

Metalinguistics

Metalinguistic Awareness – refers to student's ability to understand the nature of language rather than using language to communicate.

Objective – develop and improve

- Word Awareness – what is a word
- Form Awareness – Syntactic / Semantic
- Pragmatic Awareness - Social Communication
- Phonemic Awareness – awareness of the concepts about the structure of words (individual phonemes)
- Phonological Awareness – awareness of the concepts about the way spoken words sound including an understanding that words can be broken into syllables, and understanding of alliteration, onset & rime and rhyme