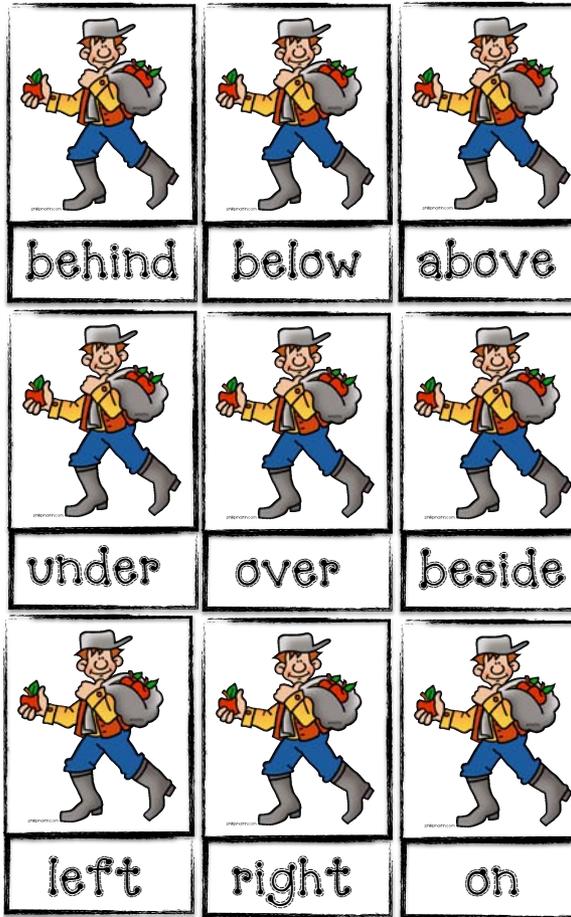




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Where's  
the  
apple?

Where's Johnny's Apple?  
Whole-Group Spatial Direction Assessment Game



Print , laminate and trim this teacher's copy.

Put on your whiteboard and show the answer to the spatial direction using your apple.

Do this after students have put their apples on their Johnny Appleseed mat.

They check their papers to see that they've placed their apple correctly, and correct if necessary.

Have students say the spatial direction after you show the answer.



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Print off the apple of your choice, laminate and trim.

Attach a magnet to the back if you're going to use this game on your white board, or stick on a piece of Velcro (using the scratchy side) if you're going to use a flannel board.

Choose a spatial direction card.

Show it to your students and read it together.

Children place their apple in the appropriate place on their Johnny Appleseed mat.

After children are done, place your apple on your Johnny Appleseed poster.

Students check their work and make corrections if they need to.

At a glance, you can whole-group assess who is having difficulty and jot yourself a note.



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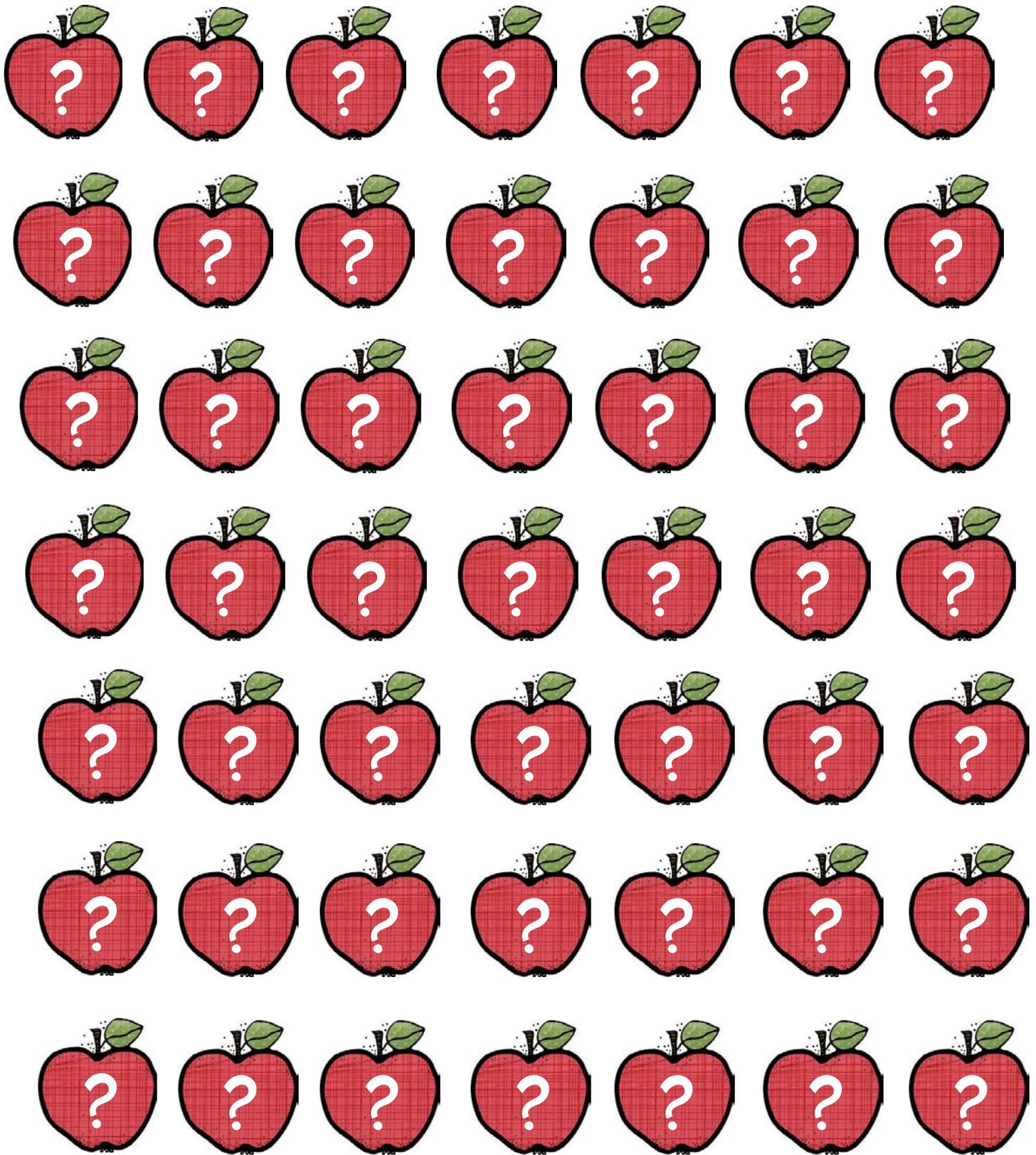


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Where's Johnny's Apple? (Whole-Group Assessment Game)

Run off on white construction paper. Students color Johnny Appleseed. Teacher calls out a spatial direction. "The apple is ABOVE Johnny's hat." Students place their apple "above." Play continues 'til you have used all of the spacial direction cards.

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Print on card stock and trim. (Laminate if you want this to be a game you'll use each year.)  
Each student gets an apple to place in the correct position on their Johnny Applesseed mat.

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Print the spatial  
direction cards on  
white construction  
paper, laminate and  
trim.

You or a student  
can choose a card,  
show it to the  
children and then  
read it.

Students place their  
apple in that  
position.

If you want to test  
word recognition,  
simply show the  
card and have  
students silently  
place their apple in  
that position.

This is a great way  
to whole group  
assess, as you can  
see at a glance who  
is having difficulty  
with spatial  
directions or  
reading.

Play continues 'til all  
of the directions  
have been given.

To shorten the  
game, choose the  
words you use the  
most and take out  
their synonyms.

This game can also  
be played as a  
center, with 2-4  
students playing  
together and taking  
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card.



behind



below



above



under



over



beside



left



right



on

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between



in



in front



inside



outside



by



alongside



upside  
down



next to

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top

bottom

off



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