



Name Game

Play a guessing game using only the names of the children in the class. On a whiteboard/chart paper, make spaces for the number of letters in the name of one child and all of the letters of the alphabet below the spaces. Children will take turns guessing a letter in the name, working as a team to determine who it is. Cross off a letter once it is “guessed.”

Teach Letter Names and Sounds

“Yes, it has one ‘T’ at the beginning. Hmm, whose names start with the letter T and has a /t/ sound at the beginning?”

“We have two children with a ‘C’ in their names. I wonder which one this is? Which letter should we try next?”