Picture Schedule
Literacy Skills / Concept of Word

Materials
1. Your daily schedule represented by pictures
2. Word cards with one word descriptions of scheduled activities

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Procedure
1. This activity can be a great part of your morning meeting routine. Children will eventually acquire schedule words (e.g., lunch, recess, read) as a part of their sight word vocabulary. Walk students through the class schedule, matching word cards with picture cards.

2. Ensure that the picture cards have clear, distinct meanings (e.g., a lunch box means lunch, a ball means recess, backpack means dismissal).

3. Pick one child each morning to “read” the schedule.

4. EXTENSION: If the daily schedule changes, you can address the changes in the morning message using the schedule words and symbols.