

Jeopardy Games made with PowerPoint

Description: To help teach and assess my students on the five senses, I developed a jeopardy game to play with my students. My goal would be to display the game on a SMARTBoard so students have the opportunity to click on the question of their choice. However, I do not always have access to a SMARTBoard so I display it on the computer and have them click on the question using the mouse. I used a jeopardy game template shared from a college professor and plugged in the content. I also created a butterfly jeopardy game during our butterfly unit.

Impact: By creating these games, I was able to teach, but more importantly assess my students' mastery on the concepts being taught in a fun and interactive way. I also learned how simple it is to change the content of the game to support other content or skills. Students have shown a lot of interest and get very excited when being played.

Intent: Since my students responded so well to these jeopardy games, I intend to make more of these jeopardy games using the template with PowerPoint. I also intend to share these with my colleagues and instruct them on how to make their own jeopardy games.