

elected



e • lect • ed (adj.)

Teach the Word

- 1 Say the word. Ask children to repeat it.
- 2 Explain the meaning. *Someone who is elected has been chosen for a job.*
- 3 Talk about examples.

Use the Image *After voting, the students elected Juanita to be class leader.*

Make a Connection Name an elected official whom children will know. *The president is elected every four years.*

local



lo • cal (adj.)

Teach the Word

- 1 Say the word. Ask children to repeat it.
- 2 Explain the meaning. *Something that is **local** is in the area where you live.*
- 3 Talk about examples.

Use the Image *We visited the **local** farmers' market.*

Make a Connection Name a local grocery store. *We can buy food from **local** farms at this store.*

mock



mock (adj.)

Teach the Word

- 1 Say the word. Ask children to repeat it.
- 2 Explain the meaning. *A **mock** version of something is not real.*
- 3 Talk about examples.

Use the Image *She set up a **mock** doctor's office for her stuffed animals.*

Act It Out Have children act out a mock interview. *They are acting out a **mock** interview.*

compliment



com • pli • ment (n.)

Teach the Word

- 1 Say the word. Ask children to repeat it.
- 2 Explain the meaning. *A **compliment** is a nice thing to say about someone.*
- 3 Talk about examples.

Use the Image *My grandmother gave me a **compliment** on my baking skills.*

Act It Out Give a child a compliment. *I gave _____ a **compliment** about his/her _____.*