**Synonyms:** A word or phrase that means exactly or nearly the same as another word or phrase in the same language.

**Examples:**
- Hop, Jump, Leap
- Listen, Hear
- House, Home
- Fast, Quick, Speedy
- Strange, Odd, Peculiar
- Ill, Sick
- False, Untrue
- Smelly, Stinky

**Activity:** Pick a word on the board and try to think of a synonym of that word. Once you have it, write it down on the “straw” and come and put it in the cup with the word that it is a synonym for.

The boy **hopped** over the puddle.
The boy **jumped** over the puddle.
The boy **leaped** over the puddle.

**Synonyms, mean the same, when I say a word, you say its other name...**