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Nebber® Functional Communication

Expressive and Receptive Language Games with PCS Symbols



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Introduction

Webber® Functional Communication Expressive and Receptive Language Games contains five fun, motivating games for teaching non-verbal and language delayed students how to communicate using Mayer-Johnson Boardmaker® Picture Communication Symbols.

Students answer receptive and expressive questions about a specific topic using one of 44 communication boards. The five game formats (Webber® Functional Communication Board Game, Spinning with Communication, Bingo, Lotto, and Tic-Tac-Toe) allow students with varying motor and verbal skills to participate.

There are 11 topic areas in Webber® Functional Communication:

- Around Town Transportation
 & Community Helpers
- Feelings/Sensations
- Food/Drink
- Hygiene
- Objects
- Places

- Playground/Park
- School
- Senses
- Small Group Days of the Week & Weather/Seasons
- Social

Each topic area includes two different communication boards with 18 receptive cards and 18 expressive cards that target matching, identification, sentence completion, and responding to questions. The games are wonderful for teaching non-verbal students to use augmentative and alternative communication, and are also great for working with preschoolers with language delays, children with autism and hearing impairments, and children who respond well to visual cues.

Webber® Functional Communication Materials

44 Double-Sided Communication Boards (9 ½" x 11")

11 Topic Areas with Two Different Boards per topic, (9 Pictures per Board)

396 Color-coded Question Cards – 198 Receptive (2 ¼" x 2 ¼") and 198 Expressive Cards (4 ¼" x 3 ¼")

6 Weighted Game Pieces for impaired fine motor skills

Game Board (16 1/8" x 16 1/4")

40 Foam Bingo Squares (2 ½" x 2 ½")

Electronic Spinner

To Play the Game

Using Receptive Cards

Have the student match the symbol on the Receptive Cards to the symbols on the Communication Boards, or give the direction, "Point to ."

Using the Expressive Cards

Use the Expressive Cards to work on answering questions. Cards consist of 3-4 questions appropriate for the topic area. Question formats include fill-in-the-blank, WH questions, describing words in questions, and comparison questions.

Game Options and Directions

Webber® Functional Communication Board Game (PreK-6)

Use the communication boards, question cards, game board, and spinner. SLP/Teacher chooses a topic area and the receptive or expressive question/command on the card. Each student receives his/her own communication board or may use his/her own Augmentative Alternative Communication (AAC) device. Student One hits the spinner in the middle of the game board and moves the number of spaces indicated on the spinner. The SLP/Teacher asks the question on the card and the student answers using his/her communication board or AAC device by eye gaze, pointing, or other method. The number on the spinner also indicates how many foam squares the student receives. The student with the most foam squares wins!

Spinning with Communication (PreK-12)

Use the playing cards and spinner for this game. Choose a topic area and provide each student with a communication board or have student use his/her AAC device. SLP/Teacher chooses the questions/commands for play. You may use one set of cards or mix the cards if you have a variety of skill levels in the group. Student One hits the spinner and the SLP/Teacher asks a question or states the command. Student One locates the picture on the communication board by eye gaze, pointing, or other method to answer the question or uses a personal AAC device. The number on the spinner indicates how many foam squares the student receives. The student with the most foam squares wins!

Additional Game Options

Bingo (All Grades)

Receptive – Use the communication boards to familiarize the students with the symbols. Play traditional bingo using the receptive language playing cards. The SLP/Teacher will show or state the symbol the students are to locate. The students place a foam square on that symbol on their board and play continues until a student has three foam squares in a row to win!

Expressive – Using the expressive language playing cards, the SLP/Teacher chooses the question and asks the question of Student One. Student One answers the question by pointing to the communication board or responding on his/her AAC device. Each student places a foam square on the appropriate space. This requires each student to learn the symbol even when not answering the question. Play continues in turn with the SLP/Teacher asking additional questions to the other students. The student with three squares in a row wins!

Expressive and Receptive – Combine the Expressive and Receptive language playing cards. The SLP/Teacher chooses the level of the receptive or expressive task. The SLP/Teacher asks the question of Student One. Student One answers the question by pointing to the board or responding on his/her AAC device. Each student places a foam square on the appropriate space. This requires each student to learn the symbol even when not answering the question. Play continues in turn with the SLP/Teacher asking additional questions to other students. The student with three squares in a row wins!

Lotto (All Grades)

Play *Lotto* the same way as *Bingo*. To win the game, however, a student must fill the <u>entire</u> board with the foam squares.

Tic-Tac-Toe (All Grades)

In this game, two students share the same board. Each student receives his/her own color of foam squares. As students answer questions by pointing to the board or using their own AAC device, they put their foam squares on the appropriate spaces of the board. The first student to get three in a row wins. SLP/Teacher chooses the appropriate question level.

^{*}SLP/Teacher may assist with foam square placement if student has difficulty with fine motor skills.

^{*}For students with scanning difficulty or the need for minimal pictures, place the foam squares over selected spaces to decrease difficulty.

Around Town Transportation and Community Helpers

airplane



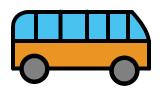
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boat



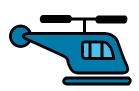
bus



car



helicopter



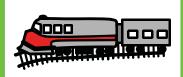
motorcycle



subway



train



dentist



doctor



firefighter



mail carrier



nurse



pharmacist



police officer



teacher

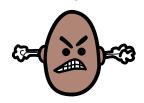


veterinarian



Feelings/Sensations





disappointed



excited



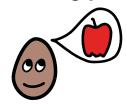
frustrated



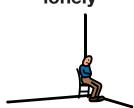
happy



hungry



lonely



relaxed



sad



scared



sick



silly



smart



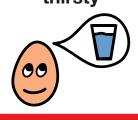
strong



surprised



thirsty



tired



weak

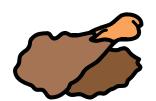


Food/Drink

cereal



chicken



dessert



French fries



fruit



hamburger



hot chocolate



ice cream



juice



milk



milkshake



pizza



popcorn



sandwich







toast



vegetables



Hygiene

blow dryer



brush



dental floss



deodorant



haircut



laundry



lotion



makeup



nail polish



shampoo



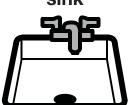
shave



shower



sink



soap



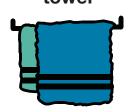
tissue



toothbrush



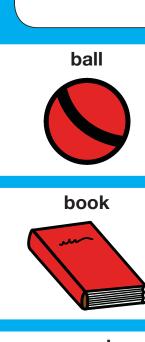
towel



wash hands



Objects





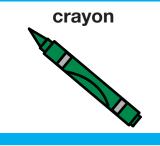






























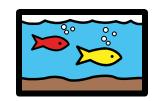


Places

airport



aquarium



bank



grocery store



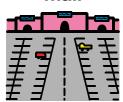
hospital



library



mall



museum



park



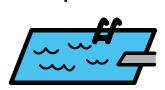
pharmacy



playground



pool



post office



restaurant





school



theater



toy store

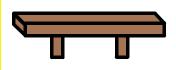


Z00



Playground/Park

balance beam



dog



duck



Frisbee®



grass



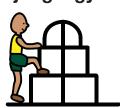
grill



hopscotch



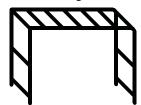
jungle gym



merry-go-round



monkey bars



picnic basket



picnic table



pond



sandbox



seesaw



slide



swing



water fountain



School

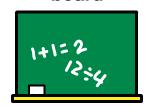
art class



backpack



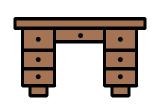
board



computer class



desk



homework



I need help.



language arts



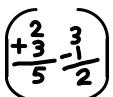
locker



lunchroom



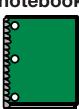
math class



music class



notebook



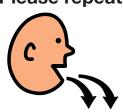
P.E.



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Please repeat.



science



social studies



Senses





cake



chips



fire truck



fireworks



flowers



ice cream



ice



lemon



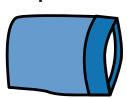
oven



perfume



pillow



popcorn



singing



skunk



skyscraper



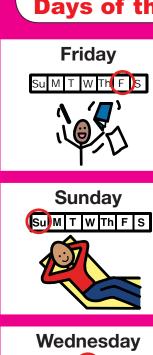
stuffed animals



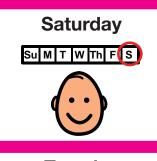
trash



Small Group Days of the Week and Weather/Seasons

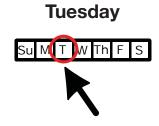




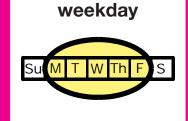












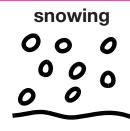




















Social

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Finished.



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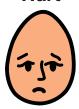
Hello.



How are you?



Hurt



I don't know.



I don't understand.



I like that.



I'm fine.



I'm sorry.



Leave me alone.



My turn.



Nice to meet you.



Please.



Thank you.



Your turn.



You're welcome.

