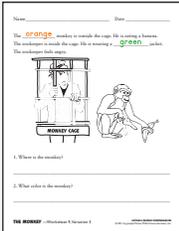


THE MONKEY

Worksheet 9, Variation 3



Materials:

Worksheet 9 (Variation 3), pencils, and boxes of crayons for each child

Color

Variation 3:

Orange Monkey
Green Jacket



Before the Lesson:

At <http://fhautism.com/arc.html>, find Worksheet 9 (Variation 3). Print one for each student, plus a few extras. Write the date on the board.

Teaching the Lesson

1. Distribute the worksheets and pencils to your students. Say: “Write your name on your paper.” Make sure everyone writes his or her name. Then say: “Write the date. It is on the board.” Make sure everyone writes the date. Take the pencils from them.
2. Say: “(student’s name), please read the sentences at the top of the paper.” Ask several students to read. If no one can read the passage, read it yourself, or have an aide read it.
3. Say: “We want to color the picture. What two crayons do we need?” Ask the question several times, and allow different children to answer. Then help them find the orange and green crayons. Take the crayon boxes from them.
4. Say: “We will color the monkey orange and the jacket green. What color do we color the monkey?” Ask the question several times, and allow different children to answer.
5. Say: “Color the monkey.” Make sure they color only the monkey. Repeat the words “orange monkey” as often as possible.
6. Say: “What color do we color the jacket? Let’s look back at our story if we need a reminder.” Ask the question several times, and allow different children to answer.
7. Say: “Color the jacket.” Make sure they color only the jacket. Repeat the words “green jacket” as often as possible. Then take the crayons.

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- 8.** Ask comprehension questions. Lead students to answer orally, in a complete sentence. For each question, if the student answers incorrectly, guide him or her to read the text again. Questions: 1. Where is the monkey? 2. What color is the monkey? 3. What is the monkey eating? 4. Where is the zookeeper? 5. What color is the zookeeper's jacket? 6. How does the zookeeper feel? Answers: 1. The monkey is outside the cage. 2. The monkey is orange. 3. The monkey is eating a banana. 4. The zookeeper is inside the cage. 5. The zookeeper is wearing a green jacket. 6. The zookeeper feels angry.
- 9.** Ask the questions again in random order. Give each student a chance to answer correctly, in complete sentences.
- 10.** Pass out pencils. Ask each comprehension question again. (See step 8 for questions and answers.) When a student answers correctly, write the sentence on the board. Say: "Copy the sentence onto your paper." Do this for each question and answer. Take pencils from them.
- 11.** Pass out boxes of crayons. Say: "Choose one crayon." Make sure they choose only one. Take boxes of crayons from them. Then say: "Color the zookeeper." Make sure they color only the zookeeper. Take papers from them.
- 12.** Give out reinforcers.