

ACADEMIC VOCABULARY WORD OF THE WEEK:

Locate

What?

ACADEMIC VOCABULARY WORDS ARE "POWER VERBS:"

- the words used in the classroom & workplace
- the language of text
- the language of assessments
- the language of academic success
- the language of power

Why?

STUDENTS WHO MASTER ACADEMIC LANGUAGE ARE MORE LIKELY TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL SETTINGS. STUDENTS WHO DO *NOT* LEARN ACADEMIC LANGUAGE ARE MORE LIKELY TO STRUGGLE AND FALL BEHIND ON STANDARDS. -READING ROCKETS,

[HTTPS://WWW.COLORINCOLORADO.ORG/SITES/DEFAULT/FILES/ACADEMIC-LANGUAGE-PPT.PDF](https://www.colorincolorado.org/sites/default/files/academic-language-ppt.pdf)

How?

USE A VARIETY OF STRATEGIES TO PRACTICE ACADEMIC VOCABULARY WITH YOUR CHILD:

1. COMPLETE PROVIDED WEEKLY ACTIVITIES- PLAY VINGO THIS WEEK!
2. READ A VARIETY OF TEXTS AND TALK ABOUT THEM: FICTION, NON-FICTION, VARIOUS TOPICS. EVEN BOOKS LIKE, "WHERE'S WALDO?" OR "I SPY" CAN HELP YOUR CHILD PRACTICE THIS WEEK'S WORD: *I CAN LOCATE WALDO ON ____ . Or I CAN LOCATE A ____ .*
3. WRITE USING THE WORD IN STORIES, STUDENT CREATED DEFINITIONS, OR STUDENT GENERATED SENTENCES. (EXAMPLE: *THE SUPERHERO LOCATED THE VILLAIN AT THE ZOO.*)
4. PRACTICE USING CONVERSATIONAL AND ACADEMIC LANGUAGE USING SENTENCE FRAMES: (CONVERSATIONAL) *I CAN FIND ____ ON A MAP VS. (ACADEMIC) I CAN LOCATE ____ ON A MAP.*

Word of the Week Activity: VINGO

Complete at least **5** Vocabulary Activity squares in a row (across), column (up and down), or diagonal (corner to corner). For added fun play "Black out" completing every square on the VINGO board! Once completed take a picture or video showing the favorite activity completed from the VINGO board and send it to your child's teacher. Submitted pictures and videos will be put on the Rundle Website under the Vocabulary link so we can all see how Rundle Cardinals continue to stay *voraciously versed in valuable vocabulary!*

LOCATE

DEFINITION:

TO FIND SOMETHING.

// I NEED TO LOCATE THE MISSING TOY.

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**Part of
Speech:
Verb**



VINGO

Directions: Complete *at least 5* of the Vocabulary BINGO activities in a row, column, or on a diagonal. Share your favorite activities on the Rundle Website under the Vocabulary link by sending a video or a picture to your teacher.

Create a song, chant, or rap about the word: LOCATE	Go for a walk and play “I spy” using the word LOCATE . Example: “I can locate something that is ____.”	Create an acrostic poem for: Locate	Write a definition in your own words for: LOCATE	Create a picture to help you remember the word: LOCATE
Write all of the Academic Vocabulary Words in ABC order	Use an online crossword puzzle maker to make a crossword using the Academic Vocabulary Words	Design a wordsearch using the Academic Vocabulary Words	Write “ LOCATE ” on paper and hide it in your house. Give clues for your family to find the word.	Create an Academic Vision Board by locating relevant pictures & words from magazines, newspapers, or online
Play “Hangman” using the Academic Vocabulary Words	Play Memory Game using the Academic Vocabulary Words	Write 3 sentences using the word: LOCATE	Make quizzes using the Academic vocabulary Words and quiz your family!	Create a superhero character and write about him/her for the word: LOCATE
Make a sensory bag with little objects inside to “LOCATE” (<i>I CAN LOCATE A ____.</i>)	Design an exercise routine to spell out: LOCATE (ex: make an “L” shape with arms)	LOCATE 3 important places to you on a map	Word art- Build the word LOCATE using objects and take a picture of it	How many times can you LOCATE the word LOCATE in a magazine, newspaper, or online?
Play Charades using the Academic Vocabulary Words with your family	Count and sort the Academic Vocabulary Words by the number of syllables of each	Write a list of the all the things you can LOCATE in your home (can change locations for more fun).	Make a tongue twister for: LOCATE (ex: locate lollipops left on leaves)	Learn how to sign the word: Locate Bonus: teach a family member how to also!