

Overlay Maker

Create Overlay: Practice It

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Activity

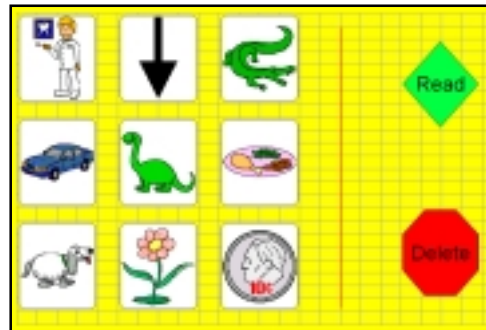
For this activity, you will create an overlay to help students identify words that start with the letter F, using IntelliTalk II and using your **D Words** overlay as a template. Students will use oral, written and visual language to communicate answers using technology.

*Note: If you are using a Macintosh, substitute the ⌘/Command key for the Ctrl/Control key in the keyboard shortcuts.

Instructions

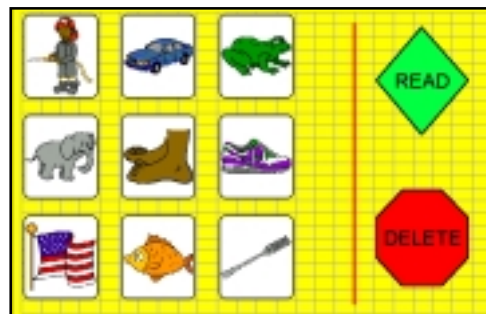
1. Activity

- Locate the [D Words overlay](#) and open it.
- Save the overlay as **F Words** overlay.



2. Edit the Existing Overlay

- Create an overlay with words that start with the letter F, using your **D Words** overlay as a template. Edit the pictures on the keys to look like the overlay on the right.
- Edit the key content of the picture keys, using the picture to the right as a guide. Your **Read** and **Delete** key **Key Content** will remain the same.



3. Save, Send and Test the Overlay

- Re-save your overlay and print a copy.
- From the **File** menu, select **Send Overlay**.
- Open IntelliTalk II. Set it to **Speak Words** and **Speak Sentences**.
- Slide the printed overlay into the IntelliKeys keyboard.
- Press the keys on the overlay to hear the words spoken and the sentences read. Test the **Read** and **Delete** keys by pressing them. Edit the overlay if needed. Return to Overlay Maker, make your changes, re-save and then re-send your overlay.

