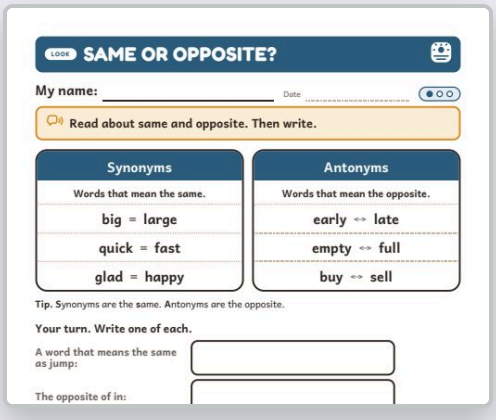
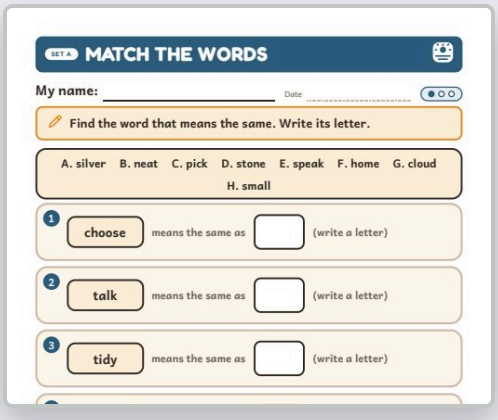
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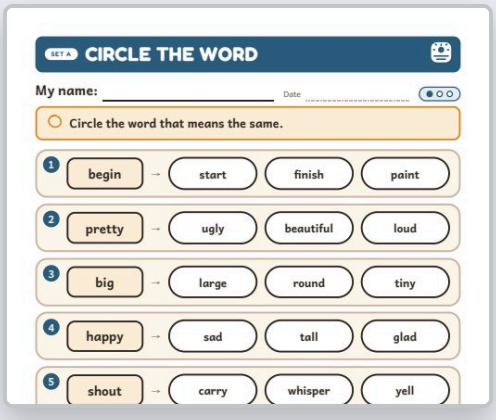
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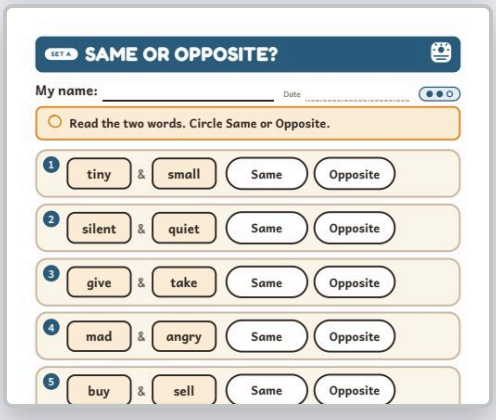
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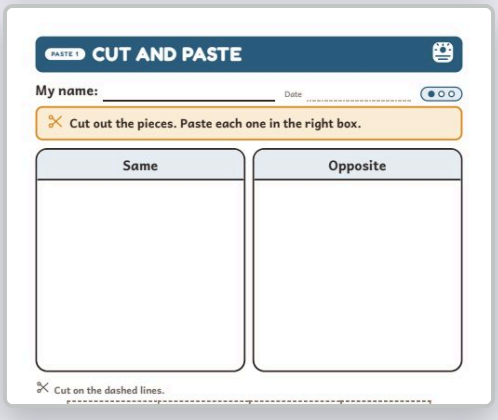
Match, circle, same or opposite, fill in with a word box, and cut and paste sort mats. Plus two answer keys, a tracker and a family page. Print, or type the answers. PDF.













25 Pages | **80 Items** | **24 Pieces** | **Cut and Paste**

BRIGHT PATH SPED

START HERE

QUICK START

One complete kit for synonyms and antonyms. Children match words, circle the one that means the same or the opposite, decide whether a pair is the same or opposite, fill in the missing word, sort words onto cut-and-paste mats and write their own — on pages with room to work, untimed.

THREE STEPS

1. **Start with the look page**
   Page 5 shows what a synonym and an antonym are, with three pairs of each. Read it together, then let the child write one of each. Say a pair in a sentence if a word is new.

2. **Hand over a page**
   Every student page opens with a name line and one short instruction, and the answer boxes are big. Nothing on it is written for you, so the child can start. The chart below says which page for which child; the dots at the top right are the only level code.

3. **Check it, record it, send it home**
   The answer keys are pages 18 and 19. Date each page on the tracker (page 20) and send the home page (21). A filled example is on page 22.

WHICH PAGE, WHEN

WHEN…	USE…
Meeting synonyms and antonyms for the first time	Same or Opposite?, page 5 · Circle the Word A, page 8
Knows the words, needs to pick the right kind	Same or Opposite? pairs, pages 10, 11
Needs to cut, paste and place	Cut and Paste, pages 14-16
Ready to match words with a letter	Match the Words, pages 6, 7
Ready to write the missing word	Fill It In, pages 12, 13
Ready to think up words alone	Write Your Own, page 17

Everything inside (25 pages)

- **13 student pages** in 7 page types: Same or Opposite? (a look page and two sets of pairs), Match the Words (two), Circle the Word (two), Fill It In (two), Cut and Paste (three) and Write Your Own
- **80 scored items** on 11 pages, every answer computed in code
- **24 cut-and-paste pieces** on 3 sort mats
- **2 answer keys, 1 tracker, 1 home page** and 1 filled example
- **1 binder cover and 7 divider tabs** with a spine label, to organize this resource in a binder

Print note

Every page prints clean in black and white. There are no pictures: the meaning of each word comes from you saying it in a sentence. Words in a pair are always shown together or in a row so the child sees both.

LOOK SAME OR OPPOSITE?

My name: _____ Date .....

Read about same and opposite. Then write.

Synonyms	Antonyms
Words that mean the same.	Words that mean the opposite.
big = large	early ↔ late
quick = fast	empty ↔ full
glad = happy	buy ↔ sell

Tip. **S**ynonyms are the **s**ame. **A**ntonyms are the opposite.

Your turn. Write one of each.

A word that means the same as jump:

The opposite of in:

A pair of words I know:

A word that means the same as big:

The opposite of hot:

SET A MATCH THE WORDS

My name: _____ Date .....

Find the word that means the same. Write its letter.

A. silver B. neat C. pick D. stone E. speak F. home G. cloud H. small

1. **choose** means the same as ____ (write a letter)
2. **talk** means the same as ____ (write a letter)
3. **tidy** means the same as ____ (write a letter)
4. **house** means the same as ____ (write a letter)
5. **little** means the same as ____ (write a letter)
6. **rock** means the same as ____ (write a letter)

SET A CIRCLE THE WORD

My name: _____ Date .....

Circle the word that means the same.

1	begin	→	start	finish	paint
2	pretty	→	ugly	beautiful	loud
3	big	→	large	round	tiny
4	happy	→	sad	tall	glad
5	shout	→	carry	whisper	yell
6	tired	→	awake	sleepy	pretty
7	mad	→	calm	fish	angry
8	fast	→	slow	wet	quick

SET A SAME OR OPPOSITE?

My name: _____ Date .....

Read the two words. Circle Same or Opposite.

1	tiny	&	small	Same	Opposite
2	silent	&	quiet	Same	Opposite
3	give	&	take	Same	Opposite
4	mad	&	angry	Same	Opposite
5	buy	&	sell	Same	Opposite
6	first	&	last	Same	Opposite
7	hurry	&	rush	Same	Opposite
8	empty	&	full	Same	Opposite

SET A

FILL IT IN

My name: _____ Date .....

Pick a word from the box. Write it on the line.

soft angry small tall quick large glad green tired

1. The dog is happy. The dog is _____ .

2. The box is big. The box is _____ .

3. The bug is tiny. The bug is _____ .

4. The boy is mad. The boy is _____ .

5. The car is fast. The car is _____ .

6. The baby is sleepy. The baby is _____ .

PASTE 1 CUT AND PASTE

My name: _____ Date .....

Cut out the pieces. Paste each one in the right box.

Same	Opposite

Cut on the dashed lines.

in / out	end / finish	yes / no	jump / leap
simple / easy	open / shut	kids / children	hot / cold

TRACKER

SYNONYMS AND ANTONYMS TRACKER

STUDENT _____ TEACHER _____ MONTH _____

PAGE	PAGE TYPE AND SET	ITEMS	RIGHT	DATE	NOTES
6	Match the Words A	6			
7	Match the Words B	6			
8	Circle the Word A	8			
9	Circle the Word B	8			
10	Same or Opposite A	8			
11	Same or Opposite B	8			
12	Fill It In A	6			
13	Fill It In B	6			
14	Cut and Paste 1	8			
15	Cut and Paste 2	8			
16	Cut and Paste 3	8			

How to fill this in

Write how many items the child got right with no prompt, and the date. A blank means not tried yet, never wrong. There are 80 items on the 11 pages above; the look page and Write Your Own (pages 5 and 17) are not scored. Answer keys: pages 18 and 19. Filled example: page 22.

THIS MONTH WE ARE WORKING ON (YOUR OWN WORDING)

EXAMPLE MAYA'S TRACKER

Maya T. is invented; nothing on this page describes a real student. The blank tracker is on page 20.

STUDENT **Maya T. (an invented student)**

TEACHER **Ms. Ortiz (invented)**

MONTH **November**

PAGE	PAGE TYPE AND SET	ITEMS	RIGHT	DATE	NOTES
6	Match the Words A	6	6	11/2	–
7	Match the Words B	6	6	11/9	–
8	Circle the Word A	8	8	11/3	–
9	Circle the Word B	8	–	–	–
10	Same or Opposite A	8	7	11/4	Needed a prompt on one item
11	Same or Opposite B	8	–	–	–
12	Fill It In A	6	5	11/5	Needed a prompt on one item
13	Fill It In B	6	–	–	–
14	Cut and Paste 1	8	8	11/6	–
15	Cut and Paste 2	8	–	–	–
16	Cut and Paste 3	8	–	–	–

How to read it

Maya T. has done **6 of 11** scored pages and got **40 of 42** items right with no prompt. **4** pages were all right. Every number here comes from the table above.

The family note this tracker would produce

"This month Maya finished 6 pages and got 40 of 42 items right. Maya needed a little help on one item on each of 2 pages; saying the two words in a sentence before choosing is the next thing to practice." — every number in it is a row of the table above.

What the table points to

2 pages carry a note and each is one item short of full. Pages left blank (5 of them) are not tried yet, never wrong.

THANK YOU **BEFORE YOU GO**

THANK YOU FOR USING THIS RESOURCE

Everything here was built for the teacher who has a table of children who each need a different amount of support reading and writing about words. If this helped, leaving feedback on TPT helps other teachers find it.

Everything inside, one more time

- **13 student pages** in 7 page types, 80 scored items, every answer computed in code from the word lists on the page.
- **24 cut-and-paste pieces** on 3 sort mats, **2 answer keys**.
- **1 tracker, 1 home page** and **1 filled example**.
- **1 binder cover and 7 divider tabs** (pages 23 and 24).

No real student anywhere in this file

The filled example on page 22 names "Maya T.," an invented student used only to show how the tracker fills in. No table, note or score anywhere in this resource describes a real child, and nothing here is a clinical judgment, an eligibility timeline, or a medical claim of any kind. Once you fill in a real student's name, the tracker (page 20) does carry real information — keep completed pages secure the same way you would any other record.

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More science and sorting for the same table.



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Desert, ocean, forest, arctic and pond: match and sort animals, with cut and glue mats.



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Solid, liquid and gas: sort, circle and fill in.



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