

RED LIGHT, GREEN LIGHT

Red light! Green light! A classic and simple race game for all. You don't need any extra materials to play this simple game. Have fun, get some energy out, and keep communicating! Use your high-tech AAC device or a low-tech back up, just keep talking and keep it natural.

CORE WORDS

Are	I
Do/Did	You
Go	He
Is	She
Like	Big
Stop	Little
Take	Fast
Win	Slow
All	There

MATERIALS

Place to run (hallway, field, etc.)	AAC Device AAC User You
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Model It on the AAC Device



Modeling on your child's device is just "talking" using his/her language! When you say a word with your voice, also say it using your child's device. Look up the words that you are going model using WORD FINDER before you start playing. Start with one word and then add 1-2 words.

Reasons to Communicate	One Word	Two Words	Three (+) Words
Getting Wants/Needs Met (requesting objects/activities/ permission/attention, etc., directing action/to stop, request help)	Stop Go You Me There Take Red Green	You go All go All stop Go there Stop there Take big Go slow Green go	All go fast All stop here Take big ones You go slow Go there fast You go slower He go faster Go there fast
Exchange Information (share and show objects, confirm/deny, request information, etc.)	Stop Go Fast Slow You Me He She Win All Take	Go fast Go slow All go All stop You win He win She fast She go Go there Stop here Take big	She go fast You go fast He go slow All stop there Take big ones She win it You did it You are fast Take little fast You go there
Social Closeness/Etiquette (greet, take turns, comment, etc.)	Win You Good Like Fun Fast Slow Big Little	You win I win Good job Take big Go slow Go fast You fast That big That little	You win it You go/went fast That is big She go slower I like that That is fun You took big I take little You are fast

Tips to Engage, Expand, and Succeed:

- The rules are simple. All the racers start at one point. One person acts as a stop light saying "red light" or "green light". Red light means stop; green light means go. Whoever gets to the finish line or tags the stop light first is the winner.
- Focus on modeling core words while playing this game. You can say **red, green, go, or stop** to direct the racers.
 - You can use other core words to direct how the racers move toward the finish line: **go slow, go fast, slower, faster, take big** steps, **take little** steps
- Looking for more creative ideas for Red Light, Green Light? Try giving directions to walk like different animals, take a certain number of steps, or use other describing words to tell the racers how to move.
 - You can also give directions to each racer individually. You can give the same direction to each individual or change it.
 - Or add more steps to the directions for the racers to move forward. For example, "Take 3 big steps, then jump 2 times."
- Remember, to talk like you naturally would and have fun!

Using a PRC device and don't see a word you want to say? Find a quick video on how to add a word to your device:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCT1pgntWkIA5rKIOVZGxOYA>

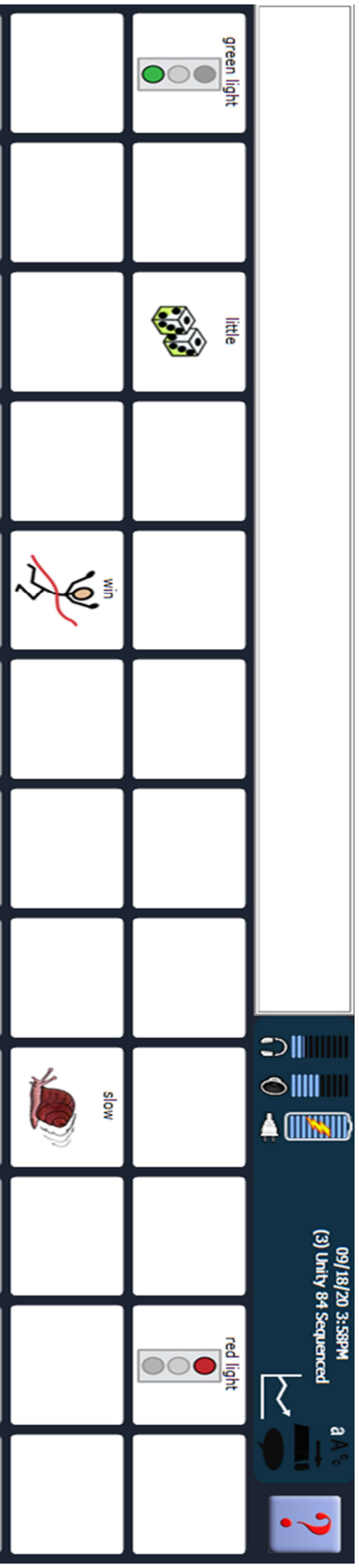
Using a low-tech communication board? Or need some choices to help you communicate during this activity? The following strips can be used as choice boards or fringe vocabulary for the above activity. If you are using this as fringe vocabulary, you will need a single page communication board. These boards are available on our website. Download the boards here: <https://aadanguagelab.com/resources/unity-manual-communication-boards> You can add these a three ring binder, OR you can Velcro these to the top of a single page low-tech core word board.



Attached to a one-page communication board.

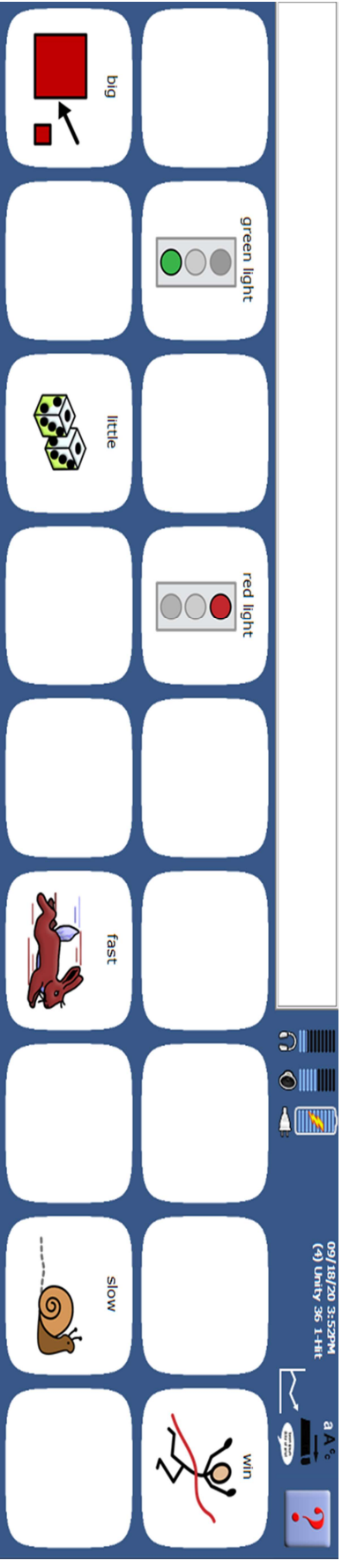


You can add this one to the LAMP WFL or Unity 84 low tech board.



The strip features a grid of 12 icons and Chinese characters. From left to right, the icons are: a traffic light with the green light lit (labeled 'green light'), two dice (labeled 'little'), a stick figure with arms raised (labeled 'win'), a snail (labeled 'slow'), and a traffic light with the red light lit (labeled 'red light'). The strip also includes a status bar at the bottom with the date '09/18/20 3:58PM', the text '(3) Unity 84 Sequenced', and a battery icon.

You can add this one to the Unity 28, 36, 45, or 60 low tech board.



The strip features a grid of 12 icons and Chinese characters. From left to right, the icons are: a large red square with a smaller red square below it (labeled 'big'), a traffic light with the green light lit (labeled 'green light'), two dice (labeled 'little'), a traffic light with the red light lit (labeled 'red light'), a rabbit (labeled 'fast'), a snail (labeled 'slow'), and a stick figure with arms raised (labeled 'win'). The strip also includes a status bar at the bottom with the date '09/18/20 3:52PM', the text '(4) Unity 36 1-Fit', and a battery icon.