WEEK 7 Day 3

Vocabulary & Language

Words with Multiple Meanings

Weekly Question	How can I contribute to my school community?	
Language Objective	I can use sentence context to determine the meaning of a word. (L.4.2.a)	
Vocabulary	adjective: a word or phrase used to describe a person, place, thing, or idea adverb: a word or phrase used to describe a verb noun: a word that names a person, place, thing, or idea verb: a word that expresses a physical action, mental action, or state of being	
Materials and Preparation	Words with Multiple Meanings slides Note: This lesson uses slides 1-8.	
Opening	Today we will look closely at some of our Weekly Words from this unit. Some of the words we have been learning have multiple meanings—they can mean different things. Today we will practice figuring out a word's meaning by looking at its context in a sentence.	
Discussion slide 2	Let's read this word together. Tap and blend the word "still" together. What does the word "still" mean? Click the animation to show the part of speech and definition. What is another meaning of the word "still"? [continuing to do something] "Still" can be an adjective describing a noun, or it can be an adverb describing a verb.	

slide 3	Let's read a sentence to figure out which meaning of "still" is being used.
	Read the sentence together.
	What does "still" mean in this sentence? How do you know?
	Using the context, or the other words in the sentence, helps you figure out which meaning of the word the author is using.
slide 4	Let's read another word together. Tap and blend the word together.
	What does the word "judge" mean? Click the animation to show the part of speech and definition.
	What is another meaning of the word?
slide 5	Remember, Mother in One Word from Sophia is a judge!
	"Judge" can be a verb naming the action of forming a positive or negative opinion, or it can be a noun naming a person who has that job.
slide 6	Let's read a sentence to figure out which meaning of <u>judge</u> is being used. Read the sentence together.
	What does "judge" mean in this sentence? How do you know? This is an idiom, or saying, in English. What do you think it means?
slide 7	Let's read another word together. Tap and blend the word together.
	What does the word "foundation" mean? Click the animation to show the part of speech and definition.
	What is another meaning of the word? [the base of a building]
	"Foundation" is a noun that can name an organization or institution, or the base of a building.
slide 8	Let's read a sentence to figure out which meaning of "foundation" is being used.
	Read the sentence together.
	What does "foundation" mean in this sentence? How do you know?

Closing	Today we used the context, or other words in the sentence, to find out which meaning of a word was being used. Tomorrow you will write your own sentences with these words.
Standards	L.4.2.a Use sentence-level context as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.
Ongoing assessment	Ongoing Assessment: During the discussion, listen for evidence that children are understanding words with multiple meanings. Do children accurately define vocabulary words? Do they know the alternate meanings of the words? Are they able to use sentence context to determine the meaning of the word?

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