



I'm Ready for a Pet!

Sentences to scramble

Here's a quick and easy way to focus on sentence structure, vocabulary and spelling!

1. On a whiteboard, chalkboard, Smart board or even a piece of paper, write one of the following sentences in scrambled fashion. Be sure to capitalize the first letter of the first word and include any punctuation.
2. Students write the words in order to make a complete, correct sentence. In order to earn a point, the sentence has to have a capital letter, spacing, correct spelling and punctuation.
3. Once they've completed their sentence, they don't say anything. They just show their sentence. Look at it. If there is one mistake, hold up 1 finger. If there are 2 mistakes, 2 fingers, 3 mistakes, 3 fingers, 4 mistakes, 4 fingers. They continue to correct the sentence.
4. If/When there are no mistakes, give a thumbs up and they tally a point.

(beginner to advanced)

I want a cat.

I can feed it.

I will hug it.

I will play with it.

I will give it water.

The cat will need a litter box.

The dog will need to go for a walk.

If it causes trouble, I will train it.

I am willing to use my own money.

I will buy toys for my pet to play with.

I am ready to work hard for a new pet.

If the dog gets sick, I will love and care for it.

I know that a pet may chew or scratch my things.

I will also need to make sure its litter box is clean.

First of all, having a kitten will teach me responsibility.

Common Core Standards that can be addressed in this game include:
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.L.K.2, L.K.2.A, L.1.2, L.1.2.B, L.2.2, L.3.2, L.4.2, L.4.2.A and L.5.2