



Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening

Pre-K

Kindergarten

Grades 1–3

# Sound Switch

Literacy Skills / Letter Sounds



## Materials

1. Large alphabet cards
2. Pocket chart



## Virginia SOLs

K.4, K.7, 1.6

## Procedure

1. Place letters in a pocket chart to form a simple one syllable word (e.g. cat). Distribute other letters to students.
2. Point to each letter in the pocket chart and have the class say the sound. Ask children to blend the sounds together to form the word.
3. Invite volunteers to create new words by placing their letters over those in the pocket chart, such as placing the letter m over c to form the word mat. Have children blend the new sounds together and decide whether or not the new word makes sense.

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C

D

E

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