High-Frequency Word Bingo

Students play bingo to practice reading high-frequency words.
MATERIALS: Word list, chalkboard/chalk, index cards, bingo boards, chips/counters, pencils/markers

1. Select 20 different high-frequency words and write them on the chalkboard large enough for students to view.
2. Write the 20 words on index cards, shuffle and place in a pile.
3. Create blank bingo boards with five columns and four rows, for a total of 20 squares.
4. Give each student a blank bingo board and 20 chips.
5. Using the words on the chalkboard, students fill in the squares on their boards in random order, writing one word per square.
6. One at a time, draw a word card from the pile and call it out. Students use a chip to cover a square with the word called.
7. The first student to cover an entire row or column wins.
8. Students clear their boards and play again as time permits.

PREPARATION OF MATERIALS: Print a blank 20 square BINGO sheet for each student. Print the High-Frequency Word Cards. Cut the cards apart. Follow the directions for play.

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