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Worksheet: Phonemic Awareness for Beginners: Oral Quiz

Name: _____ Date: _____

Part 1: Teacher-Led Verbal Dialog Quiz

(Instructions for the teacher or parent: Read the teacher script aloud. The student must answer verbally using their listening ears—no looking at letters or written words!)

- Teacher Script 1: "Listen closely to these two words: *Sun... Sock*. Do they start with the same sound? Thumbs up for yes, thumbs down for no!"
 - Expected Student Answer: Thumbs Up (or saying "Yes, /s/").
- Teacher Script 2: "I spy something in our classroom that starts with the sound /p-p-p/. It's something we write with. What is it?"
 - Expected Student Answer: "Pen!" (or pencil).
- Teacher Script 3: "Listen to the word *Moon*. What is the very first sound your mouth makes at the front of the word?"
 - Expected Student Answer: "/m/" (Humming sound).
- Teacher Script 4: "Let's play a rhyming chain! I will say *Cat*. You tell me a word that rhymes with it."
 - Expected Student Answer: "Bat!" (or hat, rat, mat).
- Teacher Script 5: "Listen to the word *Sun*. What is the last sound you hear at the end of the word?"
 - Expected Student Answer: "/n/".

Part 2: Student Listening & Sound Worksheet

(Instructions for the student: Look at the picture clues or listen to your teacher name the pictures. Point to the correct picture or answer the questions out loud.)

Exercise A: Beginning Sound Match

Directions: Look at the three pictures in each row. Say the names out loud. Circle or point to the picture that starts with a different beginning sound than the other two.

1. Row 1: 🌞 Sun | 🧦 Sock | 🚪 Door

(Answer: Door — because Sun and Sock start with /s/, while Door starts with /d/.)

2. Row 2: 🐷 Pig | 🍳 Pan | 🐱 Cat

(Answer: Cat — because Pig and Pan start with /p/, while Cat starts with /k/.)

Exercise B: Sound Position Chart

Directions: Your teacher will say a three-sound word. Use your fingers to tap your shoulder (Beginning), your tummy (Middle), and your hand (Ending) for each sound you hear!

Word	Beginning Sound (Shoulder)	Middle Sound (Tummy)	Ending Sound (Hand)
Sun	/s/	/ʌ/	/n/
Dog	/d/	/ɒ/	/g/
Map	/m/	/æ/	/p/
Pig	/p/	/ɪ/	/g/

Exercise C: Rhyme Time Circle

Directions: Draw a line connecting the words that rhyme, or say them out loud with a partner to hear if the endings match!

- Cat → *(Matches with: Hat / Sun)*
- Sun → *(Matches with: Run / Pig)*
- Dog → *(Matches with: Log / Cup)*