

Tow the Line

Synonyms and Antonyms

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Groups of 6+, Grades 2-4

How to Play:

Divide the class into two groups. Group one stands in a line, facing the facilitator, a few steps away from group two, which should also stand in a line facing the facilitator. The first two people in each line play at one time. Hold up a card and have the students identify if the words are synonyms or antonyms. The first person to respond correctly wins the round and stays at the front of the line. The other player goes to the end of the line. Players try to stay at the front of the line as long as possible. Team points can be kept if desired.

hot
cold

happy
glad

antonyms

synonyms

happy
mad

angry
mad

antonyms

synonyms

fast

slow

dad

father

antonyms

synonyms

soft

hard

little

small

antonyms

synonyms

new

old

shop

store

antonyms

synonyms

empty

full

mom

mother

antonyms

synonyms

clean

dirty

wash

clean

antonyms

synonyms

add

subtract

subtract

minus

antonyms

synonyms

stand

sit

big

large

antonyms

synonyms