

Rhyming bingo



Main purpose: To experience and appreciate rhythm and rhyme and to develop awareness of rhythm and rhyme in speech

Give your child a set of three pictures of objects with rhyming names eg cat, hat, rat.
Give yourself three pictures too eg dog, log, frog.
(Such pictures are readily available commercially.)

Hide in a bag a set of pictures or objects matching the pictures you have given your child and yourself.

You take turns to draw out of the bag one object or picture at a time. Encourage your child to call out when they see an object or picture that rhymes with theirs and to collect it from you. You must do the same with your pictures!

After each rhyming set is completed chant together and list the rhyming names. As you name objects give emphasis to the rhyming pattern.

This game works better with more than two people playing it.