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## Family Sentence Fun Answer Key

1. -at family: The cat sat on the mat.
2. -op family: The mop fell on top of the stop sign.
3. -ake family: We bake a cake by the lake.
4. -ing family: The king found a ring with a golden wing.

### Follow-Up Task (Sample):

- From #1:

*The cat sat on the mat,*

*He wore a very silly hat.*

(Answers will vary; accept any correct sentences that use two+ words from the family.)

### Teacher Notes / Guide

- **Purpose:** This activity builds **automatic recognition of word families** while reinforcing sentence fluency. Students gain practice in both decoding rhyming words and applying them in **meaningful sentences**.
- **Implementation Tips:**
  - Model one example for the class (e.g., write a sentence on the board using -op family words).
  - Encourage students to reread sentences in pairs or small groups for extra fluency practice.
  - Celebrate creative or silly sentences to keep engagement high.
- **Differentiation:**
  - For beginning readers: provide sentence frames (e.g., "The \_\_\_ sat on the \_\_\_").
  - For advanced readers: challenge them to write **four-line poems** using one family.