## Three-Way Tie

This strategy helps students explore relationships among any three words.

## Teacher Preparation:

1. Prepare a list of vocabulary words.
2. Make a copy of the Three-Way Tie graphic organizer (5-2-2) for each student.

Lesson Plan:

1. Select 3 words from the vocabulary list or have each student select his/her own 3.
2. Direct students to write one word in each of the 3 boxes of the organizer.
3. Along each line, students should explain the relationship between the 2 words being connected.
NOTE: The students will need to be creative in developing relationships between seemingly unrelated words.

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## Three-Way Tie Graphic Organizer



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