Rhyme Pair Patrol

Listen for words that end with the same sound.

2.2.A.i "producing a series of rhyming words;"

NAME _____ DATE _____

WORDS THAT RHYME

These words end with the same sound. Say both words aloud and listen to the ending sound.

cake, snake

WORDS THAT DO NOT RHYME

These words end with different sounds. Say both words aloud and listen to the ending sound.

fish, boat

1 SORT

8 items

For each word pair, circle RHYMES or NO RHYME, then choose two pairs and tell how the ending sounds helped you sort them.

1. moon, spoon — RHYMES / NO RHYME
2. pig, wig — RHYMES / NO RHYME
3. cat, cup — RHYMES / NO RHYME
4. bed, leaf — RHYMES / NO RHYME
5. star, car — RHYMES / NO RHYME
6. bike, kite — RHYMES / NO RHYME
7. sun, sock — RHYMES / NO RHYME
8. tree, bee — RHYMES / NO RHYME

2 PROVE IT

Explain your thinking

Pick two items from Part 1. For each one, tell how you knew where it belonged.

ITEM # _____ **HOW I KNEW** _____

ITEM # _____ **HOW I KNEW** _____

3 MAKE YOUR OWN

One of each

Write one new pair of words that rhyme and one new pair of words that do not rhyme.

RHYMES _____

NO RHYME _____

CHALLENGE

Choose one word from your rhyming pair, then write three more words that rhyme with it.

ANSWER KEY # Rhyme Pair Patrol

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PART 1 · SORT

#	ITEM	CATEGORY	WHY
1	moon, spoon	**RHYMES**	Both words end with the /oon/ sound.
2	pig, wig	**RHYMES**	Both words end with the /ig/ sound.
3	cat, cup	**NO RHYME**	The words have different ending sounds.
4	bed, leaf	**NO RHYME**	The words have different ending sounds.
5	star, car	**RHYMES**	Both words end with the /ar/ sound.
6	bike, kite	**NO RHYME**	Bike ends with /k/ and kite ends with /t/. Their ending sounds differ, so they do not rhyme.
7	sun, sock	**NO RHYME**	The words have different ending sounds.
8	tree, bee	**RHYMES**	Both words end with the /ee/ sound.

PART 2 · PROVE IT

Accept any explanation that names the deciding feature from the rule box for the chosen item.

PART 3 · MAKE YOUR OWN (SAMPLE ANSWERS)

- **RHYMES**: rain, train.
- **NO RHYME**: book, car.

Challenge: Using rain: chain, brain, plain.

Accept any explanation that names the deciding feature from the rule box for the chosen item. For Part 2, accept explanations that name matching ending sounds or different ending sounds. For the challenge, accept any three real words that rhyme with the student's chosen word.