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Same-Word Matching

Kindergarten Reading — Visual Word Discrimination

A. Match the Same Words

Draw a line from each word on the left to the **exact same word** on the right.

cat

box

sun

pig

pig

cat

map

red

red

sun

box

map

B. Which Word Is Different?

Look carefully at each row. Circle the one word that is different.

dog

dog

dig

dog

hat

hot

hat

hat

run

run

run

rug

bed

bed

bad

bed

cup

cap

cup

cup

Parent/Teacher Note: Encourage the child to look across the whole printed word—from the first letter to the last. This activity is about noticing whether printed words look exactly the same; the child does not need to read every word aloud.