Sight Word Games

- 1. **Concentration:** With two sets of matching sight word flash cards, lay them out face down in random order. The first player turns over two cards one at a time. If the cards match the player must say the word, and the cards are removed from play. If the cards do not match the cards are returned to their original spot face side down. The next player now takes his turn. Continue taking turns until all the matches are found.
- 2. **Old Maid:** Begin with two sets of matching sight word flash cards, remove one card to be the Old Maid. Deal out all the cards. Players then sort their cards and remove any matches they have in their hand. The player to the left of the dealer goes first. They may take one card from any other player. If the card they take matches another card in their hand they must say the word and set the match aside. If the card does not match they keep the card in their hand. Play continues until all the matches are found and one player is left with the Old Maid.
- 3. **Speed:** Begin with two or more sets of sight words. Shuffle the cards and then turn over the first card. The first person to say the word gets to keep the card. Continue turning over cards until all the cards have been used.
- 4. **Puppy Go Fetch:** Lay out one set of cards in another room. One player is the puppy and one player is the owner. The owner has a stack of matching cards as to the ones that are laid out in the other room. The owner then says "Puppy go fetch (a word)" The puppy then goes into the other room and finds the word that the owner told him to fetch. If hearing the word is too difficult the owner can show the puppy the word from the owners set of cards
- 5. **Bingo**: Create bingo cards by writing sight words in the boxes. A Bingo card has 5 columns and 5 rows with a free space in the middle. One player must act as judge and read the sight words from a deck of cards while the other players mark them off of their bingo card. The first player with 5 marks in a row yells bingo.