

Goal • Use this game to help remember science terms.

What to Do

Your teacher will show you a list of words related to the topic you have just covered. In the time given, memorize as many of them as possible. After the list is taken away, write definitions of as many terms as you can remember; one definition per box.

DATE:

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Teacher Notes, Memory Board

Write or project a dozen or more terms from the current chapter or unit on the board. Give students one minute to memorize the list, and then remove or erase the list. Ask students to write the definitions to as many of the terms as they can remember. Limit the time for this to 3 to 5 minutes, depending on the complexity of the definitions required.

When time is up, review the terms and the definitions by having students volunteer their definitions.

Students can generate their own “challenge list” of terms to try to stump their classmates; or you might ask students to make sketches to accompany the definitions or to replace the definition.