**Objective**

The student will identify the multiple meanings of words.

**Materials**

- Multiple Meaning Bugs work boards (Activity Master V.012.AM1a - V.012.AM1f)
  
  *Copy on card stock, laminate, and cut.*

- Meaning word circles (Activity Master V.012.AM2a - V.012.AM2b)
  
  *Copy on card stock, laminate, and cut.*

- Student sheet (Activity Master V.012.SS)

- Pencil

**Activity**

Students identify multiple meanings of words while making bugs.

1. Place the Multiple Meaning Bugs work boards face up in rows. Place the meaning word circles face down in a stack. Provide the student with a student sheet.
2. The student reads each word on the head of each bug.
3. Selects a meaning word circle from the stack, reads it, and determines meaning (e.g., “lid for a bottle; that is a cap”). Places on the work board containing the corresponding word.
4. Continues until all bugs have two meaning word circles on them.
5. Selects two words and definitions from the work boards and records on student sheet.
6. Teacher evaluation

**Extensions and Adaptations**

- Use other words with multiple meanings to record on student sheet.
- Make and use other multiple meaning bugs and meaning word circles (Activity Master V.012.AM3 - V.012.AM4).
Multiple Meaning Bugs

V.012.AM1d

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K-1 Student Center Activities: Vocabulary
multiple meaning bugs work board

rock
insect

to annoy someone

sound a dog makes

outside covering of a tree

a flying mammal

a big stick used to hit a ball
Vocabulary

Multiple Meaning Bugs

- a covering for a head
- a lid for a bottle
- a stone
- sway
- band worn on finger
- sound a bell makes

meaning word circles
Multiple Meaning Bugs

blank multiple meaning bugs work board