

Capital Collage



Materials

- ✓ Sentence Strips reproducible (page 47)
- ✓ scissors
- ✓ construction paper
- ✓ glue
- ✓ old magazines and newspapers
- ✓ crayons or markers
- ✓ bookbinding material

Make several copies of the Sentence Strips reproducible, and cut apart the strips. Write *Capital Collage* on a piece of construction paper to create a cover for the class book. Give each child a piece of construction paper and a sentence strip.

Ask children to write their name on the first blank. Remind them to begin their name with a capital letter. Have children glue the sentence strip to the bottom of their paper. Have children look through magazines and newspapers to find examples of the capital letter that their name begins with and cut them out. Ask children to glue one of their cutout letters to the final blank of their sentence strip. Have them glue the other cutout letters to their paper to create a collage. Invite children to use crayons or markers to add decorative letters to their page. Combine the pages to make a class book, and put it in the classroom library for children to enjoy.

