

citizen



cit·i·zen (n.)

Teach the Word

- 1 Say the word. Ask children to repeat it.
- 2 Explain the meaning. *A **citizen** is a member of a community, state, or country.*
- 3 Talk about examples.

Use the Image *A **citizen** pledges loyalty to her country's flag.*

Make a Connection Place your hand over your heart and look at the flag. Say the Pledge of Allegiance. ***Citizens** promise to be loyal to their country.*

difference



dif • fer • ence (n.)

Teach the Word

- 1 Say the word. Ask children to repeat it.
- 2 Explain the meaning. *When people make a **difference**, they do something that helps others.*
- 3 Talk about examples.

Use the Image *We all made a **difference** by working together to clean up the park.*

Make a Connection Relate the concept to children's lives. *When you recycle paper or bottles, you make a **difference** in the world.*

kind



kind (adj.)

Teach the Word

- 1 Say the word. Ask children to repeat it.
- 2 Explain the meaning. *Someone who is **kind** is nice, caring, or gentle.*
- 3 Talk about examples.

Use the Image *Sharing an umbrella on a rainy day is a **kind** thing to do.*

Act It Out Demonstrate acts of kindness, such as comforting or helping a friend, or complimenting someone. *We are **kind** when we say something nice to someone.*