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What is Sight Words

Unlock Reading Success with Sight Words!

DEFINITION

> Sight words are common words that kids should recognize instantly without sounding them out. Learning these words helps improve reading fluency and comprehension.

KEY CONCEPTS

High-Frequency Words

Sight words often appear in texts, making them essential for early reading.

Instant Recognition

Recognizing sight words quickly allows readers to focus on understanding the story.

Phonics vs. Sight Words

Unlike phonics, which involves sounding out words, sight words are memorized for quick recall.

Examples of Sight Words

Common sight words include 'the', 'and', 'is', and 'to'.

Building Vocabulary

Mastering sight words helps children expand their vocabulary and confidence in reading.

EXAMPLES

→ the, and, it

→ I see a dog.

→ She is my friend.

MEMORY TIPS

★ Use flashcards to practice sight words daily.

★ Create a sight word song to make learning fun.

★ Group similar sight words together to remember them easily.

COMMON MISTAKES

✗ Trying to sound out sight words instead of recognizing them.

✗ Confusing similar-looking words like 'was' and 'saw'.

✗ Not practicing regularly, leading to forgetfulness.

QUICK RECAP

Sight words are essential for reading fluency and should be recognized instantly. Practice with flashcards and songs to improve recall and confidence in reading.