DIRECT STRATEGIES: SPEAKING

STRATEGY GROUP: Memory

STRATEGY SET: Applying images and sounds

STRATEGY: Representing sounds in memory

Rhymes are a well-known example of representing sounds in memory. Most English speakers know the helpful spelling rhyme. "I before E except after C". Learners can use rhyme, especially in context, to remember new vocabulary.

E.g.: Rollande uses rhymes to learn the sound of the English words. In the mid of a conversation, he pronounces "goat" and he makes an analogy with the pronunciation of the words "coat, float, boat..."