

“Vocabulary Matching Game (Concentration)”: Preparation instructions for teacher:

Print on heavy paper or paste onto colored paper or blank cards (so the pictures don't show through to the back of the paper), laminate, cut into cards, and store in the learning center folder, held with a rubber band or in an envelope.

This game has two versions. Make the version that is appropriate for your learners.

- Version 1: For beginning learners, who are just learning the *oral* vocabulary, you can make a set of two matching cards with the same picture and word on both cards. They will not be able to read the English words, but some students who are able to learn using the “whole word” approach may “absorb” what the words look like and start to associate the printed word with its sound.
- Version 2: For more advanced learners who are learning to *read and write* the words, make a set of matching cards with the picture on one card and the English name of the object on the other.

