

Lesson Title: Jeopardy PowerPoint
Curriculum: All areas
Grade-Level Span: Grades 4 - 8

Prerequisites

Basic PowerPoint skills

Washington State EALR Correlation

Communication – 2.5
Math – 4.1
Reading – 1.5, 3.1
Science – 2.2, 3.2
Social Studies/History – 2.1, 3.3
Social Studies/Geography – 3.2
Writing – 3.1, 3.4, 3.5

National Educational Technology Standards for Students – Performance Indicators

Grades 3 – 5: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10
Grades 6 – 8: 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10


Purpose

To create a study or research game using PowerPoint.


Description

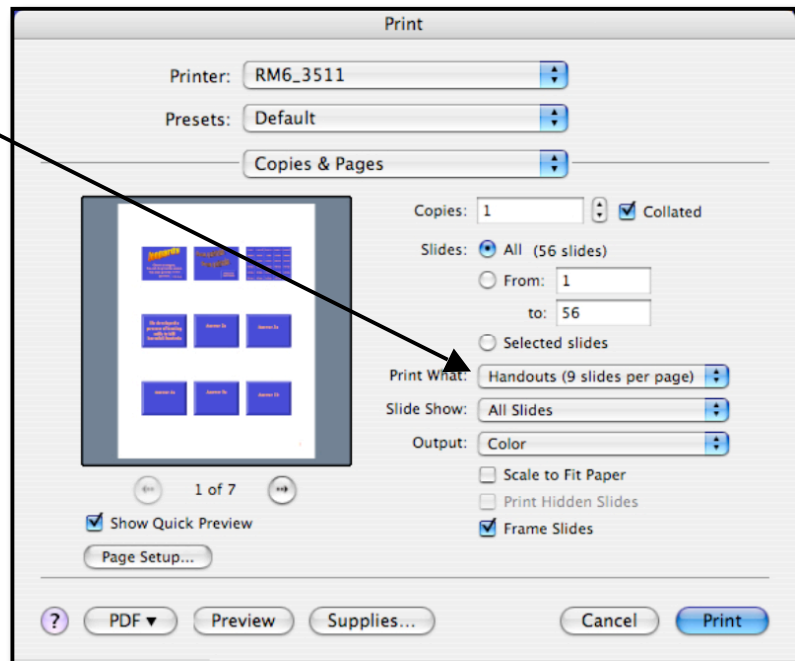
Students will research a curriculum area and using a PowerPoint template, create a Jeopardy game to be used as a class/peer study guide.

Activities

1. Open  jeopardy template 25.ppt this file.
2. Before you begin, let's save it with a different name so that you don't replace the template with your new game. To do this, click FILE and then SAVE AS (not save) and rename it from "jeopardy template 25.ppt" to whatever the topic of this game is.
3. Click on Slide #3 on the left side of the window.
4. You will then see the board with the categories and choices. Click once on the first category heading. When you see the text box appear you can highlight that text and type in your replacement. Do this for each of the category headings.



5. Then click on the Slide 4 and in the same manner as above, replace that text with the Answer (remember this is jeopardy, we give the students the answer and have them give us the question in return) that you want to be the 10 point answer for the first category.
6. [Attached](#) are the slide numbers as they match up to the categories so that you can match the answers and questions on the appropriate slides.
7. Be sure to save what you have done. (Since we've already saved it when we began, this time you can just hit the save button  on the toolbar.)
8. Then go back and play the game yourself to make sure that the correct answers and questions are together.
9. I would also print out a master copy for you to use as the students are playing the game. An easy way to do this and still save paper is to select FILE and PRINT. Then when you see this window, where it asks "Print What," select "Handouts (9 slides per page)." This way you will not be printing 56 slides all on an individual sheet.



Tools and Resources

1 computer per student/group
Microsoft PowerPoint

Assessment

Students will be assessed by a rubric, created by the teacher, which identifies the degree of success to which the student analyzed research information and generated questions and answers to fit the game.

Credits

This game was adapted from an original lesson by Kim Overstreet.

Comments

When playing the game, tell the students not to click on a title within the game. They are to click in the blue space within each section.