

Shades of Meaning Paint Chip

- Help develop student understanding of the differences between related words
- Students identify a continuum of words related to a theme or idea
- Discuss and write the words on the colored section of the paint chip to clarify meaning and understanding.
- Students provide examples from their own experiences.

Example: Students created this paint chip on the theme of friendship after reading “Owen and Mzee: The True Story of a Remarkable Friendship (Hatkoff, Hatkoff, and Kahumbu 2006).

