



# GK-82

Intervention Activities Guide (IAG)  
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Graphophonemic Knowledge | Morphemes: Compound Words

## GK-82 Compound Word Sort

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Students learn about and sort compound words.

**MATERIALS:** *Word list, index cards, marker*

- 1 Select compound words that share some similar parts (e.g., anyone, anywhere, anyhow, someone, somewhere, something) and write them on index cards, one word per card.
- 2 Introduce or reintroduce the concept of compound words: Two different single words are combined to form one new word.
- 3 Provide multiple examples using simple words from everyday vocabulary (e.g., nightlight, bedroom, cookbook).
- 4 Working independently or in teams, students sort the word cards. Students should perform an "open sort," meaning they create their own criteria for sorting.



**PREPARATION OF MATERIALS:** Print the Word Cards. Cut the cards apart. Follow the directions for play.

Word Cards
anyone
anywhere
anyhow
anybody

Word Cards
someone
somewhere
something
somewhat

Word Cards
baseball
basketball
football
volleyball

Word Cards
inside
outside
everything
everybody

Word Cards
everyone
nothing
nowhere
nobody

Word Cards
footprint
footstool
moonlight
flashlight

anyone

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anywhere

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anyhow

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anybody

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someone

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somewhere

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something

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somewhat

GK-82

baseball

GK-82

basketball

GK-82

football

GK-82

volleyball

GK-82

inside

GK-82

outside

GK-82

everything

GK-82

everybody

GK-82

everyone

GK-82

nothing

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