

Component:	English Language Arts
Grade Level:	2 nd Grade
Lesson Title:	Onsets and Rimes
Focus:	Vocabulary (Onsets and Rimes), Clarifying and Commas

Materials:

Activities at the end of the lesson plan

White board and crayons

Opening

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Fluency Activity of the Day

Speed Reading: Have students form a circle. Number them of, 1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2 and so forth. Having the students stay in the circle, have the twos move to stand in front of the person who said "1" on his/her left. Give each student an opportunity to read aloud to his/her partner for 1 minute. Have one of the circles move and repeat the process. Have the other circle move and repeat for the third time.

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Clarifying:

Individual Show-Off: Before class, use several of the interesting words in a sentence in the same way that is used in the material. Write the sentences on a sentence strip. Students choose a sentence from the container. The student acts out the word as it is used in the sentence. For example, if the word is mariachi, the student might pretend he is a member of a Mariachi Band playing the trumpet.

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Onsets



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qu	r	S	t
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2nd Grade Comma Cards

Jorge likes to hike swim and dive.	At the movie I like hot buttery popcorn.	At the zoo we saw a giraffe, apes, and a snake.
He will crawl quietly, slowly, and carefully away	My classes are English math and science.	Please give the white wrinkled blouse to the neighbor.
Joni eats nuts fruit and yogurt for breakfast.	Jorge Fred and Mark play soccer for the club.	Do you have cake cookies and pie?
We can watch Twins Volcano or The Incredibles.	He jumps spins and twists while he skates.	I have invited Mary Lilly and Maria.
He went to school on Monday Tuesday and Wednesday.	Mom has a Jeep Toyota and Kia.	She drove by M N and O Streets.
Our flag is red white and blue.	Warm colors are red yellow and orange.	Cool colors are blue green and purple.
We had cheese pepperoni and sausage on our pizza.	Do you like Madona Lady Gaga or Miley Cyrus best?	We are having fish potatoes and salad for dinner
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Fluency Activity of the Day

Musical Shares: Have students stand up and walk around reading the passage that they are working on until the music stops. Students should pair up and read the next 2 sentences to the partner they find. Repeat as students practice.

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Three Words: share with students the topic for the day. Ask students to think about what they think will be shared in the materials that they will read. Ask a student to read the title of the material. Choose one word from the title. Write that word on the board or a piece of chart paper. Ask students to look at the picture. Choose one word that the picture brings to mind and write that word on the board. Finally, Give students a copy of the text and ask them to randomly select one word from the text and write that one on the board as well. The students will then work in pairs and using those three words will write a description of what they believe the story will be about.

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Quotation Marks

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Quotation Marks

Directions:

- 1. Divide students into pairs.
- 2. Give each pair a Conversation Starter card and white boards or paper.
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- 4. When pair has finished the conversation they should share what they have written with another pair.

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2nd Grade Quotation Marks



Conversation Starter

Write a conversation between Sally and Mark about the soccer game on Friday afternoon. Sally and Mark are on the same team. They have won 6 games and lost 2. They are playing their greatest rivals, the Cheetahs. After the game tonight they will be going to pizza.

Write a conversation between Jack and Jill. The twins have decided to go for a walk because they need some water. They have decided to go up the nearby hill to the Mini Market. It I a dangerous trip, but they are up to it.

Write a conversation between you and your mother. You are going to help her fix dinner. You are going to have hamburgers and baked beans. For dessert you will be fixing chocolate brownies.

Write a conversation that you will have with your best friend about your upcoming birthday party. Talk about the theme of your party, who you will invite, what you will do, and what you will have for supper and breakfast after the sleep over.



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Activity

Predicting

Find the Evidence: On chart paper, write these two heading: predictions and Evidence. Use a different colored marker for each column. List several predications. As you begin to read the material, ask students to look for evidence of their predictions. For example, if the prediction is, "There is a sad and lonely duck," the evidence might be, "The duck always walked alone."

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-ice	-ing	-ink	-ight
-ick	-ill	-in	-it
-ock	-op	-ug	-ump
-unk			

Onsets



b	С	d	f
g	h	j	k
I	m	n	р
qu	r	S	t
V	W	Z	wh
sh	th	ch	bl
br	dr	sl	st
str	fl	sn	tr
tw	pl	pr	cl



Component:	English Language Arts
Grade Level:	2 nd Grade
Lesson Title:	Rimes ell est ain
Focus:	Vocabulary (Onsets and Rimes), Clarifying, and Quotation Marks

Materials:

Activities at the end of the lesson plan

White boards and crayons

Opening

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- 6. Celebrate success.
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Fluency Activity of the Day

Independent Timed Reading: Have students work in pairs and use a three minute egg timer or look at the clock to keep time. As the first student begins to read the passage, the partner either turns over the egg timer or begins watching the clock. At the end of 2 minutes (if students are watching a clock, or three minutes is using the egg timer, the partner calls "Stop" and the number of words are counted. Process is repeated for the other students. Students record the number of words read on their reading chart.

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Clarifying:

Silly Questions: Partner students to create silly questions from the interesting words that they have selected. Ask students to join two words, in other words make a silly question or sentence utilizing two of the words. For example, if the words are adder, hermit, waterfall, bat, cave, and bridge, a silly sentence/questions would be, "Can an adder be a hermit? Will a bat fly through a waterfall? Is there a cave under the bridge?

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Ouotation Marks

Quotation Marks are a punctuation mark that come in pairs and surround the words that people say. The first of a pair of quotation marks comes before what the person says: "I like chips," said Fred. Before putting the second part of the pair of quotation marks in the sentence, you would add a comma or some other punctuation mark (?) or (!) and then the quotation marks. The part of the sentence who states who is talking may go before the quote or after the quote. Have students say several thing and write them on the board in quotation format, using the student's name to indicate who said or asked what.

Quotation Marks

Directions:

- 1. Divide students into pairs.
- 2. Give each pair a Conversation Starter card and white boards or paper.
- 3. Pair should write a conversation between the characters in the Conversation Starter.
- 4. When pair has finished the conversation they should share what they have written with another pair.

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Onsets



b	С	d	f
g	h	j	k
I	m	n	p
qu	r	S	t
V	W	Z	wh
sh	th	ch	bl
br	dr	sl	st
str	fl	sn	tr
tw	pl	pr	cl



2nd Grade Quotation Marks

Conversation Starter

Write a conversation between Sally and Mark about the soccer game on Friday afternoon.

Sally and Mark are on the same team. They have won 6 games and lost 2. They are playing their greatest rivals, the Cheetahs. After the game tonight they will be going to pizza.

Write a conversation between Jack and Jill. The twins have decided to go for a walk because they need some water. They have decided to go up the nearby hill to the Mini Market. It I a dangerous trip, but they are up to it.

Write a conversation between you and your mother. You are going to help her fix dinner. You are going to have hamburgers and baked beans. For dessert you will be fixing chocolate brownies.

Write a conversation that you will have with your best friend about your upcoming birthday party. Talk about the theme of your party, who you will invite, what you will do, and what you will have for supper and breakfast after the sleep over.



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LBNT

Have students share what they like best about today's ELA activities and list that under the heading: LB or Liked Best Have students share what they would want more of next time during the ELA activities and list that under the heading of NT or Next Time.

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Grade Level:	2 nd Grade
Lesson Title:	Rimes ing ink ite
Focus:	Vocabulary (Onsets and Rimes), Questioning, and Commas

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Fluency Activity of the Day

Slow Reading: Utilize this process when you want students to work on accuracy. By doing slow-motion reading, students really look at each and every word becoming certain of each word, pronouncing it correctly. This makes the words more recognizable when students are reading quickly.

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Questioning:

Question and Connection: Students form groups of four or five. Student read the information. Students develop Question and Connect Cards for what they have read. The group then finds another group and trades questions. Students answer the other team's questions, going back and forth.

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Commas

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It is important to practice placing commas in dates and to separate city and state. Have students give you several examples of each and write them on the board or chart, discussing the punctuation of each one.

Date and Place

Directions:

- 1. Divide students into pairs.
- 2. Give each pair a set of Date and Place cards.
- 3. Shuffle the cards and place face down between the students.
- 4. Player 1 draws a card and reads the sentence, including the commas. For example if the sentence is: I live in San Francisco California, the player would say: I live in San Francisco (comma) California.
- 5. If Player 2 agrees, then Player 1 keeps the card and Player 2 continues the play. If Player 2 successfully challenges Player 1, the card goes to the bottom of the deck.
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-ice	-ing	-ink	-ight
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Onsets

b	С	d	f
g	h	j	k
	m	n	р
qu	r	S	t
V	W	Z	wh
sh	th	ch	bl
br	dr	sl	st
str	fl	sn	tr
tw	pl	pr	cl



2nd Grade Dates and Places

We went on Tuesday April 13.	His birthday is Monday June 9.	She was born June 15 2000.
He was born in San Diego California.	Her first trip was to Austin Texas.	No one will go to Nome Alaska in the winter.
It was Wednesday July 10 1989.	Jill will graduate June 2012.	He arrived Friday August 31.
He will fly to Kona Hawaii.	The map showed the way to New Orleans Louisiana.	The factory is in Akron Ohio.
Her flight was scheduled for Tuesday May 27.	School started on Tuesday September 3 2010.	Karen was born on Monday July 15.
The plane flew over Harrisburg Pennsylvania.	He used to live in Portland Maine.	Her trip took her to Olympia Washington.
Tomorrow will be Wednesday July 9 2010.	The wedding is Friday May 5 2011.	His party is on Tuesday October 15.
How many times have you gone to Los Angeles California?	Have you ever been to Atlanta Georgia?	Las Vegas Nevada is a rapidly growing city.
He drove down Main Street in Bangor Maine.	He likes to shop in Phoenix Arizona.	Yesterday was Saturday August 13 2010.



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- 6. Celebrate success.
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Fluency Activity of the Day

Paired Readings: Partner students together. One partner times the other partner reading a passage. At the end of one minute, the partner says "Stop" and circles the last word the reader has read. The partners switch rolls. Complete this process three times.

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Rimes for today:

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Activity

Questioning:

I Wonder: Have the students read the information with a partner. Students should then ask themselves the question, "I wonder what I would do if this happened to me?" For example, the story is the tortoise and the Hare. The hare seems to be winning the race. I wonder what I would do if I were the tortoise? I wonder what I would do if I were the hare? I wonder how I would feel if the hare was making fun of me? I wonder....

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Sentence Types

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Categorize 'Em Directions:

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- 1. Divide students into pairs.
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- sentences on 3 x 5 cards.
- When all of the sentences have been transcribed, have pairs post them on a chart that is divided into 4 columns (declarative, interrogative, imperative, exclamatory).
- Review the cards, moving them if necessary.

	Closing
Say:	Review Please recap what we did today. Did we achieve our objectives?
3-2-1	Debrief

- Share 3 things you like about today's lesson.
- Share 2 questions you have that were not answered.
- Share 1 thing that you will use tomorrow that you practiced today.

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All Read: During this activity, all of the students read aloud at the same time. Even if the students are not on the same passage, reading aloud will help them slow down and really practice each word. While students are reading, walk around. Touch a student on the shoulder to indicate that they should begin reading aloud so you can hear them.

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10 or Less: Ask students to summarize in ten words or less the material that they have read. They can answer questions like, "what was the best part of what you read? What didn't you like about what you read? What could make the material better? In what way will this information apply to your life?

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- 3. Pairs should prepare the white boards by dividing each into two columns and labeling each column with one of the following categories: declarative, interrogative,

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- imperative, exclamatory.
- 4. Pairs should review each of the sentences and determine which type of sentence each is.
- 5. Pairs should place the card under the correct column on the white boards. (declarative, interrogative, imperative, exclamatory).
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		Closing	
		Review	
Say:			
•	Please recap what we did today.		
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DIGA

- **D**: Describe one of the ELA activities that we did today.
- **I:** Interpret that activity to your own experience and your own school work.
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Lesson Title:	Rimes ab ack ash
Focus:	Vocabulary (Onsets and Rimes), Summarizing, and Commas

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Fluency Activity of the Day

Chunk Reading: This process helps youth to read more quickly by seeing phrases or groups of words, instead of reading "word by word". For example, look at the following two sentences:

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Somebody/Wanted? But? So: This is a good way to summarize a story. Provide students with a white board or a piece of paper. Fold the paper into fourths. Write the headings in each square: 1st Square: somebody (Identify the character), 2nd Square: Wanted (Describe the character's goal), 3nd Square: But (Describe the conflict or the problem), 4th Square: So (Describe the resolution of the conflict.)

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Commas

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It is important to practice placing commas in dates and to separate city and state. Have students give you several examples of each and write them on the board or chart, discussing the punctuation of each one.

Date and Place

Directions:

- 1. Divide students into pairs.
- 2. Give each pair a set of Date and Place cards.
- 3. Shuffle the cards and place face down between the students.
- 4. Player 1 draws a card and reads the sentence, including the commas. For example if the sentence is: I live in San Francisco California, the player would say: I live in San Francisco (comma) California.
- 5. If Player 2 agrees, then Player 1 keeps the card and Player 2 continues the play. If Player 2 successfully challenges Player 1, the card goes to the bottom of the deck

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6. Game is over when all cards have been drawn.

	Closing	
	Review	
Say:		
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 Did we achieve our objectives? 		
	Debrief	

LBNT

Have students share what they like best about today's ELA activities and list that under the heading: LB or Liked Best Have students share what they would want more of next time during the ELA activities and list that under the heading of NT or Next Time.

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2nd Grade Dates and Places

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KIDS

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Component:	English Language Arts
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Lesson Title:	Student Activity Choice
Focus:	Review Vocabulary and Conventions

Materials:

Activities from Days 1 - 10

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Opening

State the objective

The purpose of these lessons are to:

- Improve fluency (the ability to read smoothly).
- Increase vocabulary (both academic and other words).
- Practice Reciprocal Teaching (predicting, clarifying, questioning, and summarizing).
- Work on being proficient at the conventions of writing which include capitalization, punctuation, spelling, sentence types, and grammar.

Gain prior knowledge by asking students the following questions

When you look at the words "cat" and "rat", they both have the same rime. What is the rime? The words "bin" and "tin" have a different onset. What is the onset? What is the onset and the rime of the word "pick" and "stick"? What are some of the strategies that you utilize to uncover the meaning of unfamiliar words?

What is the importance of asking questions to strengthen your understanding of what you have read?

Beyond fluency, it is important to read with correct phrasing and expression. What can you do to accomplish this?

Content (the "Meat")

Fluency

Repeated Reading is a key strategy that research has found to be incredibly effective in building fluency. Repeated Reading means exactly that—students read and re-read the same passage, practicing not only the unique words but the sight words that make up of 65% of the written words. For reading passages see information in the side note.

Repeated Reading Process

- 1. Give student a passage to read at his/her appropriate reading level. It would be better to be a passage that is easily read than one that they are struggling with. Remember that they are practicing the sight words and phrases that make up about 65% of the text.
- 2. Have students read for 1 minute and count the number of words read in the minute.
- 3. Record the number of words read on a chart.
- 4. For 8 days practice the SAME passage, using a different practice activities listed in the lesson plan.
- 5. Have students read the passage for 1 minute and then count the words read. Record the number of words next to the first number recorded.

*Activity → Teachable Moment(s) *throughout*

Repeated Reading passages can be found at:

www.readinga-z.com (This is a subscription fee site).

Check with the school day to see if the textbook has these passages (most do).

Select a book that is at the child's reading level and have them select 250-300 words to practice (even if they move on with the story).



- 6. Celebrate success.
- 7. Students should stay on the same passage level for 4-6 weeks and then transition students to the next level.

Fluency Activity of the Day

Retest student, read for 1 minute compare results with the pre-test.

Vocabulary

Vocabulary development is a huge part of becoming proficient in reading. This section will build both academic vocabulary and important text vocabulary.

Onsets and Rimes

Onsets and Rimes make up words. An example of this would be the rime "ip". You can add a number of onsets to the rime "ip" to form new words. For example here are words that can be made with the rime "ip"

did

chip

dip

drip

flip

hip lip

ijΡ

nip pip

rip

strip

ship

sip

slip

snip

tip

whip zip

The onsets can be a single consonant, a blend like tr, sl or sn, or a digraph like ch, sh, th, wh.

Today students will create as many words as possible with a number of different rimes. There will be a different set of rimes for each day. Students will need both rime cards as well as consonant, blend, and digraph cards. Pairs will work together to create as many words as possible, writing those words on a white board. Ask pairs to share the word lists with another pair.

The onset cards will be used every day. The rime cards will be specific to a single day.

Rimes for today:

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Recipioca	I Teaching

There are four sections of Reciprocal Teaching:

During the lesson check in with students repeatedly.



Predicting (what do you think will happen next—not a guess but based on evidence in the text.

Clarifying (understanding the meaning of each of the words—remember that many English words have multiple meanings).

Questioning (asking right there, interpretive, and applying questions so you can utilize the information).

Summarizing (listing the key bullet points of what you've read—not retelling detail by detail).

For Reciprocal Teaching you may use a trade book (you can buy these in any book store or check them out of the library, or you may be interested in subscribing to Reading A-Z and having access to a large variety of books and other texts.

Check in about what is happening and what they are thinking.

Take advantage of any teachable moments.

Stop the class and focus on a student's key learning or understanding. Ask openended questions to determine what the rest of the group is thinking.

Activity

Q and S

Question and Connection #2: Ask all students to form a group of 4-5 students. In the group, someone asks a question about what was read and everyone must provide a different answer. Students should provide the answer in a complete sentence. Summarizing:

Did you know? In this activity pair students with one another. The first student asks, "Did you know...?" and then adds a piece of information that he/she has learned from the reading. The second student responds either "yes" or "no", and then asks, "Did you know...?" this continues until each student has asked 3-5 questions.

Conventions

This section will have activities and games that will focus on spelling, capitalization, punctuation, sentence structures, and grammar. Once the game has been learned, it can be used as a "when homework is finished" activity.

Today is a review day of all of the games and/or activities that students have played for the last eleven days. Have students choose from the following:

Write It Categorize 'Em Commas Date and Place Ouotation Marks Often, this activity will be centered on a game to provide practice time on key conventions. Be sure to check in with kids to determine if they have and understanding of these key elements.



		Closing	
		Review	
Say:			
•	Please recap what we did today.		
•	Did we achieve our objectives?		
		Debrief	

LBNT

Have students share what they like best about today's ELA activities and list that under the heading: LB or Liked Best Have students share what they would want more of next time during the ELA activities and list that under the heading of NT or Next Time.

Reflection (Confirm, Tweak, Aha!)

- 1. Ask students to think about what they did today.
- 2. Ask them to comment on what they did today was something they already knew how to do. (Confirmation)
- 3. Ask them to comment on what they did today that was like something they had done before except in one particular way which was new to them. (Tweak)
- 4. Ask them to comment on something (if anything) they have learned today that was brand new to them. (Aha!)



2nd Grade Onset and Rime Cards

-at	-ap	-an	-all
-ank	-ay	-aw	-ab
-ack	-ash	-ake	-ame
-ate	-ain	-eat	-ell
-est	-ide	-ine	-ip
-ice	-ing	-ink	-ight
-ick	-ill	-in	-it
-ock	-op	-ug	-ump
-unk	-ot		



Onsets

b	С	d	f
g	h	j	k
I	m	n	p
qu	r	S	t
V	W	Z	wh
sh	th	ch	bl
br	dr	sl	st
str	fl	sn	tr
tw	pl	pr	cl