

 **TPR (Total Physical Response).** This is where the teacher gives commands and the students listen and obey the commands. A lot of real objects are used, as well as gestures and pantomime. The students don't say anything; they just do actions. It's similar to "Simon Says."

### Sample TPR Activity

T: Listen as I say some words.

[Say the words 2-3 times below as you pantomime the actions or pick up the objects.]

T: Now, you do the actions and point to the objects as I say them.

[Say all the words 2-3 times again. Pantomime and point, and encourage the students to pantomime and point also.]

Ss: *pantomime and point to objects*

T: Now I'll say the words and you do the actions without any help from me.

[Say all the words again 2-3 times, perhaps in a different order. Don't pantomime or point. Repeat words that the students don't remember.]

Ss: *pantomime and point to objects*

read	paper	your
write	pen	my
listen	pencil	his
repeat	book	her
	name	

Write.

Write your name.

Write your name with the pen / pencil.

Write your name on your paper / book.

Write your name with the pen / pencil on your paper / book.

Write his name ...