

Summer Vocabulary Challenge

To complete the activity, collect the items in a shoebox. It's fun to decorate the box too.

As with all thinking exercises, let your child do the thinking. For example, if the clue reads, "Place something in the box that is **neon**," ask your child if she knows the meaning of **neon**. If she doesn't, guide her to the dictionary.

You may have to help locate the word and elaborate the definition with an example. If so, that item can't go in the box. Have her find something else that is neon.

Directions: Read each clue. Place an actual item, a picture of the item, or a number in the box.

- Find something that is turquoise.
- Find something with patriotic colors.
- Find something that has "summer" on it.
- Record the temperature on a muggy day.
- Find something with a citrus fruit on it.
- Find something that began as a seed.
- Find something sold by the dozen (other than eggs).
- Find something that is neon.
- Find something used for recreation.
- Find something you take on vacation.