

# Matching Game -ear (long e) Words

This game is played like the memory match card game that many children are familiar with.

## Materials:

18 word family cards: -ear (long e) words  
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## Set up:

Copy the cards on card stock so students cannot see through the paper.

-ear (long e) word

fear

-ear (long e) word

fear



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flips a card over, he or she should read the word aloud.

Player 1 flips two cards. If the cards match, he or she gets to keep both cards. If the cards do not match, then the cards are flipped back upside-down.

Then player 2 gets a turn to try to flip matching cards. Players alternate until all cards have been removed from the game.

When the game is over, the player with the most cards is the winner.



-ear (long e) word

**fear**

-ear (long e) word

**fear**

-ear (long e) word

**bear**

-ear (long e) word

**bear**



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**near**

**near**

-ear (long e) word

**year**

-ear (long e) word

**year**



-ear (long e) word

dear

-ear (long e) word

dear

-ear (long e) word

rear

-ear (long e) word

rear



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gear

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-ear (long e) word

clear

-ear (long e) word

clear



-ear (long e) word

tear

-ear (long e) word

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