

# Popcorn

## Purpose:

To assure that students are following along and paying attention during group reading activities, Popcorn creates student interest by implementing an interactive element to group reading.

## Procedure:

Before beginning a group reading activity inform students that they will be playing a game during the lesson. One student will be reading at a time at any point while they are reading a student can call out popcorn and a fellow students name that student must continue reading from the point the previous student left off. The game continues till the group reading is completed. (adaptations include; students must read at least one sentence, must complete a sentence or can stop at any point. Students must retell part of what was just read. Students also don't have to say popcorn they can just say a students name.)

## Materials:

Appropriate student text