# Rhyming Words

Overview: The students will be introduced to rhyming words and will learn their importance. They will use their reading and listening skills to find rhyming words in the book *Babies Nurse* and in a worksheet.

**Grade Levels:** Pre-K - 3

Subjects: Art

Language Arts

**Concepts:** Using these words allows for early readers to become more aware of phonemes and provides better tools to handle more advanced reading material.

Skills: Reading

Listening Analyzing Coloring

Materials: Babies Nurse

Rhyming Words worksheet provided in this guide.

#### **Getting Ready**

Read *Babies Nurse* to the students emphasizing each rhyming word and pausing briefly to ask students which rhyming words they are noticing. Give the students the Rhyming Words worksheet provided in in this guide.

#### Assessment

Have students complete the worksheet provided in this guide. Discuss the rhyming words they noticed, and go over any that they missed.

#### **Enrichment**

More advanced students can be asked to read *Babies Nurse* independently and copy all of the rhyming words found in the book.



### Vocabulary

*Rhyming words*: words that have the same ending sound.

**Phoneme**: one of a small set of speech sounds that are distinguished by the speakers of a particular language. For example, if you say the word "car", you will hear that there are two sound units, or phonemes, in that word: /k//ar/.

For more information about phonemes, and to practice identifying them, visit http://www.sightwordsgame.com/learning-to-read/phoneme/



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## **Rhyming Words Worksheet**

Name: Date:	

Color the picture that rhymes with the first one in the row.

