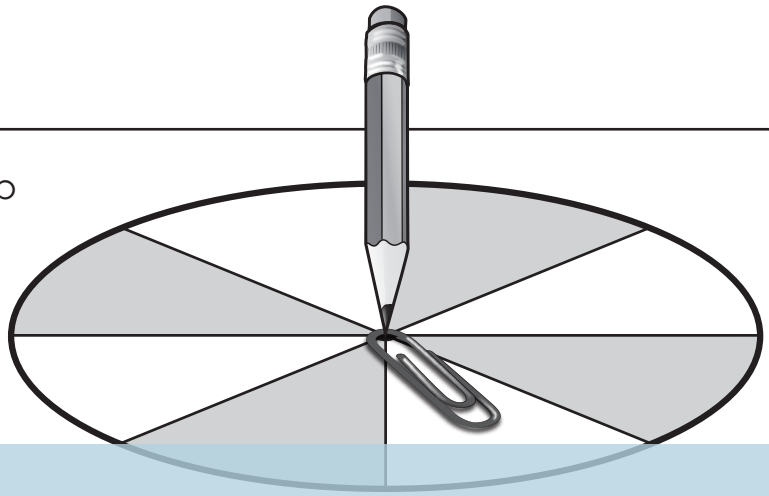
Name: _____

Nonsense Words Spinner

How to use the spinner

Place the large end of the paperclip so it is around the center dot of the spinner. Place the tip of a pencil on the center dot, making sure it is inside the paper clip.



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Spinner Memory Match (Small Groups or Pairs)

Write the words on flashcards (index cards) and flip them upside-down on the table. Students take turns spinning the spinner. They read the word, then try to find the corresponding flashcard. If the student finds the correct flashcard, they get to keep it. If the student picks a card that does not match, they flip it back over. The student with the most words at the end of the game wins.

Spell and Spin (Pairs)

Students work in pairs to play this game. Have one student sit with their back to the spinner. The other student spins the spinner and reads the word aloud. Then they ask their partner to spell it. After three spins, they switch roles. Since these are nonsense words, students may give spellings that work but are not the ones shown. If that happens, students may discuss why the different spellings work.

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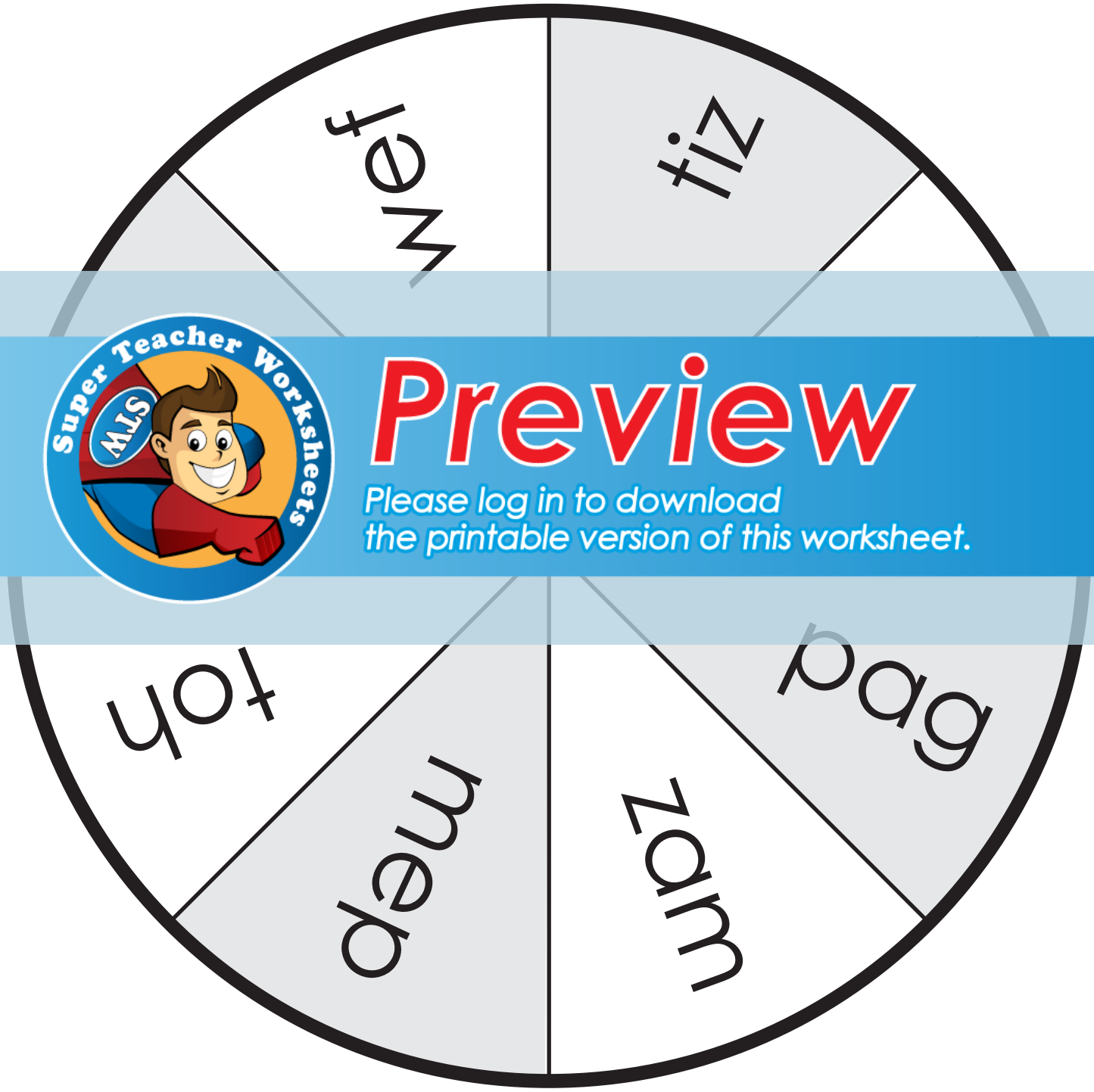

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