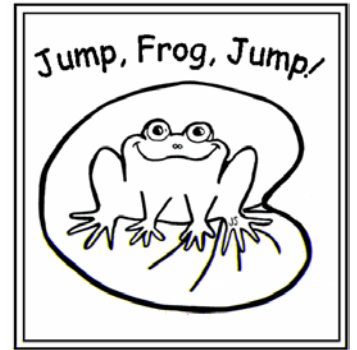


Jump, Frog, Jump!
Craft Stick Puppets



Domain:

- Language, Fine Motor

Objectives:

- Child will identify animal as a frog.
- Child will fold along dotted lines on frog legs.
- Child will paste frog legs onto body of the frog.
- Child will use puppet as supplemental props for the story.
- Child will raise frog and gesture or vocalize the phrase "Jump, Frog, Jump!" at the appropriate time as the story is being read.

Materials:

- *Jump, Frog, Jump!* reproducible page
- green construction paper
- craft sticks
- glue
- scissors
- stapler



Instructions:

- Teacher will copy and cut a frog body with parts for each child.
- Teacher will review frog body parts (legs, head, feet, hands)
- Teacher will demonstrate correct body part placement.
- Teacher will demonstrate how to fold along the dotted line on the frog legs and arms.
- Child will fold along dotted lines.
- Child will paste arms, legs, hands and feet onto frog.
- Teacher will staple one frog on each stick.
- Allow children to use puppets to participate during story time.
- Child will raise frog and gesture or say "Jump, Frog, Jump!", at the appropriate time in the story.



Suggestions:

- Label craft stick with child's name on one side and character's name on the other side. This allows parents to reinforce language at home as well.
- Children with advanced cutting skills should be allowed to cut their own characters and body parts.



**These written instructions are not included on the colored CD.
Colored CD's contain graphics only.**

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