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Go Fish

Syllables Rule 3

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Sometimes when 1 consonant comes between 2 vowels we divide *after* the consonant.

Go Fish Rules 1

1. Two to four players face each other.
2. A dealer shuffles the cards well.
3. Deal 5 cards face down to each player and themselves then places the remaining cards face down in the centre of the group.
4. Players pick up their cards being careful that the others do not see the pictures or words on their cards.
5. If players have matching cards they place them face down in front of them.
6. The dealer then asks any other player if they have a card that matches on in their hand eg "Eric, do you have comic?"

Go Fish Rules 2

7. If the answer is yes then the card must be handed over so the questioner can make a pair. The questioner then places the pair down and asks another player for a different card.
8. If the player doesn't have the requested card they must say either 'Go Fish' and the questioner must pick up a card from the pile in the centre of the group.
9. The game continues until there are no cards left.
10. The winner is the person with the most pairs.

This is the packs cover and rule cards.

Rule 3

Sometimes when 1 consonant stands between 2 vowels the word is divided *after* the consonant. The vowel will be short - he'll make his sound.

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Com / ic

Teaching Point

These are the exceptions to rule 2.

Now that the children know 3 basic syllable rules give them some multi syllabic words in large print to practise applying the rules. Model this for them beforehand.

e.g. re/lo/ca/tion = all rule 2
sat/is/fac/tion = rules 3, 1, 1.

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