

Title of Book: Green Eggs and Ham

Author & Illustrator: Dr. Seuss

Publisher: Random House Books **Copyright Year**: 1960

Reading Level: Grade K-2 **Genre:** Fiction

SYNOPSIS OF STORY: Do you like green eggs and ham? He may not like them in a house, with a mouse, in a box, or with a fox. Sam finds out that he may actually like green eggs and ham, if only he would try them. This is a classic Dr. Seuss book that includes the element of rhyme. Will Sam-I-am finally try a plate of this new dish?

THEME: Rhyme

ACTIVITY 1:

Origin: http://atozteacherstuff.com/pages/250.shtml#green

Objective:

• After learning about rhymes, the student will play rhyming bingo.

Play rhyming bingo with the class. Have a caller read a word, while the rest of the class matches a word that rhymes. Whoever gets five in a row matched wins the game!

ACTIVITY 2:

Origin: Idea modified from http://atozteacherstuff.com/pages/250.shtml#green **Objective**:

• After reading the book, the student will decorate an egg with the book's theme.

Do artwork on eggshells! Poke small holes in both ends of the egg. Gently blow the insides of the egg out through one end. Once the egg is hollow, use paints to decorate the egg with the theme of Green Eggs and Ham.