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# “It’s a...” Bundle Therapy for Expressive Naming Disorders

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## **“It’s a...” Bundle: Therapy for Expressive Naming Disorders**

*Have you ever had difficulty finding materials suitable for your patients with aphasia, especially those on either end of the continuum of language skills? The stimuli on this CD were chosen to cover the full range of expressive language impairment, from the most to the least impaired.*

### **“It’s a...” Bundle:**

#### **“It’s a...”**

##### *Inside; Outside; At Work; At Play*

Everyday objects found around the house, office, yard, garage, and in leisure activities are included in this section. The 100 words are mostly familiar but some unusual features of an object may be included to encourage further conversation. The objects include leisure items that can encourage retrieval of distant memories and newer, modern items for comparison to current objects found in the home.

##### *Miscellaneous 1-25; 26-50; 51-75; 76-100*

Sometimes the goal of therapy is to discuss a wide range of topics. “Miscellaneous” has numerous photographs of people engaged in various activities. The pictures were chosen to provide an opportunity to use specific verbs in conversation. There is a range of climates and locales to initiate conversation about weather and locations. The household objects and animals have some easy to name items and some more difficult ones. The backgrounds vary from a clean uncluttered background with the picture surrounded by white to the target item surrounded by the natural environment. This allows naming practice in both a simple and complex figure/ground background.

##### *Fruits; Vegetables; Snacks; Meals; Las Comidas Típicas*

Familiar food items are generally easy to name and have a high interest level. We all want to be able to choose our menu. The 125 pictures are placed in five categories. They are: fruits, vegetables, snacks, meals, and foods from Latin America, Mexico, and Spain. The photographs are arranged hierarchically from most familiar to least familiar.

##### *Set 1; Set 2; Set 3; Mixed*

The three “Set” buttons allow the clinician to choose client-specific groups of pictures. The “Mixed” button means that the computer will present the 325 pictures in the “It’s a...” game in random order.

#### **“It’s a...” Animals**

##### *House; Ranch/Farm; Forest; Mountain; Desert; Insects; River/Lake; Ocean; Africa; Jungle; Prairie/Grasslands; Tundra/Arctic*

The most basic photographic and written stimuli are of animals around the house. There is a hierarchical progression through animals that live in the jungles, oceans, and other habitats of the world to the final (12th) category of animals on the tundra or those in arctic weather. The one category that is not by habitat is the *Insect* category, since insects are in all habitats! There are 120 animals to talk about.

You will undoubtedly notice that some animals could be located in more than one habitat. While it was difficult to make a final determination, we chose the groupings based on where the photograph was taken and the logic of keeping animals in familiar settings, which should lead to easier recall of the word.



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And a One, Two, Three

*One Syllable; Two Syllables; Three Syllables; Four Syllables; Five Syllables; Six Syllables;  
1-3 Syllables; 4-6 Syllables; Mix All*

This syllable segmentation game is a great tool for stimulating expressive language in clients with aphasia. The difficulty levels are easily controlled by choosing 1-6 syllables for expressive practice. The “Record and Play” feature allows clients to record their own speech, listen to it, and judge their intelligibility. Practicing the same stimuli day after day is rewarding for most adults with aphasia. They have reported how pleasant it is to practice choral speech production by chiming in when the computer is presenting the stimuli. There are 360 words to practice and each has a corresponding picture to help with recall and vocabulary stimulation. This is also an excellent activity for those clients with verbal apraxia.

ABC

*What’s My Name?; What’s My Sound?; What’s My Alphabet?; What’s My IPA Symbol?*

This simple game shows the sounds, symbols, and alphabet names for the English alphabet. It also has a “Record and Playback” feature that allows clients to listen to their productions of the sounds.

Who Needs this Bundle?

The games included in this bundle are intended for clients with weaknesses or dysfunctions in naming. The goal of therapy is to improve accuracy, fluency, and speed of word retrieval. It is appropriate for Rancho Levels III, V, VI, VII, VIII, and requires attention, discrimination, processing, and conceptualization of speech sounds, words, phrases, and sentences. Confrontation naming problems are common in patients with anterior lesions (Broca’s aphasia) and individuals with language-learning disabilities. However, there seems to be no consensus as to the location in the brain that is responsible for, “naming” (Hegde 1994). In their book, *Conversations with Neil’s Brain*, William Calvin, a neurophysiologist, and George Ojemann, a neurosurgeon, describe how they map the language areas of patients’ brains before doing surgery for epilepsy. Concerning the areas for naming they say,

Many different patterns of naming areas are encountered in patients with left-brain dominance for language. In a few such patients, only frontal naming areas could be identified: apparently these patients have no posterior language areas, although their language seems normal. In a few other patients, only temporal naming areas are present: stimulating Broca’s areas simply does not disrupt naming.

Why Work on Naming?

The treatment of naming difficulties is usually undertaken because an inability to name items affects fluency in conversational speech. It is true, however, that adults are infrequently asked, “What is it?” In this program, we will provide several types of cueing strategies. Different people respond differently to cueing strategies. Keep records to determine which combinations of strategies teach self-cueing behaviors. Use these strategies to establish carryover activities.

How Do You Work on Naming?

There are at least two processes involved. Getting the information in, i.e., “storage” and getting the information out, “retrieval.” Naming tasks are usually of two types, *visual confrontation* and *responsive naming*. In visual confrontation the client is shown a picture of an object and is expected to name the object. If the visual stimulus does not elicit a response, an auditory or gestural stimulus can be provided to help with recall. It is presumed that the name of the item is logged into long term storage and the problem is one of retrieval. In responsive naming, the client responds to a characteristic of the object, “What do you eat with?” I prefer to use the structure words (color, size, shape, etc.) from the program, *Visualizing and Verbalizing for Language Comprehension and Thinking* (Bell 1991) or describe functional characteristics for cueing. “I use a hammer to pound a ....”



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### ***How Do You Develop Naming Strategies?***

Several types of cueing strategies to facilitate word recall are: phonetic cues, associative-semantic class cues, sentence completion, melodic stress cueing, and multiple choice cueing (Wiig and Semel 1984).

The strategies of modeling, sentence completion, and initial sound cue are the ones I have chosen for inclusion on this CD. We have provided five other buttons to individualize this program for your clients. Hedge (1994) describes the following cueing hierarchies:

Modeling	What is this? It's a ...
Sentence completion	"You write with a ..."
Phonetic cues	"... starts with a p..."
Syllabic cues	tap out syllables "ta-ble-cloth"
Silent phonetic cues	Clinician begins to make the initial sound with articulators but without sound.
Functional description	"It is something you read..."
Description and demonstration of action	Client describes the stimuli for naming and cues self. "I use it to write with. It's a pen."
Client demonstrates the function of the item.	Gesture to cue the word.
Written cue	Client matches word to the item.
Spelled cue	Client spells word, then says the word.
Writing cue	Client writes the word, then says it.
Presentation of a sound to evoke a name	"meow"
Repeated trials	Client evokes the correct response through drill.



## “It’s a ...” Bundle: Therapy for Expressive Naming Disorders

“It’s a...”; “It’s a...” Animals

- Categories** Clinicians will find pictures in the following categories: (1) everyday objects found around the house, office, yard, garage, and in leisure activities; (2) a variety of pictures to stimulate conversation; (3) fruits, vegetables, snacks, meals, and Spanish food, and (4) animals in a variety of habitats including house, ranch/farm, forest, mountain, desert, river/lake, ocean, Africa, jungle, prairie/grasslands, and tundra/arctic. There is also an insect category.
- Objective** The client will see a picture, hear it labelled, and record their imitation of the word, phrase, or sentence. They can tally whether the production was spontaneous or imitative and whether it was correct or incorrect. The user-definable buttons allow for more client-specific stimuli presentation and individualized objectives.
- Monitoring and Self-Monitoring:** The clinician can track spontaneous and imitative responses and whether these responses were correct or incorrect by clicking on *Spontaneous Correct* (or type *Z*), *Spontaneous Incorrect* (*A*), *Imitative Correct* (*C*), or *Imitative Incorrect* (*I* or *E*). Use the “Record and Play” feature to record and listen to the client’s production of the target. Alternate between the model and the client’s recorded words. Stress the importance of the concept that, “Contrast aids perception.” Listen for the similarities and differences between the two productions. Have the client monitor their own speech and determine accuracy using the *CI* buttons. Compare the client’s perception of accuracy with your own. You may use the *CI* buttons each time the client says the target word to keep a running tally of accuracy.
- Transfer activities** can include writing on the homework sheets and recording new phrases and sentences for the target word. These recordings can be saved by selecting the “Save Recordings” feature in the Options screen.
- Generalization** can be practiced through recording “spontaneous conversations” that have the target word used somewhere in the conversation. The record feature will allow several minutes of recording if there is room on your hard drive to save the file temporarily. Permanent storage of recordings is possible. See the *Options 2* section for details.
- How to Play** The clinician will assist the client in choosing a series of target words. The client will listen to each word as it is pronounced and try to replicate the sound. The client may listen to the word again by clicking on the *Word* button. Use the record button to record their voice. They may click on the *What?* button to listen and respond to a direct question. The client can use the *It’s a...* button to listen, then copy the short sentence containing the target word. After listening carefully, the client can choose *It’s a \_\_\_* and finish the sentence with the target word. Then the client will click on the *Sentence* button to hear the word used in a sentence. The client will repeat the sentence and may say another sentence using the word.
- Response Options** Use the touchscreen or mouse to select the *Word*, *What?*, *It’s a...*, *It’s a \_\_\_*, or *Sentence*, button to hear the target word spoken. If keyboard entry is allowed, you may type the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 and you will hear the sound corresponding to the *Word* (1), *What is it?* (2), etc. Use key combination “Control T” to toggle between allowing keyboard input and not allowing keyboard input.
- When you are finished with a screen, click on the *right arrow* or use the right arrow key to move to the next screen. The *left arrow* allows you to repeat the previous screen. The up arrow key or the *up arrow* on the *volume* button increases the volume and the down arrow decreases the volume. If you turn the volume off, you can scroll faster through the pictures using the right or left arrow keys. *H* takes you to the *Help* screen. *X* allows a quick exit from the program. The *Print* button allows you to print the picture on a homework page. Refer to the *I Like Keys* insert for more keyboard shortcuts.
- Recording Options** To record your client’s speech, click on one of the *Your Text* buttons and the *Record* button will turn red. Click on the red button to record your client’s speech. Click on *Stop* to stop the recording. Play it back by clicking on the highlighted *Your Text* button.



- Options** *Random/Sequential; Display the Words, Phrases, and Sentences/Hide the Words Phrases, and Sentences; Finish Speech/Interrupt Speech; Uninterrupted play of stimuli is achieved by clicking on Play each sound then go to the next picture.*
- Options 2** The second page of options requires a password because quick little fingers can change your plans for therapy when you aren't looking. Type the password **Options**, in the space after "More Options: Enter Password"
- Choose Picture Sets** allows you to control which pictures are presented. You can create three ("It's a...") or four ("It's a..." Animals) picture sets that are saved from session to session, and name the sets to assist you in remembering which pictures were chosen. Click on the *Choose Picture Sets* button to display a screen with selection buttons and the current names for the sets. Highlight the name you want to change and type over it. The name you choose will be displayed on the main screen of the game. You can group the words any way you wish. You might choose to establish sets by client, "John's Words", subject, "Animals", "Places", or objective, "pre-Tx", "post-Tx". Double-click on the button next to the set name or click on the *Choose Pictures* button to choose which pictures belong to the selected set. Click on each picture you would like to include. There are 13 pages of pictures to choose from. When you have finished picking pictures for a set, click on the *Finished* button. This will return you to the screen with the set labels. Click on the *Return to the Game* button to return to the *Options* screen.
- Save Recordings** The default is to not save any recordings. If you want to save recordings so that they are available for the next session, choose *Save New Recordings*. Any new recording that is made for a word, phrase, or sentence will be saved and available for future use. If this option is selected any recording that is done during the session will erase the previous sounds and words for the button that is selected when the recording is made.
- Lock Finish Button** allows you to keep clients from exiting the game too soon. While you are playing the game, you can bypass the lock by typing the key combination "Control F". Be careful to keep this trick a secret. Note: You must have the game set to allow keyboard entry before it will recognize the "Control F" keys. To turn on keyboard entry (if it is off) type "Control T".
- Choose First Speech Sound** allows you to choose which stimuli you want presented first. If you have a client who is unable to break a "What is it?" perseveration, you may want to start with "It's a...". Further along in the program you may want to give just the initial sound cue. The default is to start on the left with "Word" and move sequentially through all the buttons. If you haven't taped anything under the *Your Text* buttons, the computer will not play any sound when that button is selected for the first speech sound. The white boxes around the *Your Text* buttons indicate that the button text may be changed. Highlight the current label and type the label that you want to use.
- Allow Keyboard Entry** The program will allow you to type in your own labels for each picture. The default is to allow keyboard entry. If Keyboard Entry is allowed, then the keyboard shortcut keys are not active. While playing the game, use the key combination, "Control T" to toggle between allowing typing and not allowing it. Note: This option does not control whether the words are saved. That option is controlled by the *Save Recordings* option as described above.
- Screens** 445 Photographs
- Game Results** By Picture Set: Number of Spontaneous Correct and Incorrect Productions, Number of Imitative Correct and Incorrect Productions, Number of Pictures Viewed, and Average Time per Screen
- Rationale** If word retrieval is the task, it requires accurate storage of new information and precise, rapid, and fluent retrieval of any stored information. A speech task requires the ability to attend to a series of complex auditory stimuli, analyze the sound segments, and imitate these sounds in sequence. It requires auditory processing at the sound, syllable, phrase, and sentence levels with imitative or spontaneous expressive articulatory production.
- Word Selection** The words chosen for "It's a..." are, for the most part, words familiar to most children and adults but there are several unusual and less familiar words included intentionally. The less familiar words can be used to assist with developing learning strategies for vocabulary building.





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## **Alternative Uses for the “It’s a...” CD Program**

Modifications of target words can be made easily which makes this game also appropriate for children and adults learning English as a second language. Clients with auditory processing dysfunction (APD), auditory conceptualization dysfunction, reading and spelling disorders, autism, stuttering, apraxia, dysarthria, aphasia, and speech containing circumlocutions, neologisms, and paraphasias may also benefit from this activity.

### ***Auditory Processing Disorder***

Recent research indicates that phonemic processing is critical to auditory processing of connected speech. This CD allows for auditory processing of speech sounds at the word and sentence levels. You could add phonemic (s - ea- l) or syllabic (ma - ri - na) processing by recording individual words and typing in the sounds and syllables using one of the user-defined sounds buttons. This slowing down and segmentation of the word allows the listener to process the phonemic units that make up the word, imitate the units, record their production, and play back their speech to self-monitor. Self-correction and self-monitoring are the first steps in automatic integrated auditory processing and accurate verbal expression.

### ***Literacy Development and Dyslexia***

If no word has been recorded for a user-defined sounds button, click on it and the space for the word or phrase will be blank. Have the client type in a word or words for spelling practice. In small groups the others can read what has been typed. If the *Save Recordings* option is turned off, the word will be erased when they go to the next screen. *Transfer activity:* Use the homework pages to practice copying the word and spelling new sentences. If the *Save Recordings* option is turned on, the text the client types will be printed on the homework pages. If your clients copy the word from the computer screen to a word list, they are also developing shifting attention skills, visual perceptual, and motor sequencing skills.

### ***Auditory Memory and Working Memory***

Requiring *forward and backward repetition* of the words, phrases, and sentences can help those with short term memory problems as well as those with sustained and shifting attention difficulties. Use felt squares on the table to “anchor” the sounds in sequence. I have used this process of repetition to increase the amount of information a client can hold in working memory. The process of forward repetition can teach the compensatory strategy of “re-auditorization.” If you can develop your “internal tape recorder” you have a chance to replay and thus comprehend auditory information.

### ***Aphasia Therapy***

The pictures in this CD can be used to stimulate conversational speech, check auditory comprehension, and to practice repetition, naming, writing, and reading skills. Use the record features to make your own cueing strategies. The program is designed to present a speech model at the word, and sentence levels. You can always record your own, “It’s a...” phrases, sentence completion, or phonemic cue sentences for individualized cueing. The record feature will allow several minutes of recording but will save the recording only if the *Save Recordings* option is selected.

### ***Right Hemisphere Syndrome***

The treatment of right hemisphere dysfunction will include visual scanning, reading, writing, speech intonation, perception of affect, comprehension of humor, idioms, metaphors, and logic. The pictures can be used as a launching point for describing the details of visual images such as, color, size, shape, number, smell, taste, sound, perspective, movement, mood, and background. The main idea of the picture can be identified to assist with focusing on relevant stimuli and ignoring irrelevant details. An extension activity can be used to have the individual tell what could happen next. Clients will need to understand the gestalt of the picture story before making their own extension sentences or inferring meaning from the picture. Questions such as, “What was the dog doing?” and, “Why do you think he might be feeling that way?” encourage them to tell brief stories. These can be taped using the recording feature and played back to allow some processing of their own speech. You could track topic maintenance or appropriateness of responses.

### ***Traumatic Brain Injury***

The communication deficits related to TBI often include dysarthria, auditory and reading comprehension problems, anomia, and pragmatic language disorders. In a small group setting, the CD can be used to present a stimuli and allow the individuals to practice turn taking, appropriate conversation, and topic maintenance. It is possible to use the recording features for feedback and self-monitoring on perseverative responses, inappropriate laughter, swearing, and off task responses. Use of the *Sequential* presentation option can allow the clinician to present the same stimuli each day. As the client progresses, you can increase the variability for responses using the *Random* option. Repeating the word, phrases, and sentences forward and backward at a level in which your client is successful 85% of the time, will develop working memory, short-term memory skills, and mental flexibility. I always use felt squares to “anchor” the words.



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### ***Dysarthria and Apraxia***

Auditory feedback is critical for self-monitoring of dysarthric speech. The pictures were chosen for familiarity and “picturability.” The screen was designed to allow printed and/or auditory stimuli. A client with apraxia may prefer to have the words displayed and use the buttons for self-paced imitative speech practice. The client with dysarthria may choose to practice using the record feature to listen to their speech with the goal of improving intelligibility for phrases and sentences. Most clients can practice on their own or with an assistant. Use of the *CI* button will allow the client to keep track of their perception of the accuracy of reproduction of the stimulus. The comparison of *their* perception of intelligibility and *your* perception of intelligibility can be insightful when planning therapy goals.

### ***Dialect***

As for the way I talk, I was born in Pennsylvania, have lived in Ohio, Georgia, Maryland, Washington D.C., and five cities in California. I know my speech does not represent the entire country, but does approximate the “Newscaster’s American Dialect.” You are not limited to my way of pronouncing words and choosing sentences. You may use the five buttons below the prerecorded buttons to record your own words and sentences in a regional dialect or even a foreign language.

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## “Es...” Comida

*Frutas; Verduras; Meriendas; Comidas; Las Comidas Típicas; Mezcla*  
*Usa para determinar siete grupos conservados*

## “It’s a...” Food

*Fruit; Vegetables; Snacks; Meals; Las Comidas Típicas; Mixed*  
*Seven user-definable buttons for saving groups of pictures*

**Objective** The client will see a picture, hear it labelled, and record their imitation of the word, phrase, or sentence. They can tally whether the production was spontaneous or imitative and whether it was correct or incorrect. Seven user-definable buttons allow for more client-specific stimuli presentation and individualized objectives.

**Monitoring and Self-Monitoring** The clinician can track spontaneous and imitative responses and whether these responses were correct or incorrect by clicking on *Espontáneo C* (or type Z), *Espontáneo I* (or type A), *Imitar C* (or type C), or *Imitar I* (type I or E). Use the “Record and Play” feature (described below) to record and listen to the client’s production of the target. Alternate between the model and the client’s recorded words. Stress the importance of the concept that, “Contrast aids perception.” Listen for the similarities and differences between the two productions. Have the client monitor their own speech and determine accuracy using the *CI* (*Correcto/Incorrecto*) buttons. Compare the client’s perception of accuracy with your own. You may use the *CI* buttons each time the client says the target word to keep a running tally of accuracy.

**Transfer activities** These include writing on the homework sheets and recording new phrases and sentences for the target word. These recordings can be saved by selecting the “Save Recordings” feature in the *Opciones* (*Options*) screen.

**Generalization** This can be practiced through recording “spontaneous conversations” that have the target word used somewhere in the conversation. The record feature will allow several minutes of recording if there is room on your hard drive to save the file temporarily. Permanent storage of recordings is possible. See the options section for details.

**How to Play** The clinician will assist the client in choosing a series of target words. The client will listen to the word as it is pronounced and try to replicate the sound. The client may listen to the word again by clicking on the *Palabra* (*Word*) button. Use the record button to record their voice. They may click on the *¿Que Vez?* (*What do you see?/ What is it?*) button to listen and respond to a direct question. The client can use the *Es un...* (*It’s a...*) button to listen, then copy the short sentence containing the target word. After listening carefully, the client can choose *Es un \_\_\_* (*It’s a \_\_\_*) and finish the sentence with the target word. Then the client will click on the *Oración* (*Sentence*) button to hear the word used in a sentence. The client will repeat the sentence and may say another sentence using the word.

**Response Options** Use the touchscreen or mouse to select the *Word*, *What?*, *It’s a...*, *It’s a \_\_\_*, or *Sentence*, button to hear the target word spoken. If keyboard entry is allowed, you may type the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 and you will hear the sound corresponding to the *Word* (1), *What is it?* (2), etc. Use key combination “Control T” to toggle between allowing keyboard input and not allowing keyboard input. When you are finished with a screen, click on the *right arrow* or use the right arrow key to move to the next screen. The *left arrow* allows you to repeat the previous screen. The up arrow key or the *up arrow* on the *Volumen* (*Volume*) button increases the volume and the down arrow decreases the volume. If you turn the volume off, you can scroll faster through the pictures using the right or left arrow keys. *H* takes you to the *Asistencia* (*Help*) screen. *X* allows a quick *exit* from the program. The *Imprimir* (*Print*) button allows you to print the picture on a homework page. Refer to the *Me Gustan las Teclas* (*I Like Keys*) insert for more keyboard shortcuts.

**Recording Options** To record your client’s speech, click on one of the *Su Texto* (*Your Text*) buttons and the *Grabar* (*Record*) button will turn red. Click on the red button to record your client’s speech. Click on (*Parar*) *Stop* to stop the recording. Play it back by clicking on the highlighted *Su Texto* (*Your Text*) button.



- Options** *Al Azar/Secuencia (Random/Sequential), Esconde las Palabras/Se Muestra las Palabras (Hide Words/Show Words), Terminar el Habla/Interrumpir el Habla (Finish Speech/Interrupt Speech).* Uninterrupted play of each stimuli is achieved by clicking on *Toque cada sonido y sigue al próximo retrato (Play each sound then go to the next picture)*
- Options 2** The second page of options requires a password because quick little fingers can change your plans for therapy when you aren't looking. The password is the word **Options**. Type the password in the space after "More Options: Enter Password"
- Escoje Grupos de Retratos (Choose Picture Sets)** allows you to control which pictures are presented. You can create seven picture sets that are saved from session to session, and name the sets to assist you in remembering which pictures were chosen. Click on the *Escoje Grupos de Retratos (Choose Picture Sets)* button to display a screen with selection buttons and the current name of each set. Highlight the name you want to change and type over it. The name you choose will be displayed on the main screen of the game. You can group the words any way you wish. You might choose to establish sets by client, "John's Words", subject, "Animals", "Places", or objective, "pre-Tx", "post-Tx". Double-click on the button next to the set name or click on the *Escoje los Retratos (Choose Pictures)* button to choose which pictures belong to the selected set. Click on each picture you would like to include. When you have finished picking pictures for a set, click on the *Terminado (Finished)* button. This will return you to the screen with the set labels. Click on the *Regresa (Return to Game)* button to return to the *Opciones (Options)* screen.
- Guarda las Grabaciones (Save Recordings)** The default is to not save any recordings. If you want to save recordings so that they are available for the next session, choose *Guarda las Grabaciones Nuevas (Save New Recordings)*. Any new recording that is made for a word, phrase, or sentence will be saved and available for future use. If this option is selected any recording that is done during the session will erase the previous sounds and words for the button that is selected when the recording is made.
- Encierre el Botón al Terminar (Lock Finish Button)** allows you to keep kids from exiting the game too soon. While you are playing the game, you can bypass the lock by typing the key combination "Control F". Be careful to keep this trick a secret. Note: You must have the game set to allow keyboard entry before it will recognize the "Control F" keys. To turn on keyboard entry (if it is off) type "Control T".
- Escoje el Primer Sonido (Choose First Speech Sound)** allows you to choose which stimuli you want presented first. If you have a child who is unable to break a "What is it?" perseveration, you may want to start with "It's a...". Further along in the program you may want to give just the initial sound cue. The default is to start on the left with "Word" and move sequentially through all the buttons. If you haven't taped anything under the *Su Texto (Your Text)* buttons, the computer will not play any sound when that button is selected for the first speech sound. The white boxes around the *Your Text* buttons indicate that the button text may be changed. Highlight the current label and type the label that you want to use.
- Permite Selección por Tecla (Allow Keyboard Entry)** The program will allow you to type in your own labels for each picture. The default is to allow keyboard entry. If Keyboard Entry is allowed, then the keyboard shortcut keys are not active. Use the key combination, "Control T" to toggle between allowing typing and not allowing it. Note: This option does not control whether the words are saved. That option is controlled by the *Save Recordings* option as described above.
- Categories** Five of the buttons on the main screen are permanently set to display specific pictures. The five buttons each display 25 pictures in a category. The Mixed button displays all 125 pictures—randomly chosen. The *Grupo (Set)* buttons allow you to choose which of the 125 pictures you want to put in a special set. Use the *Opciones (Options)* screen to choose the pictures. (See *Options 2*).
- Screens** 125 Photographs
- Game Results** Grupo de Retratos (By Picture Set): Cantidad de Producciones Espontaneas/Imitado Correctas y Errores (Number of Spontaneous/Imitative Correct and Incorrect Productions), Cantidad de Retratos Vistos (Number of Pictures Viewed), y Tiempo Promedio (Average Time per Screen)
- Rationale** If word retrieval is the task, it requires accurate storage of new information and precise, rapid, and fluent retrieval of any stored information. A speech task requires the ability to attend to a series of complex auditory stimuli, analyze the sound segments, and imitate these sounds in sequence. It requires auditory processing at the sound, syllable, phrase, and sentence levels with imitative or spontaneous expressive articulatory production.



## “Es...” Animales

*Casa; Granjas/Fincas; Bosque; Montañas; Desierto; Insectos;  
Río/Lago; Océano; África; Selva; Pradera; Tundra/Ártico; Usa para  
Determinar Grupos Conservados*

## “It’s a...” Animals

*House; Ranch/Farm; Forest; Mountain; Desert; Insect;  
River/Lake; Ocean; Africa; Jungle; Prairie/Grasslands; Tundra/Arctic;  
Four User-Definable Buttons*

- Objective** The client will see a picture, hear it labelled, and record their imitation of the word, phrase, or sentence. They can tally whether the production was spontaneous or imitative and whether it was correct or incorrect. Five user-definable buttons allow for more client-specific stimuli presentation and individualized objectives.
- Monitoring and Self-Monitoring** The clinician can track spontaneous and imitative responses and whether these responses were correct or incorrect by clicking on *Espontáneo C* (or type Z), *Espontáneo I* (or type A), *Imitar C* (or type C), or *Imitar I* (type I or E). Use the “Record and Play” feature to record and listen to the client's production of the target. Alternate between the model and the client's recorded words. Stress the importance of the concept that, “Contrast aids perception.” Listen for the similarities and differences between the two productions. Have the client monitor their own speech and determine accuracy using the *CI* (*Correct/Incorrect*) buttons. Compare the client's perception of accuracy with your own. You may use the *CI* buttons each time the client says the target word to keep a running tally of accuracy.
- Transfer activities** These include writing on the homework sheets and recording new phrases and sentences for the target word. These recordings can be saved by selecting the “Save Recordings” feature in the *Opciones* (*Options*) screen.
- Generalization** This can be practiced through recording “spontaneous conversations” that have the target word used somewhere in the conversation. The record feature will allow several minutes of recording if there is room on your hard drive to save the file temporarily. Permanent storage of recordings is possible. See the options section for details.
- How to Play** The clinician will assist the client in choosing a series of target words. The client will listen to the word as it is pronounced and try to replicate the sound. The client may listen to the word again by clicking on the *Palabra* (*Word*) button. Use the record button to record their voice. They may click on the *¿Que Vez?* (*What do you see?/ What is it?*) button to listen and respond to a direct question. The client can use the *Es un...* (*It's a...*) button to listen, then copy the short sentence containing the target word. After listening carefully, the client can choose *Es un\_\_\_* (*It's a \_\_\_*) and finish the sentence with the target word. Then the client will click on the *Oración* (*Sentence*) button to hear the word used in a sentence. The client will repeat the sentence and may say another sentence using the word.
- Response Options** Use the touchscreen or mouse to select the *Word*, *What ?*, *It's a...*, *It's a \_\_\_*, or *Sentence*, button to hear the target word spoken. If keyboard entry is allowed, you may type the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 and you will hear the sound corresponding to the *Word* (1), *What is it?* (2), etc. Use key combination “Control T” to toggle between allowing keyboard input and not allowing keyboard input. When you are finished with a screen, click on the *right arrow* or use the *right arrow* key to move to the next screen. The *left arrow* allows you to repeat the previous screen. The *up arrow* key or the *up arrow* on the *Volumen* (*Volume*) button increases the volume and the *down arrow* decreases the volume. If you turn the volume off, you can scroll faster through the pictures using the *right* or *left arrow* keys. *H* takes you to the *Asistencia* (*Help*) screen. *X* allows a quick *exit* from the program. The *Imprimir* (*Print*) button allows you to print the picture on a homework page. Refer to the *Me Gustan las Teclas* (*I Like Keys*) insert for more keyboard shortcuts.
- Options** *Al Azar/Secuencia* (*Random/Sequential*), *Esconde las Palabras/Se Muestra las Palabras* (*Hide Words/Show Words*), *Terminar el Habla/Interrumpir el Habla* (*Finish Speech/Interrupt Speech.*), *Calidad de Sonido* Uninterrupted play of each stimuli is achieved by clicking on *Toque cada sonido y sigue al próximo retrato* (*Play each sound then go to the next picture*)



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- Recording Options** To record your client's speech, click on one of the *Su Texto (Your Text)* buttons and the *Grabar (Record)* button will turn red. Click on the red button to record your client's speech. Click on *Parar (Stop)* to stop the recording. Play it back by clicking on the highlighted *Su Texto (Your Text)* button.
- Options 2** The second page of options requires a password because quick little fingers can change your plans for therapy when you aren't looking. The password is the word **Options**. Type the password in the space after "More Options: Enter Password."
- Escoje Grupos de Retratos (Choose Picture Sets)** allows you to control which pictures are presented. You can create four picture sets that are saved from session to session, and name the sets to assist you in remembering which pictures were chosen. Click on the *Escoje Grupos de Retratos (Choose Picture Sets)* button to display a screen with selection buttons and the current name for each set. Highlight the name you want to change and type over it. The name you choose will be displayed on the main screen of the game. You can group the words any way you wish. You might choose to establish sets by client, "John's Words", subject, "Animals", "Places", or objective, "pre-Tx", "post-Tx". Double-click on the button next to the set name or click on the *Escoje los Retratos (Choose Pictures)* button to choose which pictures belong to the selected set. Click on each picture you would like to include. When you have finished picking pictures for a set, click on the *Terminado (Finished)* button. This will return you to the screen with the set labels. Click on the *Regresa (Return to Game)* button to return to the *Opciones (Options)* screen.
- Guarda las Grabaciones (Save Recordings)** The default is to not save any recordings. If you want to save recordings so that they are available for the next session, choose *Guarda las Grabaciones Nuevas (Save New Recordings)*. Any new recording that is made for a word, phrase, or sentence will be saved and available for future use. If this option is selected any recording that is done during the session will erase the previous sounds and words for the button that is selected when the recording is made.
- Encierre el Botón al Terminar (Lock Finish Button)** allows you to keep kids from exiting the game too soon. While you are playing the game, you can bypass the lock by typing the key combination "Control F". Be careful to keep this trick a secret. Note: You must have the game set to allow keyboard entry before it will recognize the "Control F" keys. To turn on keyboard entry (if it is off) type "Control T".
- Escoje el Primer Sonido (Choose First Speech Sound)** allows you to choose which stimuli you want presented first. If you have a child who is unable to break a "What is it?" perseveration, you may want to start with "It's a...". Further along in the program you may want to give just the initial sound cue. The default is to start on the left with "Word" and move sequentially through all the buttons. If you haven't taped anything under the *Su Texto (Your Text)* buttons, the computer will not play any sound when that button is selected for the first speech sound. The white boxes around the *Your Text* buttons indicate that the button text may be changed. Highlight the current label and type the label that you want to use.
- Permite Selección por Tecla (Allow Keyboard Entry)** The program will allow you to type in your own labels for each picture. The default is to allow keyboard entry. If Keyboard Entry is allowed, then the keyboard shortcut keys are not active. Use the key combination, "Control T" to toggle between allowing typing and not allowing it. Note: This option does not control whether the words are saved. That option is controlled by the *Save Recordings* option as described above.
- Categories** Twelve of the buttons on the main screen are permanently set to display specific pictures. The twelve buttons each display 10 pictures in a category. The Mixed button displays all 120 pictures—randomly chosen. The *Grupo (Set)* button allows you to choose which of the 120 pictures you want to put in a special set. Use the Option screen to choose the pictures. It is possible to label *Your Set* as "Pat's words" or "Week 1" and devise a lesson plan for each word. To get to the second options screen, choose *Options* from the main screen, then enter the password and press *Return*. The password is the word **Options**.
- Screens** 120 Photographs
- Game Results** Grupo de Retratos (By Picture Set): Cantidad de Producciones Espontaneas/Imitado Correctas y Errores (Number of Spontaneous/Imitative Correct and Incorrect Productions), Cantidad de Retratos Vistos (Number of Pictures Viewed), y Tiempo Promedio (Average Time per Screen)
- Rationale** If word retrieval is the task, it requires accurate storage of new information and precise, rapid, and fluent retrieval of any stored information. A speech task requires the ability to attend to a series of complex auditory stimuli, analyze the sound segments, and imitate these sounds in sequence. It requires auditory processing at the sound, syllable, phrase, and sentence levels with imitative or spontaneous expressive articulatory production.



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### **Alternative Uses for the “Es...” Todo CD Program**

Modifications of target words can be made easily which makes this game also appropriate for children and adults learning English or Spanish as a second language. Clients with auditory processing dysfunction (APD), auditory conceptualization dysfunction, reading and spelling disorders, autism, stuttering, apraxia, dysarthria, aphasia, and speech containing circumlocutions, neologisms, and paraphasias may also benefit from this activity.

#### ***Auditory Processing Disorder***

Recent research indicates that phonemic processing is critical to auditory processing of connected speech. This CD allows for auditory processing of speech sounds at the word and sentence levels. You could add phonemic (s - ea- l) or syllabic (ma - ri - na) processing by recording individual words and typing in the sounds and syllables using one of the user-defined sounds buttons. This slowing down and segmentation of the word allows the listener to process the phonemic units that make up the word, imitate the units, record their production, and play back their speech to self-monitor. Self-correction and self-monitoring are the first steps in automatic integrated auditory processing and accurate verbal expression.

#### ***Literacy Development and Dyslexia***

If no word has been recorded for a user-defined sounds button, click on it and the space for the word or phrase will be blank. Have the client type in a word or words for spelling practice. In small groups the others can read what has been typed. If the *Save Recordings* option is turned off, the word will be erased when they go to the next screen. *Transfer activity:* Use the homework pages to practice copying the word and spelling new sentences. If the *Save Recordings* option is turned on, the text the client types will be printed on the homework pages. If your clients copy the word from the computer screen to a word list, they are also developing shifting attention skills, visual perceptual and motor sequencing skills.

#### ***Auditory Memory and Working Memory***

Requiring *forward and backward repetition* of the words, phrases, and sentences can help those with short term memory problems as well as those with sustained and shifting attention difficulties. Use felts on the table to “anchor” the sounds in sequence. I have used this process of repetition to increase the amount of information a client can hold in working memory. The process of forward repetition can teach the compensatory strategy of “reauditorization.” If you can develop your “internal tape recorder” you have a second chance to replay and thus comprehend auditory information.

#### ***Aphasia Therapy***

The pictures in this CD can be used to stimulate conversational speech, check auditory comprehension, and to practice repetition, naming, writing, and reading skills. Use the record features to make your own cueing strategies. The program is designed to present a speech model at the word, and sentence levels. You can always record your own, “It’s a...” phrases, sentence completion, or phonemic cue sentences for individualized cueing. The record feature will allow several minutes of recording but will save the recording only if the *Save Recordings* option is selected.

#### ***Right Hemisphere Syndrome***

The treatment of right hemisphere dysfunction will include visual scanning, reading, writing, speech intonation, perception of affect, comprehension of humor, idioms, metaphors, and logic. The pictures can be used as a launching point for describing the details of visual images such as, color, size, shape, number, smell, taste, sound, perspective, movement, mood, and background. The main idea of the picture can be identified to assist with focusing on relevant stimuli and ignoring irrelevant details. An extension activity can be used to have the individual tell what could happen next. Clients will need to understand the gestalt of the picture story before making their own extension sentences or inferring meaning from the picture. Questions such as, “What was the dog doing?” and, “Why do you think he might be feeling that way?” encourage them to tell brief stories. These can be taped using the recording feature and played back to allow some processing of their own speech. You could track topic maintenance, or appropriateness of responses.





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### ***Traumatic Brain Injury***

The communication deficits related to TBI often include dysarthria, auditory and reading comprehension problems, anomia, and pragmatic language disorders. In a small group setting, the CD can be used to present a stimuli and allow the individuals to practice turn taking, appropriate conversation, and topic maintenance. It is possible to use the recording features for feedback and self-monitoring on perseverative responses, inappropriate laughter, swearing, and off task responses. Use of the *Sequential* presentation option can allow the clinician to present the same stimuli each day. As the client progresses, you can increase the variability for responses using the *Random* option. Repeating the word, phrases, and sentences forward and backward at a level in which your client is successful 85% of the time, will develop working memory, short-term memory skills, and mental flexibility. I always use felt squares to “anchor” the words.

### ***Dysarthria and Apraxia***

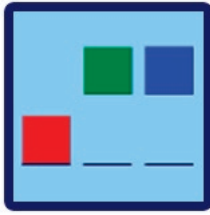
Auditory feedback is critical for self-monitoring of dysarthric speech. The pictures were chosen for familiarity and “picturability.” The screen was designed to allow printed and/or auditory stimuli. A client with apraxia may prefer to have the words displayed and use the buttons for self-paced imitative speech practice. The client with dysarthria may choose to practice using the record feature to listen to their speech with the goal of improving intelligibility for phrases and sentences. Most clients can practice on their own or with an assistant. Use of the *CI* button will allow the client to keep track of their perception of the accuracy of reproduction of the stimulus. The comparison of *their* perception of intelligibility and *your* perception of intelligibility can be insightful when planning therapy goals.

### ***Dialect***

We attempted to have a “global” translation of Spanish. When we had to make a choice between words we picked the word that was listed first in the dictionary or one that was the most consistent with the syllabification rule or phoneme choice for that game. Our speakers hail from South America and Mexico and tried to use a nonspecific dialect so the recorded speech could be easily understood. Since this program is designed for speech and language therapy, sometimes the speech was deliberately slowed down or exaggerated. We have found that this change in speech helps some individuals process the language more easily.

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## And a One, Two, Three

*One Syllable; Two Syllables; Three Syllables; Four Syllables;  
Five Syllables; Six Syllables; 1-3 Syllables; 4-6 Syllables;  
Mix All*

- Objective** The client will indicate the number of syllables for an auditorially presented word or phrase.
- How to Play** Listen to the word as it is pronounced and think about how many *syllables* there are in that word. Click on the *Syllables* button and the word will be said in syllable chunks. Count the number of syllable chunks. Tap out the number of chunks on the table, or clap the number of syllable chunks. You can use cut-out felt squares on the table in front of you to count the syllables. Play the *Syllables* button again and this time, the client will count the syllables to monitor and self-correct. When they are sure, they can pull down the colored squares from the pile and place one on the line for each *syllable* that is counted. The client can always pull down the colored squares, then click on *Syllables* to recheck their work.
- Response Options** *Touch screen:* Touch the colored square and drag it to the line below. Drag one colored square for each syllable chunk. Touch the *Word* button or the *Syllables* button to hear the word or syllables and see them displayed on the screen. Touch the *Check Answer* button to check your answer. This will automatically move you to the next screen if you are correct. Touch the *Show Answer* button if you would like the answer spoken and shown to you.  
*Keyboard:* The number keys 1-6 correspond to a colored square. If you type a *1*, the first colored square moves down, etc. Type *W* for *Word* or *Y* for *Syllable* to hear the word or syllables and see them displayed on the screen. Type *A* for the *Check Answer* button to check your answer. This will automatically move you to the next screen if you are correct. Type *L* for the *Show Answer* button to have the blocks display on the Line and hear the word spoken in syllable chunks.  
*Mouse:* Click on the colored square and drag it to the line below. Drag one colored square for each syllable chunk. Click on the *Word* button or the *Syllables* button to hear the word or syllables and see them displayed on the screen. Click on the *Check Answer* button to check your answer. This will automatically move you to the next screen if you are correct. Click on the *Show Answer* button if you would like the answer spoken and shown to you. The computer will play 20 pictures, then return to the menu screen. If you would like to continue at the same level with picture # 21 click on the small highlighted button. If you click on the big button with the game name, you will start over with picture #1. Clicking on the *right arrow* or pressing on the right arrow key moves you to the next screen without recording a correct or incorrect response. The *left arrow* allows you to repeat the previous screen. The up arrow key, or the *up arrow* on the *volume* button, increases the volume and the *down arrow* decreases the volume. If you turn the volume off, you can scroll faster through the pictures using the right or left arrow keys. *H* takes you to the *Help* screen. *X* allows a quick exit from the program. The *Print* button allows you to print the picture on a homework page. Refer to the *I Like Keys* insert for more keyboard shortcuts.
- Recording Options** Use the mouse to click on the VCR-like controls beneath the *Word* or *Syllables* buttons. The round red button records your voice. The red rectangular button stops the recording (or the playback) and the green triangular button plays the sound. If the buttons are gray they are not available.
- Options** *Go to Next Screen/Stay on Same Screen if Correct Answer; Random/Sequential; Display the Words, Phrases, and Sentences/Hide the Words, Phrases, and Sentences*
- Game Results** By Trial: Category, % Correct, % Distorted, % Incorrect, % Syllables Correct, and Average Time.
- Scoring** In order to score, the communication partner will need to click on one of the scoring buttons, C, D, or I. When the answer is correct (C), the computer will count it as correct. When incorrect (I) the computer will count it as wrong. If you get the answer incorrect and then fix your error, the computer will count that as one correct and one incorrect response, thus giving you a score of 50%. If, for example, on a sequence of 20, you make an error on 1 picture, then get it correct and move on to the next one, your score will be one error with 20 correct and your percent correct will be 20/21 which is equal to 95.2% correct. The purpose is to count the number of times the syllables are identified correctly. The same is true for the *CDI* scoring.





The computer keeps track of the number of times you indicated that the word was said correctly, distorted, or incorrectly over the total number of attempts at producing the word. There is no limit to the number of attempts at correct production for each page.

**To Save Your  
Clinical Log  
Notes**

After you have written your session notes, click on *Save Log*. When the white dialog box comes up, save to the desktop. Change the Save As title if you want to. Click on *Save*. The computer will save the results and the session notes.

**Rationale**

This task is intended for clients in Rancho Level VII and above as it requires the ability to attend to a complex auditory stimulus, analyze the sound segments, and holding this analysis in memory, perform a motor response. This task requires an appreciation of sound segments, the ability to link sound and symbol, and the motor ability to represent this information spatially.

**Alternative Uses for the *And a One, Two, Three* Program**

***Auditory Processing Disorder***

Recent research indicates that phonemic processing is critical to auditory processing of connected speech. This program allows for auditory processing of speech sounds at the syllable and word levels using the *Syllables* and *Word* buttons. This segmentation of the word allows the listener to process the phonemic units that make up the word, imitate the units, record their production, and play back their speech to self-monitor. Self-correction and self-monitoring are the first steps in automatic integrated auditory processing and accurate verbal expression.

***Dyslexia***

This game is appropriate for children and adults learning to read or those with reading and spelling difficulty. Refer to the *LocuTour Guide to Letters, Sounds, and Symbols* for more information about spelling and pronunciation rules. *Transfer activity*: Use the homework pages to practice copying the word and spelling new sentences. If your clients copy the word from the computer screen to a word list, they are also developing shifting attention skills, visual perceptual, and motor sequencing skills.

***Memory Disorders***

Requiring *forward and backward repetition* of the words can help those with short term memory problems, and sustained and shifting attention difficulties. Use felt squares on the table to “anchor” the sounds in sequence (e.g. For the word, “felt” the felt squares would represent the sounds /f/ /e/ /l/ /t/). It is probably too difficult and confusing to require backward repetition of syllables.

***Aphasia Therapy***

The pictures in this program can be used to stimulate conversational speech, check auditory comprehension, practice repetition, naming, writing, and reading skills. Use the record features to make your own cueing strategies. The record feature will allow several minutes of recording but will not save the recording when you move to the next page.

***Right Hemisphere Syndrome***

The treatment of right hemisphere dysfunction will include visual scanning, reading, writing, speech intonation, perception of affect, comprehension of humor, idioms, metaphors, and logic. The pictures can be used as a launching point for describing the details of visual images such as color, size, shape, number, smell, taste, sound, perspective, movement, mood, and background. The main idea of the picture can be identified to assist with focusing on relevant stimuli and ignoring irrelevant details. An extension activity can be used to have clients tell what could happen next. The clients will need to understand the gestalt of the picture story before making their own extension sentences or inferring meaning from the picture. Questions such as, “What was the dog doing?” and, “Why do you think he might be feeling that way?” encourage them to tell brief stories. These can be taped using the *Record* features and played back to allow some processing of their own speech. You could track topic maintenance, or appropriateness of responses.



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### ***Dysarthria and Apraxia***

Auditory feedback is critical for self-monitoring of dysarthric speech. The pictures were chosen for content, phonemic complexity, and "picturability." The screen was designed to allow printed and/or auditory stimuli. A client with apraxia may prefer to have the words displayed and use the *Word* and *Syllables* buttons for self-paced imitative speech practice. The client with dysarthria may choose to practice k/g sounds in words to improve intelligibility for phrases and sentences. Most clients can practice on their own or with an assistant. Use of the *CDI* button will allow the client to keep track of how they think their production of the stimuli was. The comparison of *their* perception of intelligibility and *your* perception of intelligibility can be insightful when planning therapy goals.



## ABC

*What's My Name?; What's My Sound?; What's My Alphabet?;  
What's My IPA Symbol?*

- Objective** The client will repeat letter names or letter sounds after the voice stimulus. The IPA symbols are for the clinician.
- How to Play** The client listens to the voice and watches the screen, then repeats the name of the letter or the sound of the letter. Click on the *Next* button to move to the next screen.
- Response Options** Click on the *Listen to the Sound* button to listen to the sound, letter name, or alphabet sequence again. The *left arrow* allows you to repeat the previous screen. The up arrow key, or the *up arrow* on the *volume* button, increases the volume and the *down arrow* decreases the volume. *H* takes you to the *Help* screen. *X* allows a quick exit from the program. The *Print* button allows you to print the picture on a homework page. Refer to *I Like Keys* for more keyboard shortcuts.
- Monitoring and Self-Monitoring** The client or clinician can determine if the client's target sound production should be scored Correct (C), Distorted (D), or Incorrect (I). Use the "Record and Play" features to record and listen to the client's production of the target. Alternate between the model and the client's recorded productions. Stress the importance of the concept that, "Contrast aids perception." Listen for the similarities and differences between the two productions. Have the client monitor their own speech and determine accuracy using the *CDI* button. Compare the client's perception of accuracy with your own. You may use the *CDI* button each time the client says the target to keep a running tally of accuracy.
- Recording Options** Use the mouse to click on the VCR-like controls beneath the *Listen to the Sound* button. The round red button records your voice. The red rectangular button stops the recording (or the playback) and the green triangular button plays the sound. If the buttons are gray they are not available.
- Options** *Random/Sequential*  
When the random option is chosen the pictures display in a randomly chosen order. They will continue to play in this order for subsequent trials at the same level. To reset the random sequence, start a new trial by clicking on the large button above the level buttons or start by pressing the spacebar. *Option R* will toggle the random feature on and off.
- Screens** Lower case sounds (56), Lowercase/Uppercase Names (52), Alphabet in sequence (18), IPA (36).
- Scoring** The computer keeps track of the number of times you indicated that the word was said correctly, distorted, or incorrectly over the total number of attempts at producing the word. You must click on the C (correct), D (Distorted), or I (Incorrect) buttons to score the client's response.
- Game Results** By Trial: Category, % Correct (C), % Distorted (D), and % Incorrect (I), and Average Time.
- Rationale** This task is intended for students in Rancho Levels VII and above and requires the ability to attend to an auditory stimulus. This task is designed to prepare the student for letter and word recognition tasks found on other LocuTour games. This game establishes the "rules" for consonant and vowel sounds utilized in the other games.
- Applications** This game is appropriate for children and adults learning language or pre-reading skills, or those with reading and spelling difficulty. This game can also help develop pronunciation skills with those individuals learning English as a second language.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Everyday Objects

### Inside

01 dog

The dog waits patiently for someone to come home.

02 cat

This cat is black and white.

03 cookie

The chocolate chip cookie is crunchy.

04 toothbrush

Use a toothbrush every day for healthy teeth.

05 rabbit

The fur on a rabbit is very soft.

06 eggs

Please pick up a dozen eggs on your way home.

07 chair

The chair has arms and legs.

08 comb

A comb can fit in your pocket.

09 glasses

I wear glasses to help me read.

10 goldfish

A goldfish swims around in the bowl.

11 video

It’s fun to watch movies on video.

12 catsup and mustard

Catsup and mustard are condiments.

13 pretzel

A pretzel has salt on top.

14 TV and VCR

This TV can also play tapes in the VCR.

15 CD

Most people call a compact disc a CD.

16 bag of groceries

Put the bag of groceries on the counter.

17 mask

This mask is carved from wood.

18 remote controls

The remote controls change the channels on the TV.

19 medication

Keep medication away from children.

20 speakers

Music is played through the speakers.

21 teapot

The tea has been steeping in the teapot.

22 audio cassette

My favorite music is on audio cassette.

23 globe

The continents are shown on the globe.

24 utensils

A fork, knife, and spoon are called utensils.

25 abacus

An abacus is a Chinese counting machine.

### Outside

01 mat

Wipe your feet on the mat at the front door.

02 flag

The American flag has stars and stripes.

03 mailbox

My letter carrier puts mail in the mailbox.

04 trash can

Garbage goes in the trash can.

05 stop sign

The stop sign has eight sides.

06 sunglasses

Wear sunglasses to protect your eyes.

07 dog bone

Where will he hide his dog bone?

08 wood

This wood will be used in a fireplace.

09 shopping cart

Grab a shopping cart before going into the store.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Everyday Objects

10 stoplight  
A yellow stoplight means caution.

11 umbrella  
It is dry under the umbrella.

12 brick  
A brick is heavy.

13 nest  
The nest has three blue eggs.

14 seashell  
The inside of the seashell has chambers.

15 pine cone  
A pine cone has many seeds.

16 lawn chair  
On a sunny day I sit in my lawn chair.

17 piñata  
The piñata is full of candy.

18 lantern  
Please pack the lantern for our camping trip.

19 package  
The package was wrapped in brown paper.

20 one-way sign  
It is important to see a one-way sign.

21 detour sign  
The detour sign directs you away from a hazard.

22 traffic barrier  
The traffic barrier warns of a closure.

23 sundial  
The sundial tells time by the sun.

24 snowshoes  
Use snowshoes to walk on snow.

25 decoy  
This decoy makes a nice decoration.

### At Work

01 slow sign  
Drive slower when you see the slow sign.

02 telephone  
Please answer the telephone.

03 camera  
A photographer uses a camera.

04 lunch box  
Fruit, sandwich, and a drink go in the lunch box.

05 newspapers  
Recycle the newspapers on Thursday.

06 gloves  
Work gloves protect your hands.

07 sponge  
I scrub with a sponge.

08 clipboard  
Coaches often use a clipboard.

09 briefcase  
Carry work papers in a briefcase.

10 tape measure  
I used the tape measure to measure the room.

11 computer  
The computer can be used for work or fun.

12 appointment book  
Use an appointment book for scheduling.

13 filing cabinet  
Filing cabinets keep the office organized.

14 address file  
Keep the address file up to date.

15 skeleton  
The doctor’s office has a skeleton.

16 charts  
Doctors and nurses write in the medical charts.

17 movie camera  
The movie camera was used on the set.

18 hard hat  
A hard hat protects you from injury.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Everyday Objects

19 wheelbarrow  
You can carry a heavy load in a wheelbarrow.

20 wire  
The wire was wrapped for storage.

21 phone jack  
The phone plugs into the phone jack.

22 change-maker  
The concessionaire had a change-maker.

23 fax machine  
Use the fax machine to send information quickly.

24 wood planer  
Use the wood planer to shave wood.

25 microscope  
Scientists look at organisms through a microscope.

### At Play

01 ball  
My ball bounces.

02 bicycle  
A bicycle has two wheels.

03 yo-yo  
Make the yo-yo go up and down.

04 robot  
I wish the robot could do my homework.

05 marbles  
Would you like to play a game of marbles?

06 baseball  
Have you ever played baseball?

07 football  
Can you show me how to throw a football?

08 basketball  
It is possible to score many points in basketball.

09 bowling ball  
A bowling ball rolls down the alley.

10 mitt  
Get your mitt and ball before the baseball game.

11 goggles  
Swim goggles protect your eyes in the pool.

12 soccer ball  
Run and kick the soccer ball.

13 guitar  
The guitar has a beautiful sound.

14 stereo  
I like to relax and listen to the stereo.

15 video camera  
The video camera captured her first steps.

16 dice  
Roll the dice on your turn.

17 bugle  
The bugle sound woke us up early in the morning.

18 life jacket  
A life jacket keeps your head above water.

19 canteen  
Be sure to take a canteen full of water.

20 dart board  
A bull’s eye is the center of the dart board.

21 harmonica  
Inhale and exhale to play the harmonica.

22 chess board  
The chess board is set up for a game.

23 paddle  
Use a ping pong paddle and ball for table tennis.

24 binoculars  
Binoculars are great for bird watching.

25 backgammon  
Do you know how to play backgammon?



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Miscellaneous

### Group 1

01 bear

It's a bear.

It's a b \_\_\_\_.

The bear is in the woods.

02 billy goat

It's a billy goat.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

The billy goat has a long beard.

03 bison

It's a bison.

It's a b \_\_\_\_.

The bison is eating grass.

04 bulldog

It's a bulldog.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

The bulldog has many wrinkles.

05 camel

It's a camel.

It's a c \_\_\_\_.

This camel has two humps.

06 cheetah

It's a cheetah.

It's a ch \_\_\_\_\_.

The cheetah has many spots.

07 donkey

It's a donkey.

It's a d \_\_\_\_\_.

A donkey says, "Hee, haw."

08 duck

It's a duck.

It's a d \_\_\_\_.

This duck has beautiful feathers.

09 elephant seal

It's an elephant seal.

It's an el \_\_\_\_\_.

The elephant seal is in the warm sun.

10 fish

It's a fish.

It's a f \_\_\_\_.

The fish lives in the ocean.

11 giraffe

It's a giraffe.

It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.

The giraffe has a very long neck.

12 gorilla

It's a gorilla.

It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.

The mother gorilla is holding her baby.

13 herd

It's a herd.

It's a h \_\_\_\_.

There are many gazelles in this herd.

14 hippo

It's a hippo.

It's a h \_\_\_\_.

The hippo is coming out of the water.

15 lamb

It's a lamb.

It's a l \_\_\_\_.

The lamb is sleeping.

16 monkey

It's a monkey.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

The monkey is looking at his foot.

17 orangutan

It's an orangutan.

It's an o \_\_\_\_\_.

The orangutan has long hair.

18 sea otter

It's a sea otter.

It's a s \_\_\_\_\_.

The furry sea otter floats on his back.

19 panda

It's a panda.

It's a p \_\_\_\_.

The panda's fur is black and white.

20 parrot

It's a parrot.

It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.

The parrot has bright yellow feathers.





## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Miscellaneous

21 pig  
It's a pig.  
It's a p \_\_\_\_.  
The pig is very fat.

22 porcupine  
It's a porcupine.  
It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.  
A porcupine has many quills.

23 rabbit  
It's a rabbit.  
It's a r \_\_\_\_\_.  
The rabbit has very long ears.

24 rhino  
It's a rhino.  
It's a r \_\_\_\_\_.  
The rhino has a sharp horn on its nose.

25 sea turtle  
It's a sea turtle.  
It's a s \_\_\_\_\_.  
A sea turtle has a hard shell.

### Group 2

01 seal  
It's a seal.  
It's a s \_\_\_\_\_.  
A seal barks, "Ark, ark."

02 snail  
It's a snail.  
It's a sn \_\_\_\_\_.  
A snail lives in its shell.

03 snake  
It's a snake.  
It's a sn \_\_\_\_\_.  
This snake is coiled.

04 sea star  
It's a sea star.  
It's a s \_\_\_\_\_.  
The sea star has five arms.

05 whale  
It's a whale.  
It's a wh \_\_\_\_\_.  
The large whale is jumping out of the water.

06 zebra  
It's a zebra.  
It's a z \_\_\_\_\_.  
This is a young zebra.

07 group  
It's a group.  
It's a gr \_\_\_\_\_.  
The group will be going on a boat.

08 couple  
It's a couple.  
It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.  
They are a singing couple.

09 outing  
It's an outing.  
It's an ou \_\_\_\_\_.  
The children are on an outing.

10 man  
It's a man.  
It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.  
The man is carving the watermelon.

11 baby  
It's a baby.  
It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.  
The baby is one day old.

12 trio  
It's a trio.  
It's a tr \_\_\_\_\_.  
The three girls are a trio.

13 boy  
It's a boy.  
It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.  
The happy boy is out of school.

14 girl  
It's a girl.  
It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.  
This girl can swing the hula hoops!

15 father and daughter  
It's a father and daughter.  
It's a f \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.  
The father is holding his daughter.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Miscellaneous

16 ranger

It's a ranger.

It's a r \_\_\_\_\_.

The ranger is showing the map.

17 desert

It's a desert.

It's a d \_\_\_\_\_.

The desert is very dry.

18 village

It's a village.

It's a v \_\_\_\_\_.

This village is in Africa.

19 dining room

It's a dining room.

It's a d \_\_\_\_\_.

This is a fancy dining room.

20 crosswalk

It's a crosswalk.

It's a cr \_\_\_\_\_.

The people are in the crosswalk.

21 city

It's a city.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

This city has many tall buildings.

22 carnival

It's a carnival.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

You can win prizes at the carnival.

23 cemetery

It's a cemetery.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

The soldiers were buried in the cemetery.

24 meadow

It's a meadow.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

It is peaceful on the grassy meadow.

25 marina

It's a marina.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

The marina is beside the ocean.

### Group 3

01 longhouse

It's a longhouse.

It's a l \_\_\_\_\_.

A longhouse is made of bark and sticks.

02 mountain

It's a mountain.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

The mountain is rocky.

03 cave

It's a cave.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

It is dark in the cave.

04 tar pit

It's a tar pit.

It's a t \_\_\_\_\_.

Animals got stuck in the tar pit.

05 sunset

It's a sunset.

It's a s \_\_\_\_\_.

It is a golden sunset.

06 living room

It's a living room.

It's a l \_\_\_\_\_.

There is a rug in the living room.

07 house

It's a house.

It's a h \_\_\_\_\_.

This house has many windows.

08 flower

It's a flower.

It's a fl \_\_\_\_\_.

This flower has yellow petals.

09 window

It's a window.

It's a w \_\_\_\_\_.

The shutters can protect the window.

10 Ferris wheel

It's a Ferris wheel.

It's a F \_\_\_\_\_.

The Ferris wheel is at the park.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Miscellaneous

11 hut

It's a hut.

It's a h \_\_\_\_.

The hut is made of sticks.

12 phone booth

It's a phone booth.

It's a ph \_\_\_\_\_.

That phone booth is painted red.

13 shadow

It's a shadow.

It's a sh \_\_\_\_\_.

Her shadow is dark.

14 cactus

It's a cactus.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

The cactus flower is red.

15 lily pad

It's a lily pad.

It's a l \_\_\_\_\_.

The lily pad floats on the water.

16 flower

It's a flower.

It's a fl \_\_\_\_\_.

A flower smells nice.

17 sign

It's a sign.

It's a s \_\_\_\_.

He is holding the stop sign.

18 parade

It's a parade.

It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.

The drummer is marching in the parade.

19 playground

It's a playground.

It's a pl \_\_\_\_\_.

He is swinging at the playground.

20 plane

It's a plane.

It's a pl \_\_\_\_.

The plane is in the air.

21 helicopter

It's a helicopter.

It's a h \_\_\_\_\_.

The helicopter can hover.

22 ambulance

It's an ambulance.

It's an am \_\_\_\_\_.

The ambulance is rushing to the emergency.

23 street cleaner

It's a street cleaner.

It's a str \_\_\_\_\_.

The street cleaner sweeps the streets.

24 monster truck

It's a monster truck.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

The monster truck has huge wheels.

25 boat

It's a boat.

It's a b \_\_\_\_.

The fisherman is on the boat.

### Group 4

01 splashing

It's a girl splashing.

It's a girl spl \_\_\_\_\_.

She is splashing in the puddle.

02 talking

It's a boy talking.

It's a boy t \_\_\_\_\_.

He is talking to his friend.

03 cutting

It's a woman cutting.

It's a woman c \_\_\_\_\_.

She is cutting his hair.

04 yawning

It's a dog yawning.

It's a dog y \_\_\_\_\_.

She is yawning.

05 drinking

It's a boy drinking.

It's a boy dr \_\_\_\_\_.

He is drinking juice.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Miscellaneous

06 digging  
It's a boy digging.  
It's a boy d \_\_\_\_\_.  
He is digging in the sand.

07 walking  
It's a family walking.  
It's a family w \_\_\_\_\_.  
They are walking.

08 patting  
It's a girl patting.  
It's a girl p \_\_\_\_\_.  
She is patting sand.

09 dropping rocks  
It's a girl dropping rocks.  
It's a girl dr \_\_\_\_\_.  
She is dropping rocks.

10 eating  
It's a group of girls eating.  
It's a group of girls ea \_\_\_\_\_.  
They are eating.

11 running  
It's a man running.  
It's a man r \_\_\_\_\_.  
He is running around the track.

12 hitting  
It's a girl hitting.  
It's a girl h \_\_\_\_\_.  
She will be hitting the ball.

13 learning  
It's a boy learning to carve.  
It's a boy l \_\_\_\_\_ to carve.  
He is learning from the man.

14 playing  
It's a soccer team playing.  
It's a soccer team pl \_\_\_\_\_.  
They are playing on the field.

15 wondering  
It's a girl wondering.  
It's a girl w \_\_\_\_\_.  
She was wondering, "Why do we have big toes?"

16 surfing  
It's a man surfing.  
It's a man s \_\_\_\_\_.  
He is surfing on the wave.

17 waiting  
It's a teenager waiting.  
It's a teenager w \_\_\_\_\_.  
She is waiting to hit the ball.

18 drumming  
It's a drumming team.  
It's a dr \_\_\_\_\_ team.  
They are drumming on congas.

19 winter  
It's a winter day.  
It's a w \_\_\_\_\_ day.  
It is cold in the winter.

20 spring  
It's a spring day.  
It's a spr \_\_\_ day.  
Spring days can be cloudy.

21 summer  
It's a summer day.  
It's a s \_\_\_\_\_ day.  
They rode horses one summer day.

22 fall  
It's a fall day.  
It's a f \_\_\_ day.  
The dog is hiding in the fall leaves.

23 foggy  
It's a foggy day.  
It's a f \_\_\_\_\_ day.  
It is foggy at the top of the mountain.

24 rainy  
It's a rainy day.  
It's a r \_\_\_\_\_ day.  
Everyone gets wet on a rainy day.

25 snowy  
It's a snowy day.  
It's a sn \_\_\_ day.  
It is quiet on a snowy day.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Food

### Fruit

1 bananas  
Bananas are fun to peel.

2 red apple  
My red apple is crunchy.

3 orange  
I see a juicy orange.

4 green apple  
I'd like a green apple, please.

5 green grapes  
The green grapes are on a stem.

6 peaches  
Peaches are fuzzy.

7 watermelon  
This watermelon has many seeds inside.

8 strawberry  
A strawberry has tiny seeds on the outside.

9 lemon  
The lemon tastes very sour.

10 pear  
This pear is golden brown.

11 red grapes  
These red grapes are in a bunch.

12 plum  
I would like a plum in my lunch.

13 pineapple  
Don't eat the outside of the pineapple.

14 cherries  
The cherries have small pits inside.

15 lime  
There are three slices of lime.

16 blueberries  
Blueberries taste good in pie.

17 cantaloupe  
I like cantaloupe for breakfast.

18 grapefruit  
Grapefruit is divided into many sections.

19 raspberry  
The raspberry is used in sauces and jams.

20 coconut  
The coconut grows on a palm tree.

21 apricot  
The apricot is related to the peach.

22 kiwi  
Kiwi is an unusual fruit.

23 papaya  
The papaya is oblong.

24 mangoes  
Mangoes are a tropical fruit.

25 pomegranate  
You can eat the seeds of the pomegranate.

### Vegetables

1 carrots  
The carrots are long and orange.

2 corn  
These are ears of corn.

3 potatoes  
Potatoes grow in the ground.

4 lettuce  
I like lettuce in my salad.

5 tomato  
I like tomato on my sandwich.

6 beans  
There are many kinds of beans.

7 peas  
The peas are found in the pod.

8 mushroom  
Mushroom slices are good on pizza.

9 pumpkin  
I like to carve a pumpkin on Halloween.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Food

10 broccoli  
The broccoli is green and crunchy.

11 pickles  
Dill pickles are my favorite snack.

12 cucumber  
The cucumber seeds can be eaten.

13 olives  
Green olives have pimientos inside.

14 green peppers  
Sliced green peppers are yummy.

15 avocado  
The avocado has a large brown seed.

16 red pepper  
The red pepper is sweet.

17 cauliflower  
I like to eat raw cauliflower.

18 string beans  
These string beans are long and thin.

19 hot peppers  
These hot peppers are multicolored.

20 red onion  
The red onion has a thin outer skin.

21 radish  
The radish is a root.

22 asparagus  
The asparagus is tied in a bundle.

23 eggplant  
The eggplant is purple and smooth.

24 artichoke  
I like to eat artichoke hearts.

25 brussels sprouts  
Fresh brussels sprouts taste good steamed.

### Snacks

1 cookies  
I like gingerbread cookies.

2 milk  
Milk is in the glass.

3 water  
We need to drink a lot of water.

4 candy  
I love chocolate candies.

5 cheese  
Cheese is made from milk.

6 potato chips  
Potato chips are made from potatoes.

7 french fries  
I dip my french fries in catsup.

8 cup of coffee  
The cup of fresh coffee is hot.

9 popcorn  
I like popcorn with butter and salt.

10 apple juice  
Apple juice is cold and sweet.

11 orange juice  
I drink fresh orange juice.

12 muffin  
The muffin has sliced almonds on top.

13 cake  
The cake has a sweet raspberry sauce.

14 donuts  
It's a treat to eat donuts for breakfast.

15 bagels  
Do you eat bagels?

16 nuts  
Which nuts are walnuts and which nuts are hazelnuts?

17 peanut  
The peanut shell is rough and curvy.

18 lemonade  
Lemonade is refreshing on a hot day.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Food

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| 19 chocolate sundae<br>A chocolate sundae is my favorite dessert. | 11 bacon and eggs<br>I sometimes eat bacon and eggs in the morning. |
| 20 loaves of bread<br>A bakery has many loaves of bread.          | 12 baked potato<br>The baked potato has foil around it.             |
| 21 fruit cup<br>A fruit cup is a delicious dessert.               | 13 salad<br>I like a green salad for dinner.                        |
| 22 custard<br>This creamy custard is called "flan".               | 14 pasta<br>Pasta is good with red sauce.                           |
| 23 sherbert<br>Sherbert is a frozen dessert.                      | 15 steak<br>This steak is not well done.                            |
| 24 pie a la mode<br>Pie a la mode means "ice cream on top".       | 16 fish<br>This cooked fish is served with fruit.                   |
| 25 pastry<br>This pastry has a flaky crust.                       | 17 lasagna<br>Lasagna has cheese, sauce, and pasta.                 |
| <b>Meals</b>                                                      | 18 frozen dinner<br>A frozen dinner is easy to make.                |
| 1 cereal<br>I eat cereal for breakfast.                           | 19 lobster<br>The lobster comes from the ocean.                     |
| 2 toast<br>Toast is warm and crunchy.                             | 20 baked ham<br>The baked ham is topped with pineapple rings.       |
| 3 hamburger<br>A hamburger is made of beef.                       | 21 shrimp<br>Only eat the soft part of the shrimp.                  |
| 4 hot dog<br>I like to eat a hot dog with mustard.                | 22 crabs<br>The crab meat is under the hard shell.                  |
| 5 pizza<br>The pizza has lots of toppings.                        | 23 quesadilla<br>The quesadilla is filled with cheese.              |
| 6 sandwich<br>I can make a cheese sandwich.                       | 24 clams<br>These clam shells decorate the pasta dish.              |
| 7 waffles<br>I like waffles with blueberries.                     | 25 omelet<br>You would be full if you ate this omelet!              |
| 8 macaroni and cheese<br>The macaroni and cheese is ready.        |                                                                     |
| 9 soup<br>Soup is good for you.                                   |                                                                     |
| 10 taco<br>The taco has lettuce and cheese.                       |                                                                     |





## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Food

### Las Comidas Típicas

01 rice

Rice can be tricky to cook.

02 burrito

The beans and cheese are rolled into a burrito.

03 tamale

The corn tamale was wrapped in a corn husk.

04 enchiladas

The enchiladas have cheese inside and on top.

05 fajitas

You make fajitas with chicken, onions, and peppers.

06 refried beans

Refried beans taste good with salsa and chips.

07 black beans

Cooked black beans are soft.

08 tortillas

Warm a tortilla and spread it with butter.

09 menudo

Many people eat menudo for lunch.

10 sausage

Sausage is chopped up for a breakfast burrito.

11 fish salad

In Perú every restaurant serves the fish salad, cebiche.

12 meatball soup

I eat meatball soup before my meal.

13 cactus

The cactus plant can be cooked.

14 hot peppers

Hot peppers are used to spice up a meal.

15 garlic

Garlic is an herb made up of many bulbs.

16 green tomatoes

You can make salsa with green tomatoes.

17 jícama

Thin slices of jícama are tasty on a salad.

18 coriander

Coriander is a green leafy herb.

19 sweet potato

The sweet potato is orange inside.

20 squash

A squash can be baked or broiled.

21 fritter

This fritter is fried and sprinkled with cinnamon and sugar.

22 taquitos

The small rolled taquitos are deep fried.

23 salsa and chips

I enjoy salsa and chips.

24 horchata

Horchata is a sweet, nutty drink and is served cold.

25 fruit burrito

The fruit burrito is filled with blueberries.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Animals

### House Habitat

01 dog

It's a dog.

It's a... d \_\_.

A dog is a loyal companion.

02 cat

It's a cat.

It's a... c \_\_.

A cat can meow and purr.

03 rabbit

It's a rabbit.

It's a... r \_\_\_\_\_.

A soft fluffy rabbit is fun to pet.

04 guinea pig

It's a guinea pig.

It's a... g \_\_\_\_\_.

This furry guinea pig has many colors.

05 hamster

It's a hamster.

It's a... h \_\_\_\_\_.

This furry hamster is cute.

06 mouse

It's a mouse.

It's a... m \_\_\_\_\_.

This mouse is a pet.

07 bird

It's a bird.

It's a... b \_\_\_\_.

This bird's name is Emily.

08 fish

It's fish.

It's a... f \_\_\_\_.

The two fish are swimming.

09 lizard

It's a lizard.

It's a... l \_\_\_\_\_.

The lizard has a black and green tail.

10 snake

It's a snake.

It's a... s \_\_\_\_\_.

A snake has smooth shiny scales.

### Ranch/Farm Habitat

01 puppies

It's puppies.

It's... p \_\_\_\_\_.

The puppies are waiting for their mother.

02 cat

It's a cat.

It's a... c \_\_\_\_.

The coat on this cat is striped and fluffy.

03 cow

It's a cow.

It's a... c \_\_\_\_.

Find the udder on this cow.

04 pig

It's a pig.

It's a... p \_\_\_\_.

The pig has rolled in the mud to keep cool.

05 horse

It's a horse.

It's a... h \_\_\_\_\_.

The mother horse is next to her foal.

06 sheep

It's sheep.

It's... sh \_\_\_\_.

The herd of sheep moves through the grass.

07 chicken

It's a chicken.

It's a... ch \_\_\_\_\_.

A chicken must protect her chicks.

08 goat

It's a goat.

It's a... g \_\_\_\_.

The horns on this goat curve backward.

09 duck

It's ducks.

It's a... d \_\_\_\_.

This duck has an orange beak.

10 rooster

It's a rooster.

It's a... r \_\_\_\_\_.

The rooster has a red comb and wattle.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Animals

### Forest Habitat

01 bird

It's a bird.

It's a b \_\_\_\_.

The bird is perched on the branch.

02 wolf

It's a wolf.

It's a w \_\_\_\_.

A howling wolf is a mournful sound.

03 cardinal

It's a cardinal.

It's a c \_\_\_\_.

This cardinal is a scarlet-colored bird.

04 porcupine

It's a porcupine.

It's a p \_\_\_\_.

Porcupine quills are long and sharp.

05 moose

It's a moose.

It's a m \_\_\_\_.

The moose is a grazing animal.

06 bobcat

It's a bobcat.

It's a b \_\_\_\_.

The bobcat lives in North America.

07 badger

It's a badger.

It's a b \_\_\_\_.

A badger lives in a burrow.

08 great horned owl

It's a great horned owl.

It's a g \_\_\_\_.

The great horned owl has very good eyesight.

09 opossums

It's opossums.

It's o \_\_\_\_.

Opossums have long pointed noses.

10 wild boar

It's a wild boar.

It's a w \_\_\_\_.

Coarse hair covers the wild boar.

### Mountain Habitat

01 squirrel

It's a squirrel.

It's a s \_\_\_\_.

A squirrel can scurry across the grass and up a tree.

02 raccoon

It's a raccoon.

It's a r \_\_\_\_.

This raccoon is getting ready to drink.

03 grizzly bear

It's a grizzly bear.

It's a g \_\_\_\_.

The grizzly bear has powerful legs.

04 fox

It's a fox.

It's a f \_\_\_\_.

This small red fox is standing in the snow.

05 eagle

It's an eagle.

It's an ea \_\_\_\_.

The eagle has very good eyesight.

06 cougar

It's cougars.

It's a c \_\_\_\_.

Another name for cougar is mountain lion.

07 deer

It's a deer.

It's a d \_\_\_\_.

The mule deer listens attentively.

08 bighorn sheep

It's a bighorn sheep.

It's a b \_\_\_\_.

The bighorn sheep has large curved horns.

09 llamas

It's llamas.

It's l \_\_\_\_.

Llamas graze in the high mountains.

10 lynx

It's a lynx.

It's a l \_\_\_\_.

Here is a crouching lynx.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Animals

### Desert Habitat

01 snake

It's a snake.

It's a s \_\_\_\_\_.

This snake is poisonous.

02 camels

It's camels.

It's c \_\_\_\_\_.

Camels can live many days without water.

03 lizard

It's a lizard.

It's a l \_\_\_\_\_.

Scales cover the body of the lizard.

04 desert tortoise

It's a desert tortoise.

It's a d \_\_\_\_\_.

The desert tortoise is watchful and alert.

05 Gila monster

It's a Gila monster.

It's a G \_\_\_\_\_.

The Gila monster is an orange and black lizard.

06 roadrunner

It's a roadrunner.

It's a r \_\_\_\_\_.

The roadrunner is a speedy bird.

07 coyote

It's a coyote.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

The coyote is a small wolf.

08 kit fox

It's kit foxes.

It's a k \_\_\_\_\_.

The kit fox will hunt for small mammals to eat.

09 termite mound

It's a termite mound.

It's a t \_\_\_\_\_.

Termites live underground below the mound.

10 hyena

It's a hyena.

It's a h \_\_\_\_\_.

The spotted hyena eats at night.

### Insect Habitat

01 bee

It's a bee.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

The bee has delicate wings.

02 grasshopper

It's a grasshopper.

It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.

Two long strong legs help the grasshopper hop.

03 ladybug

It's a ladybug.

It's a l \_\_\_\_\_.

Ladybug, ladybug, fly away home!

04 butterfly

It's a butterfly.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

This butterfly has stripes like a tiger.

05 moth

It's a moth.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

The dull coloring is typical of a moth.

06 caterpillar

It's a caterpillar.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

The caterpillar has eaten some of the leaf.

07 dragonfly

It's a dragonfly.

It's a d \_\_\_\_\_.

A dragonfly prefers a watery habitat.

08 mosquito

It's a mosquito.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

Some consider the mosquito a pest.

09 hornet

It's a hornet.

It's a h \_\_\_\_\_.

A hornet bite hurts.

10 praying mantis

It's a praying mantis.

It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.

Why is this insect called a praying mantis?



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Animals

### River/Lake Habitat

01 duck

It’s a duck.

It’s a d \_\_\_\_.

Duck feathers repel water.

02 frog

It’s a frog.

It’s a f \_\_\_\_.

Frogs have wet skin and live on land and in water.

03 beaver

It’s a beaver.

It’s a b \_\_\_\_.

A busy beaver will build a dam using logs.

04 swan

It’s a swan.

It’s a s \_\_\_\_.

The swan’s neck curves gracefully.

05 salmon

It’s a salmon.

It’s a s \_\_\_\_.

The orange salmon swims up the stream.

06 goose

It’s a goose.

It’s a g \_\_\_\_.

The goose is a migratory bird.

07 flamingo

It’s a flamingo.

It’s a f \_\_\_\_.

The pink flamingo wades in the pond.

08 river otter

It’s a river otter.

It’s a r \_\_\_\_.

This river otter may go fishing soon.

09 black bear

It’s a black bear.

It’s a b \_\_\_\_.

A black bear will look for food in the river.

10 alligators

It’s alligators.

It’s a \_\_\_\_.

Many alligators climb on top of each other in the river bed.

### Ocean Habitat

01 seagull

It’s a seagull.

It’s a s \_\_\_\_.

A seagull fishes in the ocean.

02 crab

It’s a crab.

It’s a c \_\_\_\_.

This crab lives in a coral reef.

03 dolphin

It’s a dolphin.

It’s a d \_\_\_\_.

There are sharp teeth in the dolphin’s mouth.

04 sea star

It’s a sea star.

It’s a s \_\_\_\_.

Some people call the sea star a “starfish”.

05 sea turtle

It’s a sea turtle.

It’s a s \_\_\_\_.

The sea turtle is a gentle animal.

06 sea otter

It’s a sea otter.

It’s a s \_\_\_\_.

A sea otter likes to float on his back.

07 angelfish

It’s an angelfish.

It’s an a \_\_\_\_.

The angelfish has black, white, and yellow stripes.

08 elephant seal

It’s an elephant seal.

It’s an e \_\_\_\_.

The elephant seal has a loud bark.

09 whale

It’s a whale.

It’s a w \_\_\_\_.

The whale is an air breathing mammal.

10 sea anemone

It’s a sea anemone.

It’s a s \_\_\_\_.

The sea anemone catches fish that swim past its tentacles.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Animals

### African Habitat

01 lion

It's a lion.

It's a l \_\_\_\_.

This is a male lion. He has a mane.

02 elephants

It's elephants.

It's e \_\_\_\_\_.

How many elephants are in this picture?

03 zebra

It's a zebra.

It's a z \_\_\_\_.

The young zebra is watching for lions.

04 giraffe

It's a giraffe.

It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.

The giraffe is getting a drink of water.

05 hippopotamus

It's a hippopotamus.

It's a h \_\_\_\_\_.

A hippopotamus likes to be near water.

06 meerkats

It's meerkats.

It's m \_\_\_\_\_.

Meerkats are social animals that live in burrows.

07 rhinoceros

It's a rhinoceros.

It's a r \_\_\_\_\_.

A rhinoceros uses its long horn for protection.

08 cheetah

It's a cheetah.

It's a ch \_\_\_\_\_.

The cheetah is the fastest land animal.

09 wildebeest

It's a wildebeest.

It's a w \_\_\_\_\_.

Wildebeest travel in large herds for safety.

10 crocodile

It's a crocodile.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

The crocodile is a fast swimming meat-eater.

### Jungle Habitat

01 tiger

It's a tiger.

It's a t \_\_\_\_\_.

Tiger stripes are distinctive.

02 gorilla

It's a gorilla.

It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.

The gorilla is a powerful animal.

03 chimpanzee

It's a chimpanzee.

It's a ch \_\_\_\_\_.

The chimpanzee is an intelligent creature.

04 parrot

It's a parrot.

It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.

The macaw parrot has blue and gold feathers.

05 peacock

It's a peacock.

It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.

Peacock tail feathers look like eyes.

06 iguana

It's an iguana.

It's an i \_\_\_\_\_.

An iguana can have a tail twice as long as its body.

07 orangutan

It's an orangutan.

It's an or \_\_\_\_\_.

The orangutan's reddish-orange fur is unique.

08 anteater

It's an anteater.

It's an a \_\_\_\_\_.

The spiny anteater makes a meal of ants.

09 gecko

It's a gecko.

It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.

One of the best bug catchers is a gecko.

10 cockatoo

It's a cockatoo.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

The cockatoo cracks open seeds with his beak.



## “It’s a...” Stimuli List--Animals

### Prairie/Grasslands Habitat

01 prairie dog

It's a prairie dog.

It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.

A prairie dog is a type of rodent.

02 hawk

It's a hawk.

It's a h \_\_\_\_\_.

A hawk is a bird of prey.

03 kangaroo

It's a kangaroo.

It's a k \_\_\_\_\_.

The kangaroo bounces on its hind legs.

04 bison

It's a bison.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

The bison has a massive head, neck, and shoulders.

05 bull elk

It's a bull elk.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

This bull elk has a beautiful rack of antlers.

06 deer

It's a deer.

It's a d \_\_\_\_\_.

Very young deer are called “fawn”.

07 ostrich

It's an ostrich.

It's an o \_\_\_\_\_.

The largest bird in the world is the ostrich.

08 antelope

It's an antelope.

It's an a \_\_\_\_\_.

Antelope roam the prairies.

09 cottontail

It's a cottontail.

It's a c \_\_\_\_\_.

The cottontail is a rabbit that lives on the prairie.

10 vulture

It's a vulture.

It's a v \_\_\_\_\_.

A prairie scavenger is the vulture.

### Tundra/Arctic Habitat

01 polar bear

It's a polar bear.

It's a p \_\_\_\_\_.

A polar bear is standing on the ice floe.

02 arctic fox

It's an arctic fox.

It's an ar \_\_\_\_\_.

The arctic fox trudges across the snowy landscape.

03 bighorn sheep

It's a bighorn sheep.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

The bighorn sheep must still find food in the deep snow.

04 bobcat

It's a bobcat.

It's a b \_\_\_\_\_.

The bobcat grows thick fur to keep warm.

05 mountain goat

It's a mountain goat.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

The hooves of the mountain goat grip the rocky ground.

06 muskox

It's a muskox.

It's a m \_\_\_\_\_.

A muskox has curved horns and humped shoulders.

07 snowy owl

It's a snowy owl.

It's a s \_\_\_\_\_.

The snowy owl has white plumage.

08 ground squirrel

It's a ground squirrel.

It's a g \_\_\_\_\_.

This squirrel is sitting upright.

09 harp seal

It's a harp seal.

It's a h \_\_\_\_\_.

A harp seal pup is white and fluffy.

10 ptarmigan

It's a ptarmigan.

It's a pt \_\_\_\_\_.

The ptarmigan lives in Alaska.



## Single Word List--Everyday Objects

### Inside

dog  
cat  
cookie  
toothbrush  
rabbit  
eggs  
chair  
comb  
glasses  
goldfish  
video  
catsup and mustard  
pretzel  
TV and VCR  
CD  
bag of groceries  
mask  
remote controls  
medication  
speakers  
teapot  
audio cassette  
globe  
utensils  
abacus

### Outside

mat  
flag  
mailbox  
trash can  
stop sign  
sunglasses  
dog bone  
wood  
shopping cart  
stoplight  
umbrella  
brick  
nest  
seashell  
pine cone  
lawn chair  
billy goat  
bison  
bulldog  
camel  
cheetah  
donkey  
duck

elephant seal  
fish  
giraffe  
gorilla  
herd  
hippo  
lamb  
monkey  
orangutan  
sea otter  
panda  
parrot  
pig  
porcupine  
rabbit  
rhino  
sea turtle  
seal  
snail  
snake  
sea star  
whale  
zebra  
group  
couple  
outing  
man  
baby  
trio  
boy  
girl  
father and daughter  
ranger  
desert  
village  
dining room  
crosswalk  
city  
carnival  
cemetery  
meadow  
marina  
longhouse  
mountain  
cave  
tar pit  
sunset  
living room  
house  
flower  
window

Ferris wheel  
hut  
phone booth  
shadow  
cactus  
lily pad  
flower  
sign  
parade  
playground  
plane  
helicopter  
ambulance  
street cleaner  
monster truck  
boat  
splashing  
talking  
cutting  
yawning  
drinking  
digging  
walking  
patting  
dropping rocks  
eating  
running  
hitting  
learning  
playing  
wondering  
surfing  
waiting  
drumming  
winter  
spring  
summer  
fall  
foggy  
rainy  
snowy  
hair  
piñata  
lantern  
package  
one-way sign  
detour sign  
traffic barrier  
sundial  
snowshoes  
decoy





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## Single Word List--Everyday Objects

### At Work

slow sign  
telephone  
camera  
lunch box  
newspapers  
gloves  
sponge  
clipboard  
briefcase  
tape measure  
computer  
appointment book  
filing cabinet  
address file  
skeleton  
charts  
movie camera  
hard hat  
wheelbarrow  
wire  
phone jack  
change-maker  
fax machine  
wood planer  
microscope

### At Play

ball  
bicycle  
yo-yo  
robot  
marbles  
baseball  
football  
basketball  
bowling ball  
mitt  
goggles  
soccer ball  
guitar  
stereo  
video camera  
dice  
bugle  
life jacket  
canteen  
dart board  
harmonica  
chess board  
paddle  
binoculars  
backgammon



## Single Word List--Miscellaneous

### Group 1

bear  
billy goat  
bison  
bulldog  
camel  
cheetah  
donkey  
duck  
elephant seal  
fish  
giraffe  
gorilla  
herd  
hippo  
lamb  
monkey  
orangutan  
sea otter  
panda  
parrot  
pig  
porcupine  
rabbit  
rhino  
sea turtle

### Group 2

seal  
snail  
snake  
sea star  
whale  
zebra  
group  
couple  
outing  
man  
baby  
trio  
boy

girl  
father and daughter  
ranger  
desert  
village  
dining room  
crosswalk  
city  
carnival  
cemetery  
meadow  
marina

### Group 3

longhouse  
mountain  
cave  
tar pit  
sunset  
living room  
house  
flower  
window  
Ferris wheel  
hut  
phone booth  
shadow  
cactus  
lily pad  
flower  
sign  
parade  
playground  
plane  
helicopter  
ambulance  
street cleaner  
monster truck  
boat

### Group 4

splashing  
talking  
cutting  
yawning  
drinking  
digging  
walking  
patting  
dropping rocks  
eating  
running  
hitting  
learning  
playing  
wondering  
surfing  
waiting  
drumming  
winter  
spring  
summer  
fall  
foggy  
rainy  
snowy



## Single Word List--Food

### Fruits

bananas  
red apple  
orange  
green apple  
green grapes  
peaches  
watermelon  
strawberry  
lemon  
pear  
red grapes  
plum  
pineapple  
cherries  
lime  
blueberries  
cantaloupe  
grapefruit  
raspberry  
coconut  
apricot  
kiwi  
papay  
mangoes  
pomegranate

### Vegetables

carrots  
corn  
potatoes  
lettuce  
tomato  
beans  
peas  
mushroom  
pumpkin  
broccoli  
pickles  
cucumber  
olives  
green peppers  
avocado  
red pepper  
cauliflower  
string beans  
hot peppers  
red onion

radish  
asparagus  
eggplant  
artichoke  
brussels sprouts

### Snacks

cookies  
milk  
water  
candy  
cheese  
potato chips  
french fries  
cup of coffee  
popcorn  
apple juice  
orange juice  
muffin  
cake  
donuts  
bagels  
nuts  
peanut  
lemonade  
chocolate sundae  
loaves of bread  
fruit cup  
custard  
sherbert  
pie a la mode  
pastry

### Meals

cereal  
toast  
hamburger  
hot dog  
pizza  
sandwich  
waffles  
macaroni and cheese  
soup  
taco  
bacon and eggs  
baked potato  
salad  
pasta

steak  
fish  
lasagna  
frozen dinner  
lobster  
baked ham  
shrimp  
crabs  
quesadilla  
clams  
omelet

### Las Comidas Típicas

rice  
burrito  
tamale  
enchiladas  
fajitas  
refried beans  
black beans  
tortillas  
menudo  
sausage  
fish salad  
meatball soup  
cactus  
hot peppers  
garlic  
green tomatoes  
jícama  
coriander  
sweet potato  
squash  
fritter  
taquitos  
salsa and chips  
horchata  
fruit burrito



## Single Word List--Animals

### House

dog  
cat  
rabbit  
guinea pig  
hamster  
mouse  
bird  
fish  
lizard  
snake

### Ranch/Farm

puppies  
cat  
cow  
pig  
horse  
sheep  
chicken  
goat  
ducks  
rooster

### Forest

bird  
wolf  
cardinal  
porcupine  
moose  
bobcat  
badger  
great horned owl  
opossums  
wild boar

### Mountain

squirrel  
raccoon  
grizzly bear  
fox  
eagle  
cougars  
deer  
bighorn sheep  
llamas  
lynx

### Desert

snake  
camels  
lizard  
desert tortoise  
Gila monster  
roadrunner  
coyote  
kit foxes  
termite mound  
hyena

### Insect

bee  
grasshopper  
ladybug  
butterfly  
moth  
caterpillar  
dragonfly  
mosquito  
hornet  
praying mantis

### River/Lake

duck  
frog  
beaver  
swan  
salmon  
goose  
flamingo  
river otter  
black bear  
alligators

### Ocean

seagull  
crab  
dolphin  
sea star  
sea turtle  
sea otter  
angelfish  
elephant seal  
whale  
sea anemone

### Africa

lion  
elephants  
zebra  
giraffe  
hippopotamus  
meerkats  
rhinoceros  
cheetah  
wildebeest  
crocodile

### Jungle

tiger  
gorilla  
chimpanzee  
parrot  
peacock  
iguana  
orangutan  
anteater  
gecko  
cockatoo

### Prairie/Grasslands

prairie dog  
hawk  
kangaroo  
bison  
bull elk  
deer  
ostrich  
antelope  
cottontail  
vulture

### Arctic/Tundra

polar bear  
arctic fox  
bighorn sheep  
bobcat  
mountain goat  
muskox  
snowy owl  
ground squirrel  
harp seal  
ptarmigan



## And a One, Two, Three Word List

Syll.	#	Stimulus		Syll.	#	Stimulus	
1	1	bugs	bugs	1	48	shrub	shrub
1	2	cow	cow	1	49	bleak	bleak
1	3	on	on	1	50	barb	barb
1	4	in	in	2	1	airplane	air•plane
1	5	bite	bite	2	2	apples	ap•ples
1	6	bark	bark	2	3	bird nest	bird•nest
1	7	bear	bear	2	4	burning	bur•ning
1	8	chair	chair	2	5	chicken	chic•ken
1	9	eggs	eggs	2	6	eating	ea•ting
1	10	sail	sail	2	7	parrot	par•rot
1	11	ship	ship	2	8	pumpkin	pump•kin
1	12	truck	truck	2	9	puppy	pup•py
1	13	tire	tire	2	10	purple	pur•ple
1	14	wheel	wheel	2	11	rainbow	rain•bow
1	15	red	red	2	12	reindeer	rein•deer
1	16	brown	brown	2	13	spider	spi•der
1	17	white	white	2	14	sunset	sun•set
1	18	coin	coin	2	15	taco	ta•co
1	19	rug	rug	2	16	blowing	blow•ing
1	20	stop	stop	2	17	cannon	can•non
1	21	sign	sign	2	18	chopsticks	chop•sticks
1	22	wink	wink	2	19	canal	ca•nal
1	23	hop	hop	2	20	cornfield	corn•field
1	24	sled	sled	2	21	desert	de•sert
1	25	park	park	2	22	donkey	don•key
1	26	nest	nest	2	23	foggy	fog•gy
1	27	paw	paw	2	24	gathered	ga•thered
1	28	hoof	hoof	2	25	fountain	foun•tain
1	29	horns	horns	2	26	hidden	hid•den
1	30	house	house	2	27	leaping	lea•ping
1	31	fins	fins	2	28	lizard	li•zard
1	32	moose	moose	2	29	bamboo	bam•boo
1	33	peach	peach	2	30	baboon	ba•boon
1	34	shirts	shirts	2	31	open	o•pen
1	35	tear	tear	2	32	away	a•way
1	36	swamp	swamp	2	33	beside	be•side
1	37	straight	straight	2	34	under	un•der
1	38	stall	stall	2	35	lifeboats	life•boats
1	39	sliced	sliced	2	36	cluttered	clut•tered
1	40	shade	shade	2	37	cockpit	cock•pit
1	41	pair	pair	2	38	peacock	pea•cock
1	42	match	match	2	39	prison	pri•son
1	43	inch	inch	2	40	profile	pro•file
1	44	dome	dome	2	41	ripples	rip•ples
1	45	closed	closed	2	42	skimming	skim•ming
1	46	cliffs	cliffs	2	43	thatched roof	thatched•roof
1	47	blimp	blimp	2	44	tractor	trac•tor



## And a One, Two, Three Word List

Syll.	#	Stimulus		Syll.	#	Stimulus	
2	45	bovine	bo•vine	3	25	dangling boot	dan•gling•boot
2	46	canine	ca•nine	3	26	strawberries	straw•ber•ries
2	47	equine	e•quine	3	27	dry creekbed	dry•creek•bed
2	48	feline	fe•line	3	28	harvesting	har•ves•ting
2	49	mammal	mam•mal	3	29	hewn canoe	hewn•ca•noe
2	50	rodent	ro•dent	3	30	pier parking	pier•par•king
2	51	insect	in•sect	3	31	traveller	tra•vel•ler
2	52	flora	flor•a	3	32	river barge	ri•ver•barge
2	53	fauna	fau•na	3	33	restriction	re•stric•tion
2	54	geode	ge•ode	3	34	waterway	wa•ter•way
2	55	hydrant	hy•drant	3	35	artichoke	ar•ti•choke
2	56	ibex	i•bex	3	36	blusterous	blus•ter•ous
2	57	decline	de•cline	3	37	camouflage	ca•mou•flage
2	58	incline	in•cline	3	38	citadel	ci•ta•del
2	59	obscured	ob•scured	3	39	converging	con•ver•ging
2	60	ornate	or•nate	3	40	crimson crest	crim•son•crest
2	61	rural	rur•al	3	41	luminous	lu•mi•nous
2	62	bouquet	bou•quet	3	42	pachyderm	pa•chy•derm
2	63	frigid	fri•gid	3	43	somnolence	som•no•lence
2	64	stanchion	stan•chion	4	1	basket of beets	bas•ket•of•beets
2	65	tundra	tun•dra	4	2	berry cluster	ber•ry•clus•ter
2	66	verdant	ver•dant	4	3	bounding dolphins	boun•ding•dol•phins
2	67	trio	tri•o	4	4	cheese and crackers	cheese•and•crac•kers
3	1	broccoli	broc•co•li	4	5	chocolate bar	cho•co•late•bar
3	2	cabbage plant	cab•bage•plant	4	6	compass needle	com•pass•nee•dle
3	3	flamingo	fla•min•go	4	7	electric fan	e•lec•tric•fan
3	4	garbage truck	gar•bage•truck	4	8	gaggle of geese	gag•gle•of•geese
3	5	garlic bulbs	gar•lic•bulbs	4	9	exercising	ex•er•cis•ing
3	6	gorilla	go•ril•la	4	10	gated entrance	ga•ted•en•trance
3	7	half-dollar	half•dol•lar	4	11	grazing pony	gra•zing•po•ny
3	8	honeycomb	hon•ey•comb	4	12	hammer and nail	ham•mer•and•nail
3	9	mission bells	mis•sion•bells	4	13	hen and rooster	hen•and•roos•ter
3	10	mountain side	moun•tain•side	4	14	jigsaw puzzle	jig•saw•puz•zle
3	11	Orca whale	Or•ca•whale	4	15	large sea turtle	large•sea•tur•tle
3	12	overcast	o•ver•cast	4	16	lemons and limes	le•mons•and•limes
3	13	railroad cars	rail•road•cars	4	17	lifeguard station	life•guard•sta•tion
3	14	relaxing	re•lax•ing	4	18	lifesaver ring	life•sav•er•ring
3	15	shaggy ram	shag•gy•ram	4	19	new camera	new•ca•mer•a
3	16	traffic jam	traf•fic•jam	4	20	peeled banana	peeled•ba•nan•a
3	17	chess pieces	chess•pie•ces	4	21	picnic basket	pic•nic•bas•ket
3	18	Ferris wheel	Fer•ris•wheel	4	22	red radishes	red•ra•di•shes
3	19	first aid kit	first•aid•kit	4	23	remaining grape	re•mai•ning•grape
3	20	windsurfing	wind•sur•fing	4	24	row of houses	row•of•hou•ses
3	21	bicycle	bi•cy•cle	4	25	running rooster	run•ning•roos•ter
3	22	gas station	gas•sta•tion	4	26	rushing river	ru•shing•ri•ver
3	23	blooming sage	bloo•ming•sage	4	27	avocado	a•vo•ca•do
3	24	currency	cur•ren•cy	4	28	scuba divers	scu•ba•di•vers



## And a One, Two, Three Word List

Syll.	#	Stimulus	Syll.	#	Stimulus
4	29	sea lion pup	5	9	teapot and teabowls
4	30	three fishermen	5	10	costumed toy soldier
4	31	toffee candy	5	11	fire extinguisher
4	32	very thick rope	5	12	flipping the pancake
4	33	washing the car	5	13	folded pajamas
4	34	worn-out work shoes	5	14	glob of yellow paint
4	35	grooming primates	5	15	grapefruit with sugar
4	36	intersection	5	16	Halloween costume
4	37	perched parakeet	5	17	pouring the coffee
4	38	poolside lounge chairs	5	18	grinning gorilla
4	39	pumping oil rig	5	19	tennis equipment
4	40	competitive	5	20	wintery weather
4	41	conveyor belt	5	21	anchors on the bow
4	42	approaching train	5	23	cantaloupe melon
4	43	ascending ramp	5	24	drab and dreary day
4	44	descending sun	5	25	crop irrigation
4	45	destructive blaze	5	26	high elevation
4	46	emergency	5	27	laundry detergent
4	47	soaring vulture	5	28	marathon finish
4	48	staked sugar peas	5	29	oncoming traffic
4	49	throwing a pot	5	30	outdoor marketplace
4	50	hustling hogs	5	31	rigging on the mast
4	51	waddling geese	5	32	golden monument
4	52	aerial view	5	33	absorbing water
4	53	antiquated	5	34	Canadian geese
4	54	exuberant	5	35	embroidered napkin
4	55	memoranda	5	36	accompanying
4	56	mesa and butte	5	37	blossoming thistle
4	57	narrow crevice	5	38	anticipation
4	58	pentadactyl	5	39	hazardous building
4	59	querying look	5	40	loosening gravel
4	60	snowy egret	5	41	police motorcade
4	61	solitary	5	42	pastoral farmhouse
4	62	expedition	5	43	overhead lattice
4	63	spherical fruits	5	44	sea anemone
4	64	desolation	5	45	saturated fur
4	65	succulent fruit	5	46	expectative dog
4	66	victorious	5	47	precipitation
4	67	zipper closure	5	48	seed cultivation
5	1	airport terminal	5	49	careful measurement
5	2	American flag	5	50	melodious clown
5	3	amusement park ride	5	51	Vancouver harbor
5	4	baseball stadium	5	52	tropical sunset
5	5	bunches of carrots	5	53	wooden enclosure
5	6	bus transportation	5	54	complacent rabbit
5	7	buttoning the shirt	5	55	elongated neck
5	8	camera flashbar	5	56	eucalyptus leaf
					tea•pot•and•tea•bowls
					cos•tumed•toy•sol•dier
					fire•ex•tin•guish•er
					flip•ping•the•pan•cake
					fol•ded•pa•ja•mas
					glob•of•yel•low•paint
					grape•fruit•with•su•gar
					Hal•lo•ween•cos•tume
					pour•ing•the•cof•fee
					grin•ning•go•ril•la
					ten•nis•e•quip•ment
					winter•y•wea•ther
					an•chors•on•the•bow
					can•ta•loupe•melon
					drab•and•dreary•day
					crop•ir•ri•ga•tion
					high•ele•va•tion
					laun•dry•de•ter•gent
					mar•a•thon•fin•ish
					on•co•ming•traf•fic
					out•door•mar•ket•place
					rig•ging•on•the•mast
					gol•den•mon•u•ment
					ab•sor•bing•wa•ter
					Ca•na•di•an•geese
					em•broi•dered•nap•kin
					ac•com•pa•ny•ing
					blos•som•ing•thistle
					an•ti•ci•pa•tion
					ha•zar•dous•build•ing
					loo•sen•ing•grav•el
					pol•ice•mo•tor•cade
					pas•tor•al•farm•house
					o•ver•head•lat•tice
					sea•a•nem•o•ne
					sa•tur•a•ted•fur
					ex•pec•ta•tive•dog
					pre•ci•pi•ta•tion
					seed•cul•ti•va•tion
					care•ful•mea•sure•ment
					me•lo•di•ous•clown
					Van•cou•ver•har•bor
					trop•i•cal•sun•set
					woo•den•en•clo•sure
					com•pla•cent•rab•bit
					e•lon•ga•ted•neck
					eu•ca•lyp•tus•leaf





## And a One, Two, Three Word List

Syll.	#	Stimulus	
5	57	celebratory	cele•bra•to•ry
5	58	capricious critter	ca•pri•ci•ous•crit•ter
5	59	arid canyonlands	ar•id•can•yon•lands
5	60	old cemetery	old•ce•me•te•ry
5	61	accumulation	ac•cum•u•la•tion
5	62	inconspicuous	in•con•spi•cu•ous
5	63	hexagonal combs	hex•a•gon•al•combs
5	64	fossilization	fos•sil•i•za•tion
5	65	hippopotami	hip•po•po•ta•mi
5	66	rappelling the rock	rap•pel•ling•the•rock
5	67	lackadaisical	lack•a•dai•si•cal
5	68	innocuous shark	in•noc•u•ous•shark
5	69	traversing the bridge	tra•ver•sing•the•bridge
5	70	industrialized	in•dus•tri•al•ized
5	71	homeopathic	ho•me•o•path•ic
5	72	Presidio door	Pre•si•di•o•door
5	73	protuberant beak	pro•tu•ber•ant•beak
5	74	ichthyology	ich•thy•ol•o•gy
5	75	sundial gnomon	sun•di•al•gno•mon
6	1	cooking some cabbage soup	coo•king•some•cab•bage•soup
6	2	crossing at the corner	cro•sing•at•the•cor•ner
6	3	delicious cherry pie	de•li•ci•ous•cher•ry•pie
6	4	barking elephant seal	bar•king•ele•phant•seal
6	5	appointment Saturday	ap•point•ment•Sa•tur•day
6	6	along the riverbank	a•long•the•ri•ver•bank
6	7	assortment of flavors	as•sort•ment•of•fla•vors
6	8	basketball referees	ba•sket•ball•ref•er•ees
6	9	wooden handled hammers	woo•den•han•dled•ham•mers
6	10	California Poppy	Ca•li•for•nia•pop•py
6	11	stairway to the castle	stair•way•to•the•ca•stle
6	12	three monarch butterflies	three•mon•arch•but•ter•flies
6	13	three masted sailing ship	three•mas•ted•sai•ling•ship
6	14	telephone messages	tel•e•phone•mes•sa•ges
6	15	tall cathedral towers	tall•ca•the•dral•tow•ers
6	16	travelling by ferry	tra•vel•ling•by•fer•ry
6	17	unoccupied bleachers	un•oc•cu•pied•blea•chers
6	18	wiggle waggle waddle	wig•gle•wag•gle•wad•dle
6	19	colorful totem pole	co•lor•ful•to•tem•pole
6	20	casting the fishing line	cas•ting•the•fi•shing•line
6	21	baby rhinoceros	ba•by•rhi•no•ce•ros
6	22	identical outfits	i•den•ti•cal•out•fits
6	23	red locomotive cars	red•lo•co•mo•tive•cars
6	24	musical instrument	mu•si•cal•in•stru•ment
6	25	playing on the swingset	play•ing•on•the•swing•set
6	26	lovable companion	lov•a•ble•com•pan•ion
6	27	outdoor thermometer	out•door•ther•mo•me•ter
6	28	rainforest canopy	rain•for•est•can•o•py
6	29	recyclable boxes	re•cy•cla•ble•box•es
6	30	grasshopper alighting	grass•hop•per•a•ligh•ting



## And a One, Two, Three Word List

Syll.	#	Stimulus	
6	31	horse's leather bridle	hor•ses•lea•ther•bri•dle
6	32	arriving hydroplane	ar•ri•ving•hy•dro•plane
6	33	lavender carnation	la•ven•der•car•na•tion
6	34	plowing the barren field	plow•ing•the•bar•ren•field
6	35	spears of asparagus	spears•of•a•spar•a•gus
6	36	southwest on the compass	south•west•on•the•com•pass
6	37	slumbering on the beach	slum•ber•ing•on•the•beach
6	38	speeding competitors	spee•ding•com•pe•ti•tors
6	39	ruins of the fortress	ru•ins•of•the•for•tress
6	40	ragtime entertainment	rag•time•en•ter•tain•ment
6	41	steel manufactory	steel•man•u•fac•to•ry
6	42	suspended dragonfly	sus•pen•ded•dra•gon•fly
6	43	water laden petals	wa•ter•la•den•pe•tals
6	44	elaborately set	e•la•bor•ate•ly•set
6	45	dromedary camel	dro•me•dar•y•cam•el
6	46	identifiable	i•den•ti•fi•a•ble
6	47	brown and white ptarmigan	brown•and•white•ptar•mi•gan
6	48	meticulous rabbit	me•ti•cu•lous•rab•bit
6	49	inedible mushroom	in•e•di•ble•mush•room
6	50	contemplating cherub	con•tem•pla•ting•cher•ub
6	51	industrious cobbler	in•dus•tri•ous•cob•bler
6	52	cascading waterfall	cas•ca•ding•wa•ter•fall
6	53	uninhabited land	un•in•ha•bi•ted•land
6	54	utilitarian	u•til•i•tar•i•an
6	55	solidified lava	so•li•di•fied•la•va
6	56	hydrophilic sportsmen	hy•dro•phil•ic•sports•men
6	57	medieval tower	med•i•e•val•tow•er
6	58	mastodon skeleton	mas•ta•don•ske•le•ton



## I Like Keys: “It’s a...” and “Es...” Todo

Because the program allows you to type your own labels for the pictures, you need to tell it that you want to use keys for navigation and not for labelling. Use the key combination “Control” and “T” to toggle between allowing keystrokes for navigation and restricting keystrokes to entering text.

### Main Screens

- (right arrow) go to the next word
- ← (left arrow) go to the previous word
- ↑ (up arrow) increase the sound volume
- ↓ (down arrow) decrease the sound volume

“Option” and “R” toggle between random and sequential  
“Option” and “H” toggle between displaying/hiding the text  
“Option” and “N” go to the Enter Names Screen  
“Option” and “P” print the picture and homework

“F” return to the main screen  
“?” go to the Help Screen  
“H” go to the Help Screen  
“X” and “Q” exit, quit the program

“R” record the word  
“S” stop recording the word

“C” score the pronunciation as Imitative and Correct  
“E” or “I” score the pronunciation as Imitative and Incorrect (error)  
“Z” score the pronunciation as Spontaneous and Correct  
“A” score the pronunciation as Spontaneous and Incorrect

Note: If the shortcut says “Option” and “key” then the “Option” key is acting like the shift key. Press the “Option” key and while holding it down, press the other key in the command. (Windows users should press the Control Key.)



## I Like Keys: “It’s a...” and “Es...” Todo

- “1” play the sound for the word
- “2” play the sound for the question “What is it?”
- “3” play the sound for the complete short sentence, “It’s a bear.”
- “4” play the sound for the sentence completion with the initial sound cue
- “5” play the sound for a descriptive sentence with the target word
- “6-10” play the user’s sounds

### Results Screen

- “F” quit the current game
- “M” or “R” return to the Main Screen
- “?” go to the Help Screen
- “H” go to the Help Screen
- “Option” and “P” print the results page
- “X” and “Q” quit everything

### Options Screen

- “Option” and “R” toggle between random and sequential
- “Option” and “H” toggle between displaying the word and hiding it
- “Option” and “N” go to the Enter Names Screen
- “Option” and “H” go to the Help Screen
- “?” go to the Help Screen
- “D” or RETURN to return to the Main Menu

### Help Screen

- “D” or RETURN to return to return to the Main Menu

### Names Screen

- TAB toggle between names fields
- RETURN record the names and return to the Main Menu

### ABC Game

- The keys for *And a One, Two, Three!* will work with ABC.



## I Like Keys: And a One, Two, Three and ¡Uno, Dos y Tres!

### Main Screens

- (right arrow) go to the next word
- ← (left arrow) go to the previous word
- ↑ (up arrow) increase the sound volume
- ↓ (down arrow) decrease the sound volume
- “Option” and “R” toggle between random and sequential
- “Option” and “H” toggle between displaying the text and hiding it
- “Option” and “N” go to the Enter Names Screen
- “Option” and “P” print the picture and homework
- “F” return to the main screen
- “?” go to the Help Screen
- “H” go to the Help Screen
- “X” and “Q” quit everything
- “R” record the word
- “S” stop recording the word
- “P” play back the word
- “C” score the pronunciation as correct
- “D” score the pronunciation as distorted
- “E” or “I” score the pronunciation as incorrect (error)
- “1” move the first colored square down to the line
- “2” move the second colored square down to the line
- “3” , “4” , “5” , “6” , “7” , “8” , “9” , “0” (i.e. 10th square) to move the corresponding square.
- “U” reset all ten tiles back to their starting positions (Up)
  
- “A” Check Answer
- “L” Show Answer (put the squares on the Line)
- “W” play the sound for the word
- “Y” play the sound for the syllables

Note: If the shortcut says “Option” and “key” then the “Option” key is acting like the shift key. Press the “Option” key and while holding it down, press the other key in the command. (Windows users should press the Control Key.)