Sensory Activities for Sight Words II



- Play "flip a word" (or "flip a letter") by turning a letter or sight word card face down on a kitchen spatula. Have the child flip the card into the air and read it when it lands face up.
- Buy blank wooden blocks from a craft store. Write a letter or word on the sides of the block. Put the blocks in a plastic cup, bowl, or basket. Shake and spill out the blocks (like dice) and read the letter or words that land face up.
- Use little foam shapes and use a Sharpie to write a letter or words on each shape. They are reusable and great for bath time fun, especially during a bubble bath.
- Write a letter or word in chalk. Spell it as you "erase it," letter by letter, by tracing over top of it with a wet paintbrush
- Fish for words (or letters) by attaching a piece of string or yarn with a magnet (one shaped like a doughnut works best) at one end and a wooden stick or dowel at the other. Attach one paper clip to each letter or word card and turn them face down onto the floor (or in a bowl with "pretend" water). Have your child take turns fishing (hooking the fish on the magnetic fishing pole) for letters or words, which he or she then reads.