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Build-a-Word Wheel

Look • Blend • Build • Score

Words
Are
Waiting!



At a Glance

Class Band	3rd – 5th Class
Scope Alignment	Three 16 cm glossy MDF word circles, each with a central letter.
Teacher Note	Every word must use the central letter.

What the Kit Provides

- Set of three glossy MDF word circles (approx. 16 cm)
- A central letter with colour-coded letters around it
- English medium, bright offset printing
- Smooth, burr-free, warp-resistant and wipe-clean



Learning Objective

Build word formation, blending and vocabulary through visual word play.



Suggested Duration

15 – 30 minutes



Materials to Use With

Notebook and pencil to record the words found.

Step-by-Step Teacher Guide

Simple Steps, Big Learning!

1



Explore the wheel

Read the central letter and each letter around it.

2



Blend aloud

Blend the central letter with others to make a word.

3



Word hunt

Write every word that uses the central letter.

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Check and explain

Give each word's meaning or use it in a sentence.

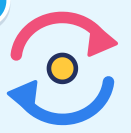
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Score it

3 letters = 1 point, 4 = 2 points, 5 or more = 3.

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Swap wheels

Rotate the wheels so every group plays each one.

Teacher Prompts

- Which letters are vowels?
- Does your word use the central letter?
- What does this word mean?
- Can you find a longer word?

Expected Learning Outcomes

- Letter recognition, blending and phonics strengthen.
- Vocabulary grows through play, not rote spelling.
- Children test and explain words, gaining spelling confidence.

Quick Assessment

- Forms words that include the central letter.
- Explains the meaning of words formed.
- Finds words of four or more letters.

Safety and Care

- Wipe with a dry or damp cloth; do not soak.
- Do not write on the wheels.
- Do not drop or throw the wheels.

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