>m</u>an

3. pig

leaf

log

4. <u>pig</u>

<u>p</u>an

dog

5. dog

ten

top

6. <u>f</u>an

leaf

fish

D. Make picture cards for the following word sets. Display each picture-card set. Ask the child to find the two pictures whose names <u>end</u> with the same sound. Circle the child's choices.

1. bat

rock

nut

2. cup

top

pen

3. te<u>n</u>

fa<u>n</u>

cup

4. bus

glass

bat

5. so<u>ck</u>

cup

rake

6. dog

leg

leaf

Oral Blending

E. Say the first sound of a word and then the rest of the word. Have the child say the word as a whole.

1. /s/...at

(sat)

2. /m/...op

(mop)

3. /f/...ish

(fish)

4. /l/...ock

(lock)

5. /t/...ape

(tape)

6. /b/...ox

(box)

F. Say each word sound by sound. Ask the child to say the word as a whole.

1. /m/ /e/

(me)

2. /s/ /a/

____ (say)

3. $f / |\overline{e}| / t /$

(feet)

4. /s/ /u/ /n/

(sun)

5. /m/ /a/ /k/

(make)

6. /l/ /a/ /z/ /e/ _____

(lazy)

Oral Segmentation

- G. Say each word. Ask the child to clap the number of syllables he or she hears in each word.
- 1. pencil
- (2)

- 2. map
- _____
- (1)

- 3. tomato
- ____
- (3)

4. bookmark

(2)

5. elephant

(3)

- 6. rock
- ____
- (1)
- H. Say each word. Have the child say the first sound he or she hears in each word.
- 1. sun
- ____
- (/s/)

- 2. mop
- _____
- (/m/)

- 3. leaf
- ____
- (/I/)

- 4. top
- ____
- (/t/)

- 5. candle
- ____
- (/k/)

- 6. yellow
- ____
- (/y/)

I. Say each word. Have the child say the last sound he or she hears in each word.

- 1. bat ____ (/t/)
- 2. hop _____ (/p/)
- 3. red ____ (/d/)
- 4. take ____ (/k/)
- 5. glass ____ (/s/)
- 6. leaf ____ (/f/)

J. Say each word. Have the child say each word sound by sound.

- 1. see ____ (/s/ /ē/)
- 2. my _____ (/m/ $/\bar{i}$ /)
- 3. lake ____ (/l/ /a/ /k/)
- 4. rain ____ (/r/ /a/ /n/)
- 5. tub ____ (/t/ /u/ /b/)
- 6. rocks ____ (/r/ /o/ /k/ /s/)

Phonemic Manipulation

- K. Say each word. Have the child say the word without the first sound.
- 1. sun
- (un)

- 2. mat
- ____
- (at)

- 3. leaf
- _____
- (eaf)

- 4. ship
- _____
- (ip)

- 5. bike
- ____
- (ike)

- 6. stop
- ____
- (top)
- K. Say each word. Have the child replace the first sound in the word with /s/.
- 1. mad
- ____
- (sad)

- 2. run
- _____
- (sun)

- 3. cat
- ____
- (sat)

- 4. pick
- _____
- (sick)

- 5. hand
- ____
- (sand)

- 6. chip
- _____
- (sip)