

Word Workout



Vocabulary

country travel

Let's think of places we have traveled to in our country. Washington, D.C. is a fun place to visit. What would we see there? That's right! The White House is in Washington, D.C. That is where the President lives and works. Are there other places in our country where you might like to travel? The Grand Canyon would be a beautiful place to visit. Can you draw a picture of this national park? Great work!

My Words to Know

High-Frequency Words: **this, what**

I will write the words *this* and *what*. Can you write each word? Nice! Now let's think of sentences with each word and I'll write them down. One symbol of this country is the American flag. What is the name of a national monument? Let's write each sentence together. Can you underline the words *this* and *what*? Great!

Category Words: locations

school store farm

Let's play "Guess the Place." I'll give you clues and you have to guess what is the place I'm thinking about. Listen carefully:

- *This is a building where children go to learn. What is it? (a school)*
- *You can go to this place to buy things you need. What is it? (a store)*
- *In this place there are a lot of animals. We can get eggs from the hens and milk from the cows there. What is it? (a farm)*

Phonics: y, z I'm thinking of a word that begins with y. It is the opposite of *no*. Right, it's *yes*! Let's write *yes* on the list under the letter y. Now I'm thinking of a word that begins with z. It's something on your jacket that you pull up and down. You're right It's a *zipper*. Let's write the word under the letter z. Can you guess more words that begin with y or z?