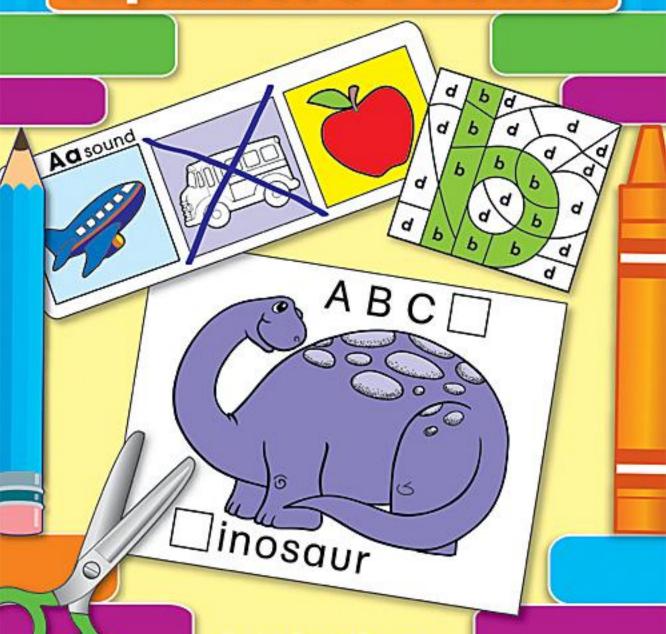


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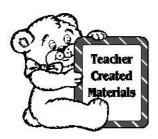
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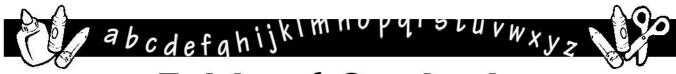
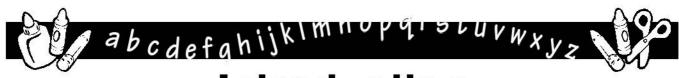


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Introduction

The activity sheets in this book can be used to provide written work for reinforcement of phonics concepts. The activities also serve as a measure to track students' progress in phonics and phonemic awareness.

Phonics is a method of teaching students how to read by learning the sounds that each letter and group of letters make. When the students understand these letter-sound relationships, successful reading can occur.

Phonemic awareness is the realization that words are composed of separate sounds and the ability to hear and manipulate those sounds.

This book introduces students to pre-kindergarten and kindergarten language arts standards in small increments. Each activity is designed to meet specific standards necessary for reading mastery.

At the beginning of the book, you will find several lessons for each letter that review that letter's shape and sound. The section following Letters and Individual Letter Sounds is composed of letter sound review activities practicing memory of the letter sounds with a variety of letters and sounds on each page. You will then find a section that reviews the essential skill of matching uppercase and lowercase letters. Next, you will find pages that review rhyming, sight words, positioning events and/or letters in correct order, and spatial concepts. These skills meet standards that are vital to understanding the language and breaking down phonetic codes when learning to read. The standards required for pre-kindergarten and kindergarten-aged children are listed on page 4.

In the book, *Skill Builders for Young Learners: Alphabet and Phonics*, each activity is designed to give the student enjoyable reinforcement of phonics and phonemic awareness. These activities are appropriate for review at school or at home.



abcdefahijk mnopqi stuvwxyz





Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten

Visual Discrimination/Perception

Student can discriminate between letters.

Letter Identification

Student can identify the letters in the alphabet.

Beginning Letter Sounds

Student is able to match initial consonants to the sounds that they make.

Student is able to match initial vowels to the sounds that they make.

Matching Uppercase to Lowercase Letters

Student can identify and match partner letters.

Letter Position

Student is aware of the order that letters occur in the alphabet.

Rhyming

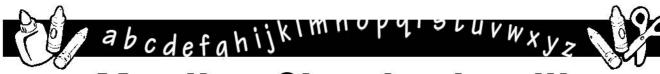
Student can identify words that rhyme.

Sight Words

Student is able to recognize common sight words.

Spatial Concepts

Student can identify positions such as on, beside, behind, in, outside, above, below, and between.



Meeting Standards with This Book

Visual Discrimination/Perception

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Letter Identification

all pages

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Matching Uppercase to Lowercase Letters

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Letter Position

pages 90, 91, 92

Rhyming

pages 84, 85, 86

Sight Words

pages 87, 88, 89

Spatial Concepts

pages 93, 94, 95, 96



Letter Sounds

Short Vowels		Long	Long Vowels	
/a/	<u>a</u> pple	/a/	<u>a</u> pe	
/e/	<u>e</u> lephant	/e/	<u>e</u> nough	
/i/	<u>ig</u> loo	/i/	<u>i</u> ce	
/o/	<u>o</u> ctopus	/o/	<u>o</u> ver	
/u/	<u>u</u> mbrella	/u/	<u>u</u> nicorn	

The letters a, e, i, o and u are always labeled vowels.

Consonants

/b/	<u>b</u> alloon	/p/	<u>p</u> encil
/c	<u>c</u> ake	/q/	<u>q</u> ueen
/d/	<u>d</u> inosaur	/r/	<u>r</u> obot
/ f /	<u>f</u> an	/s/	<u>s</u> un
/g/	<u>g</u> opher	/ t /	<u>t</u> urtle
/h/	<u>h</u> at	/v/	<u>v</u> ase
/ j /	<u>j</u> et	/w/	<u>w</u> atermelon
/k/	<u>k</u> angaroo	/x/	bo <u>x</u>
/1/	<u>l</u> ion	/ y /	<u>y</u> ard
/m/	<u>m</u> onkey	/z/	<u>z</u> ebra
/n/	<u>n</u> ut		

Consonants are usually the letters that are not vowels.

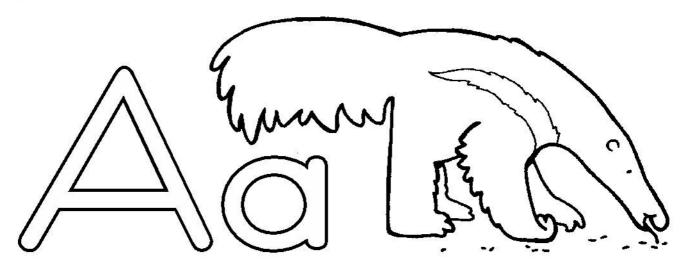
Hard "c" generally produces the /k/ sound when followed by a, o, u, or a consonant.



Aa

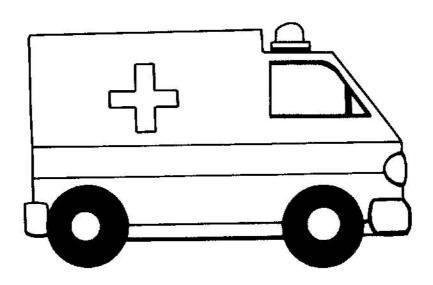


Circle all of the uppercase A's and lowercase a's in the box.



X n m z A b D d W
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t X A a A a A m H
b a m b D H f a r
A f b q v c x c A

A Is for Ambulance

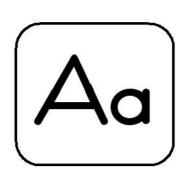


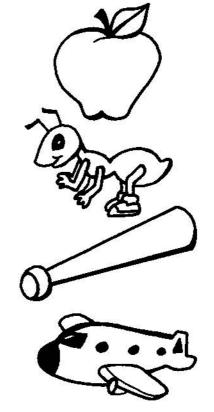


Draw lines from the letter $\triangle a$ to the pictures that begin with the /a/a sound.



Color the pictures.







Ape for Apples!



Trace the uppercase A and the lowercase a.



Trace the word \underline{ape} and the word \underline{apples} .



Color the ape and the apples.



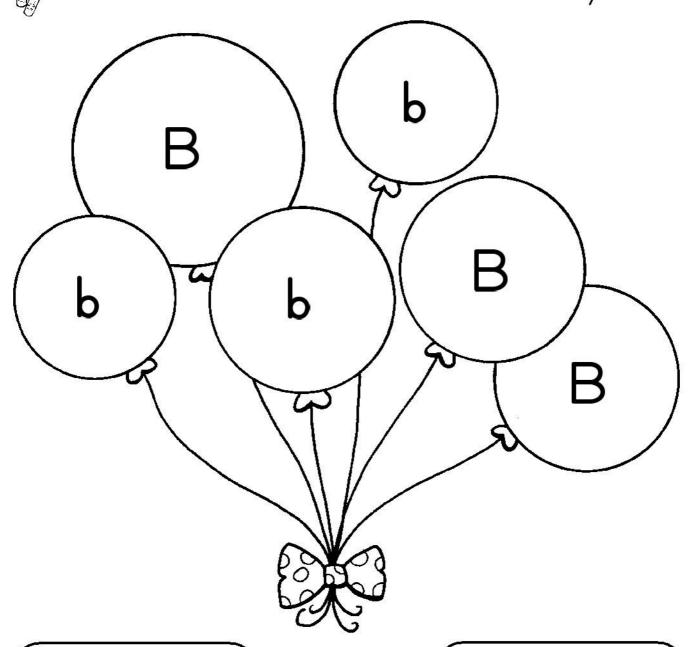


B Is for Balloon



Color all of the balloons with a B on them with a blue crayon.

Color all of the balloons with a b on them with a brown crayon.



B=blue

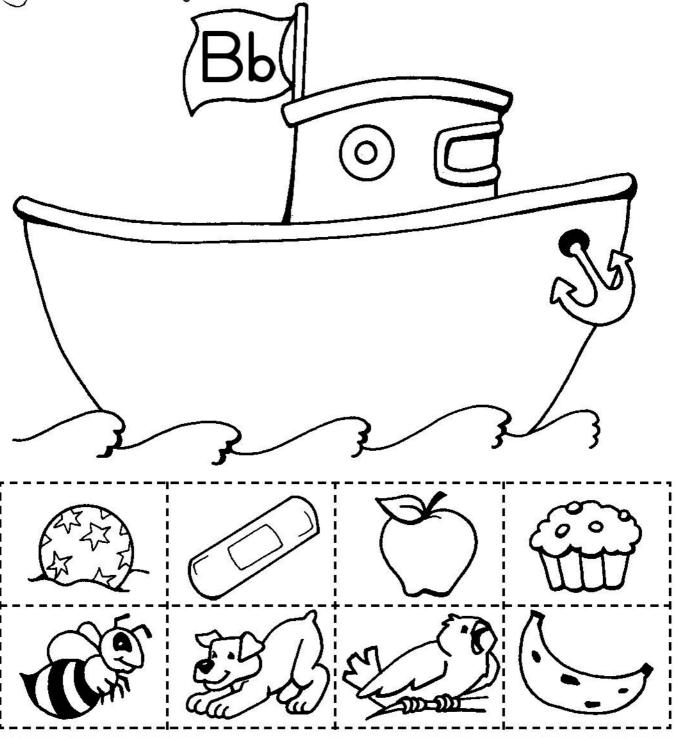
b=brown



Fill the Boat!

 $\stackrel{>}{\sim}$ Cut out the objects that begin with the /b/ sound as in the word <u>boat</u>.

Glue the /b/ objects in the boat.





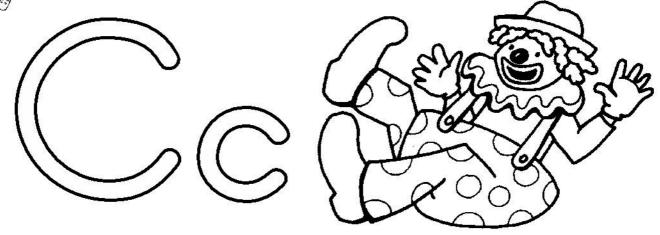
C Is for Clown



Color the Cc's and the clown.



Find all of the C's in the box. Circle all of the C's.



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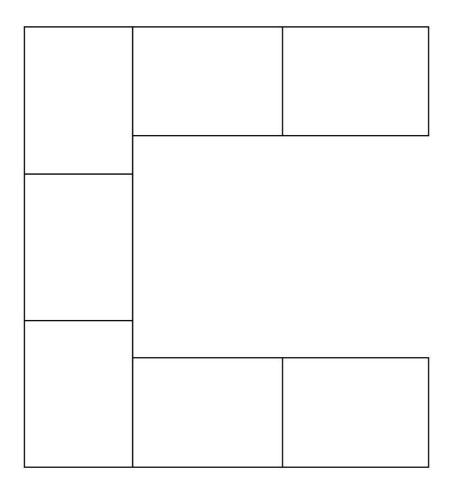
C Sounds

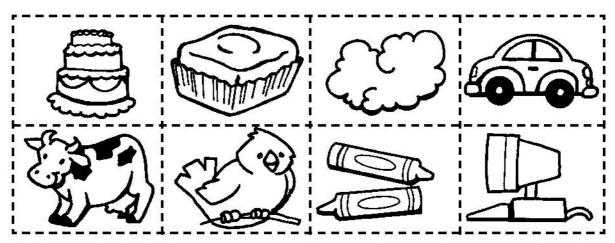


Cut out the pictures that begin with the /c/ sound.



Glue the Cc words onto the rectangles.



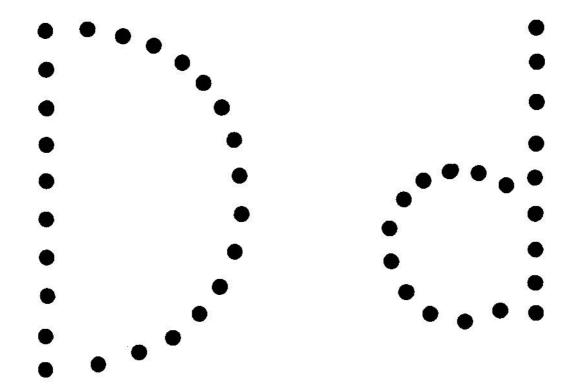




D Is for Dot-to-Dot!



Connect the dots to create the letters D and d.



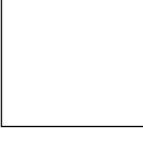


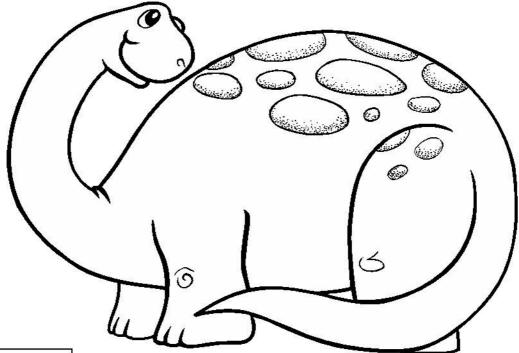
Draw a picture of something that starts with the letter Dd.

Dd is for



Drake the Dinosaur





inosaur



Cut out the letter D and the letter d.



Paste them in the correct boxes.



Color the dinosaur.



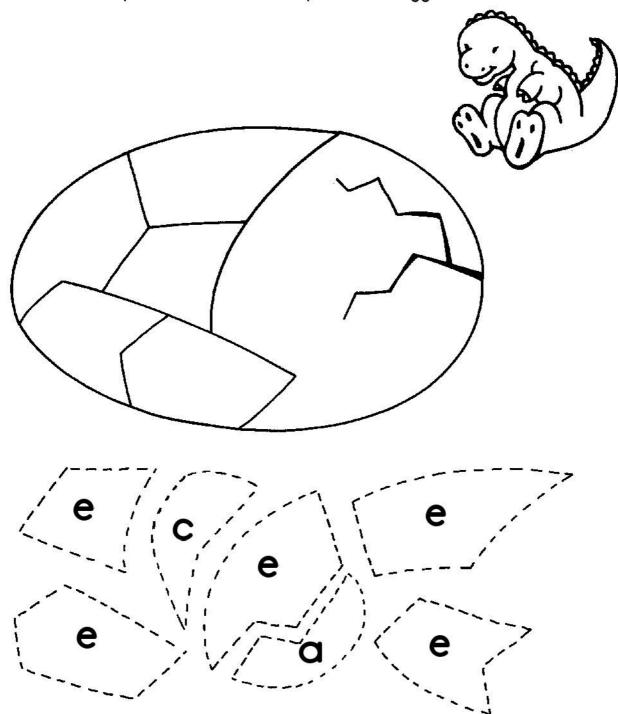
The Cracked Egg



Cut out the lowercase e pieces at the bottom.



Glue each piece in the correct spot on the egg.



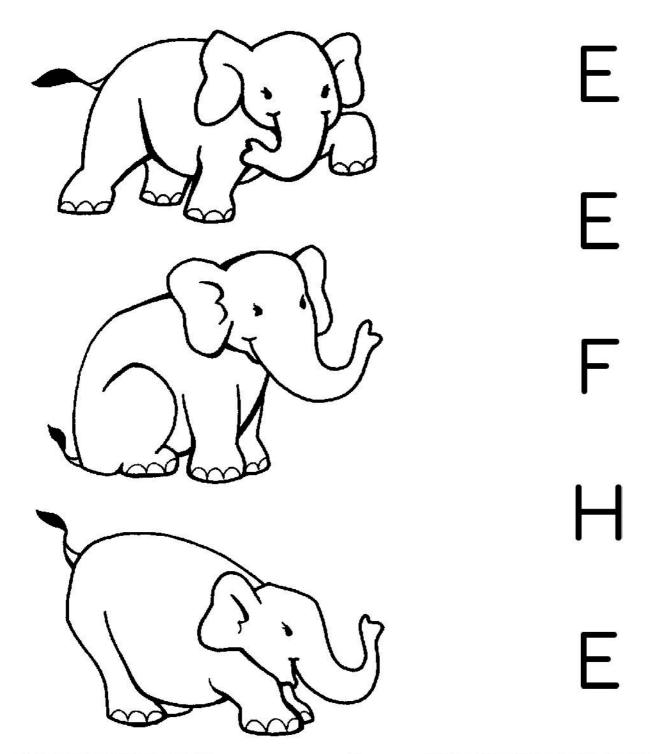
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E Is for Elephant



Draw a line from each elephant to the letter E.



Eagle and Her Eggs



Trace the letters E and e.

Trace the words <u>eggs</u> and <u>eagle</u>.

Color the eagle and the eggs.

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eagle

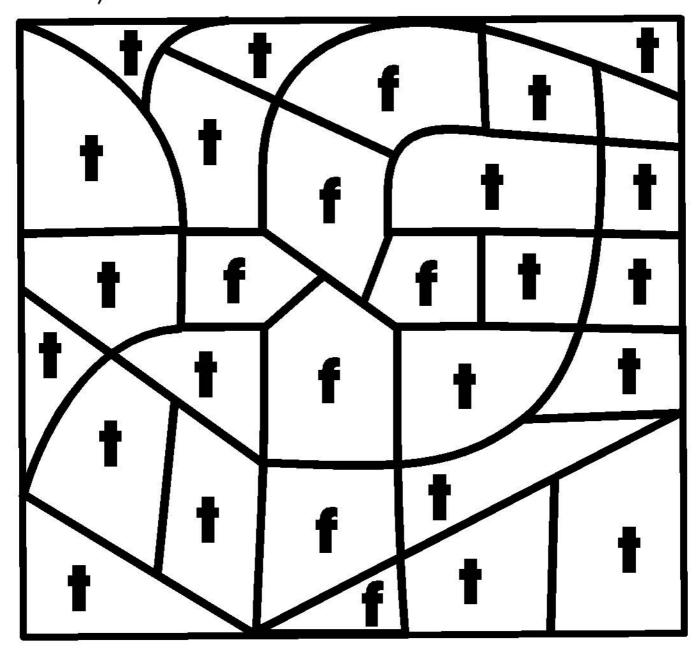
#3687 Skill Builders: Alphabet and Phonics



Letter Find: f



Color the shapes that have the letter f inside them with your favorite crayon.





What do you see? Write the letter here.



F Is for Friend



Draw a picture of your friend in the box.

Trace the letters for the word <u>friend</u>.



friend

A Popularion

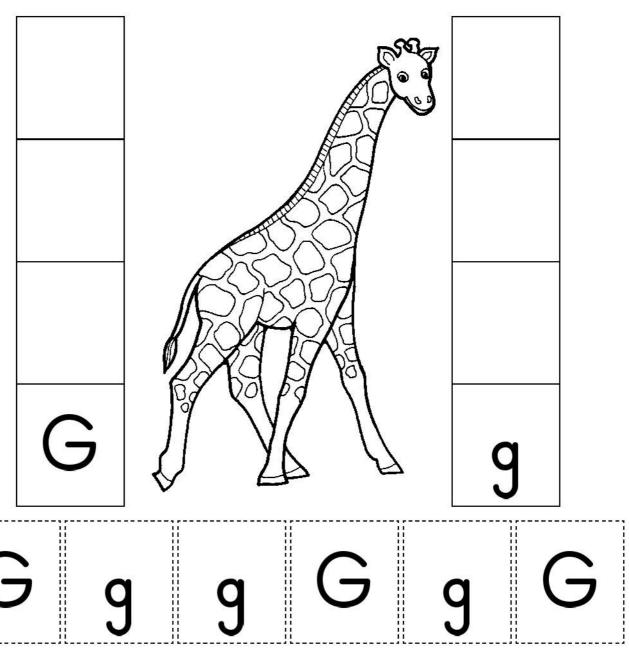
Graphing G



Paste them above the G.

Find and cut out the lowercase g's at the bottom of the page.

Paste them above the g.





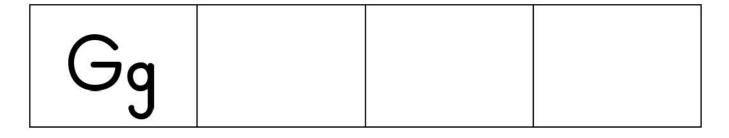
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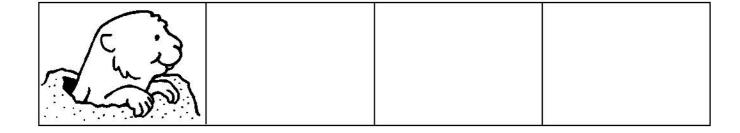


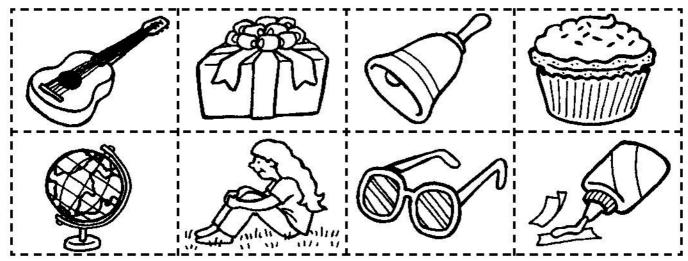
Find and cut out the pictures that start with the sound /g/ as in <u>Gary</u> and <u>gopher</u>.



Glue the pictures in the spaces.









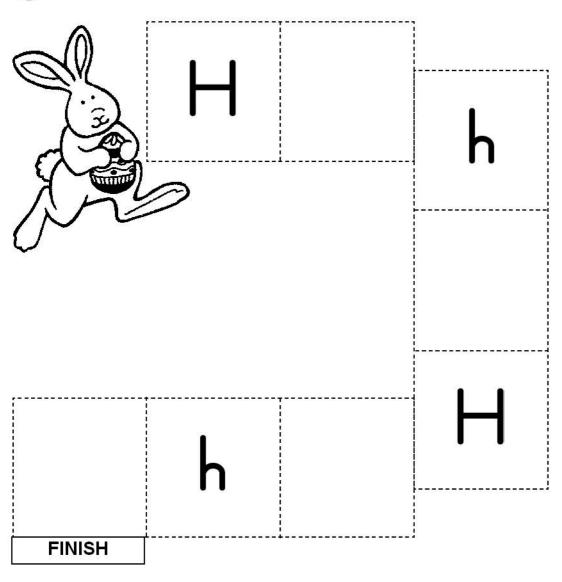
Harry's in a Hurry!



Find and cut out the items that start with the sound /h/ as in \underline{Harry} .



Paste them on the track.







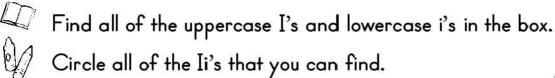


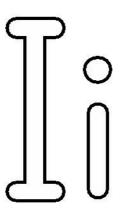


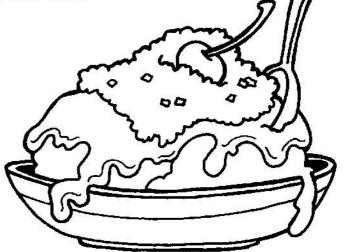




Letter Find: Ii







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ExiQrekci

T o I n n m D d s

CLIpoMtzi

ZIIIwowdI



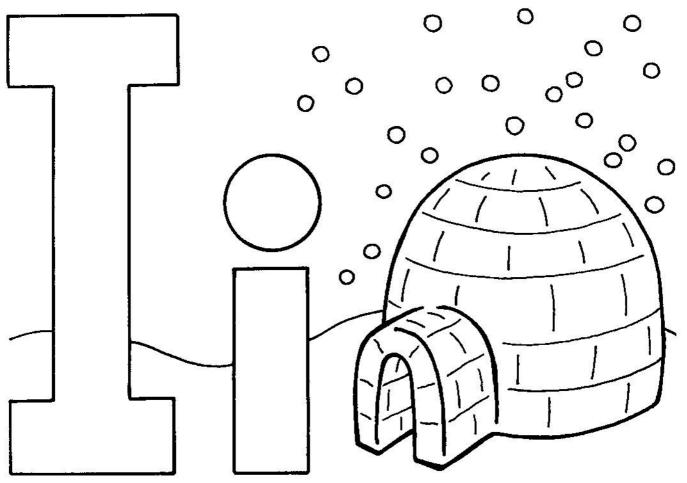
I Is for Icy Igloos!

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Practice making the uppercase letter I and the lowercase letter i.



Color the uppercase letter I and the lowercase letter i. Color the igloo.





Ingrid's Ice Cream



Trace the word <u>Ingrid</u>.



Trace the word <u>ice cream.</u>



Color Ingrid and her ice cream.



Color each shape that has the letter J with a yellow crayon.

Color each shape that has the letter j with a black crayon.

J=yellow

_j=black

Jumping Jelly Beans!







Practice making the letters K and k.

Connect the dots to make the letters K and k.

Color the kite.

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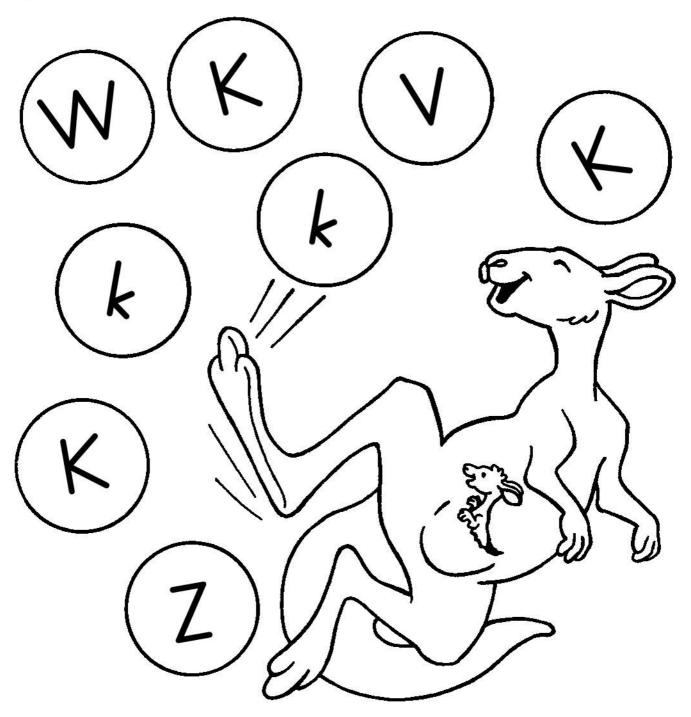
Kicky the Kangaroo!



Color the balls with uppercase K's yellow.



Color the balls with lowercase k's red.





Hidden LI



Color each box that has an uppercase L with a red crayon.

Color each box that has a lowercase I with a blue crayon.

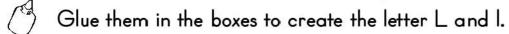
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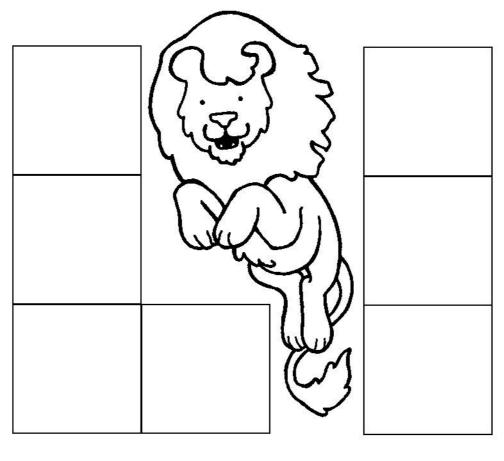
	Pract	tice making the letters L and I.	
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Lovely L











Monster Match



Color each box that has an M or an m.

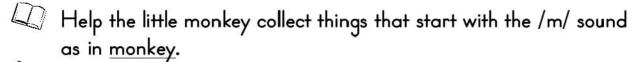


Color the monster.

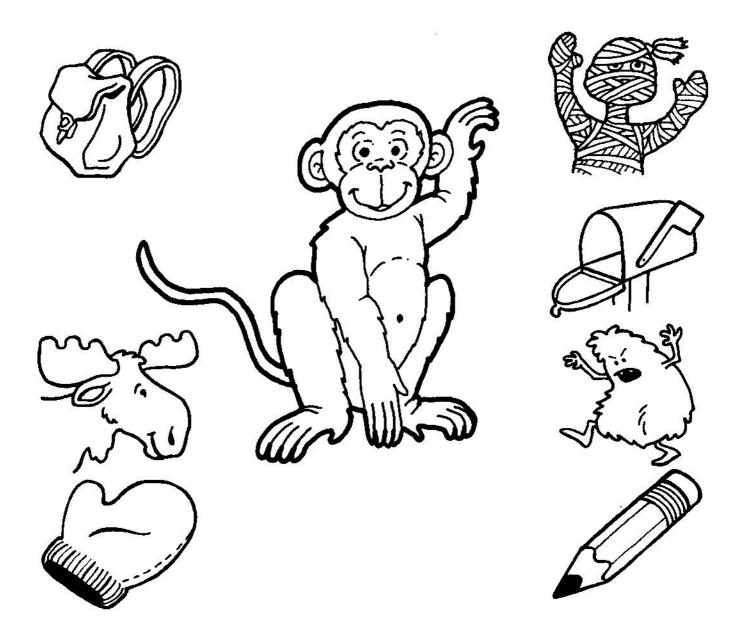
n	n	m	m	Z
W	2	Μ		
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Monkeying Around



Draw lines from the monkey to the things that start with the /m/ sound.



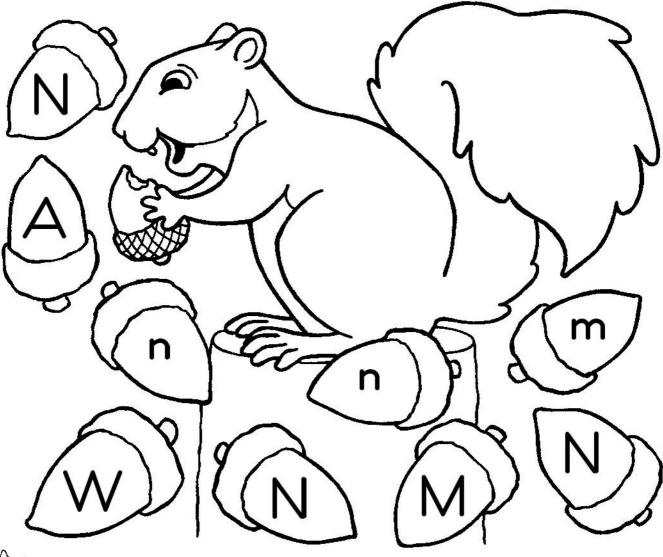


a b c defghijk im nopqrstuvwxyz

Nifty Nuts



Color the nuts with the letters ${\sf N}$ or ${\sf n}$ inside. Color the squirrel.



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Practice making the letters N and n.

N _____

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Noisy Nest

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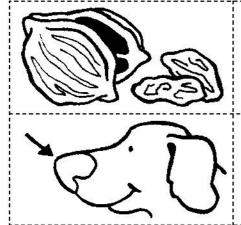
Find and cut out the pictures that start with the /n/ sound as in <u>nest</u>.

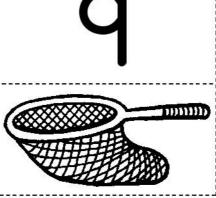


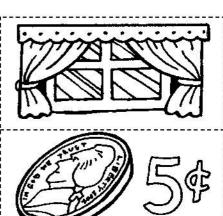
Glue the pictures inside the nest.



Color the nest.







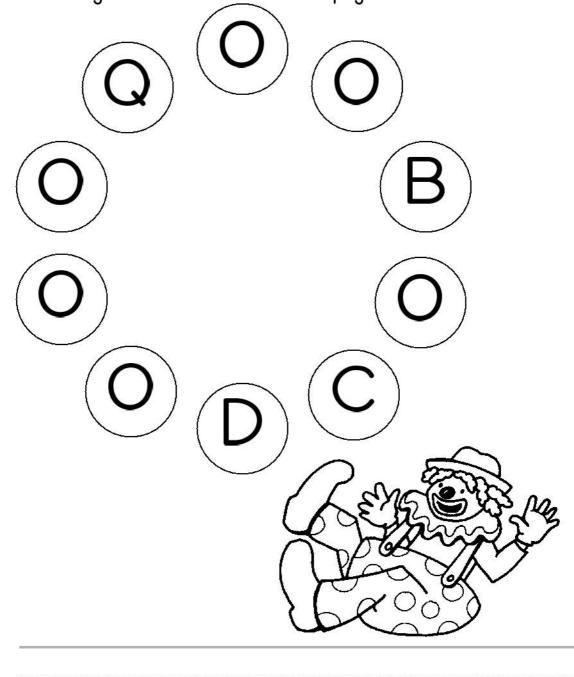


Clowning Around with O



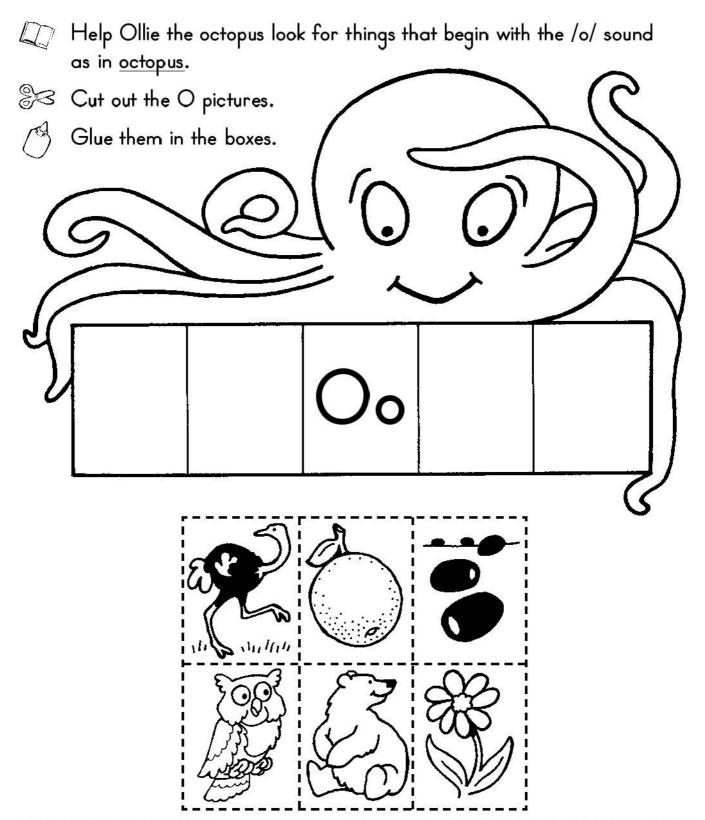
Color the circles with O's with an orange crayon.

Practice making O's at the bottom of the page.





Ollie the Octopus



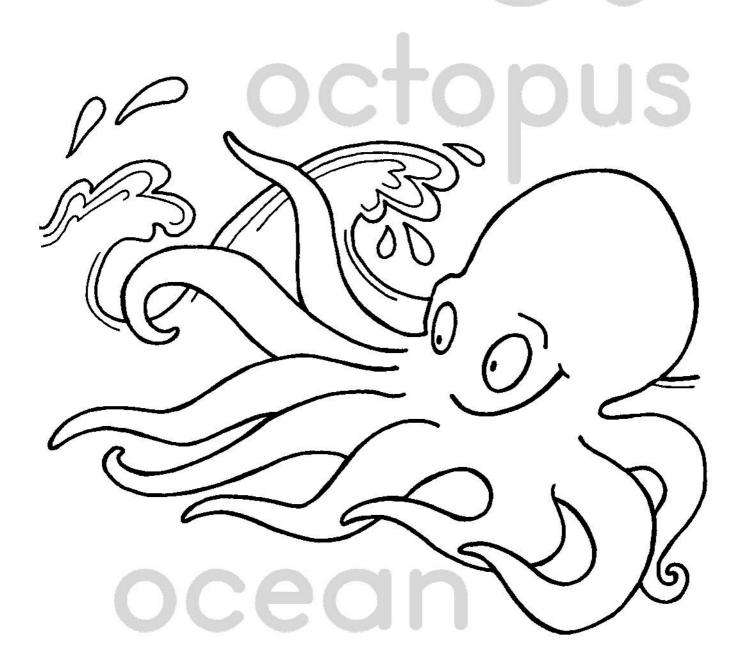
Octopus in the Ocean



Trace the letters O and o.

Trace the words octopus and ocean.

Color the octopus and the ocean.

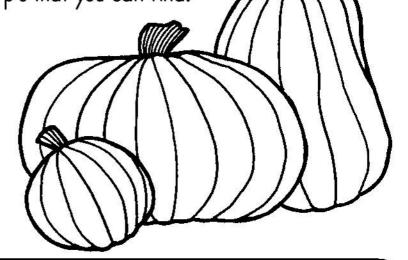






Color the pumpkins.





r P p P K I g d d
E P Q p E p p p F
F p p r P k p C
I p L I f p p p c
K p d C h P a I o



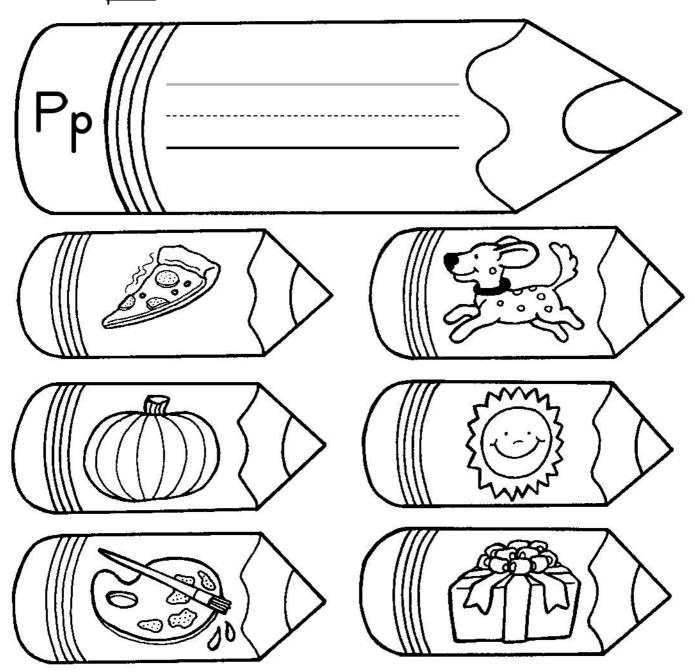
Pretty Pencils



Practice making uppercase P's and lowercase p's inside the big pencil.



Color the pencils that have words that begin with the /p/ sound as in pencil.





Q Is for Quilt



Trace the line from the uppercase Q to the lowercase q.



Make a quilt. Color the uppercase Q's green.



Color the lowercase q's yellow.



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$$Q = green$$

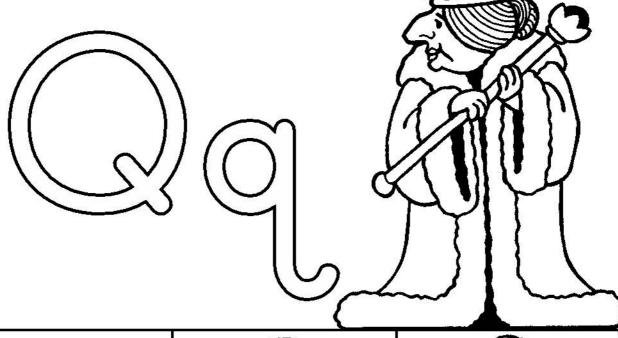


Queenly Q's



Color the uppercase Q and the lowercase q.

Find and color the pictures that begin with the /q/ sound as in queen.





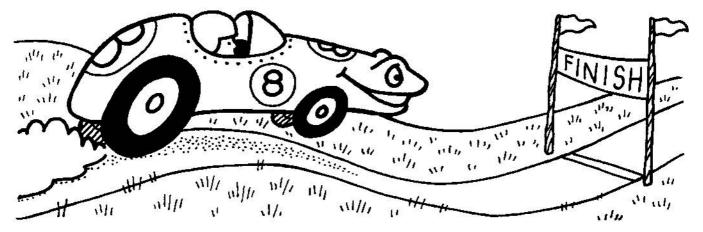


Robby Racecar



Help Robby Racecar win the race by coloring each square that has an ${\sf R}$ or an ${\sf r}$ in it.

Q	R	r	R	S	t	V	u
D	R	C	r	u	У	b	e
K	r	R	d	е	R	r	r
В	r	V	R	t	R	h	f
v	r	0	r	v	r	z	s
A	R	С	r	u	R	b	u





Runaway Robot

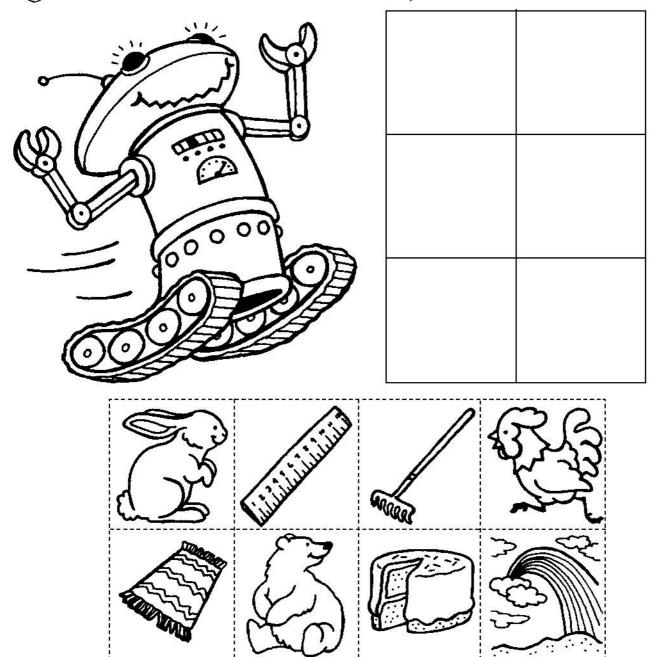
Runaway Robot loves to find words that start with the /r/ sound as in robot.



Cut out the pictures that start with the /r/ sound.



Glue them in the boxes beside Runaway Robot.





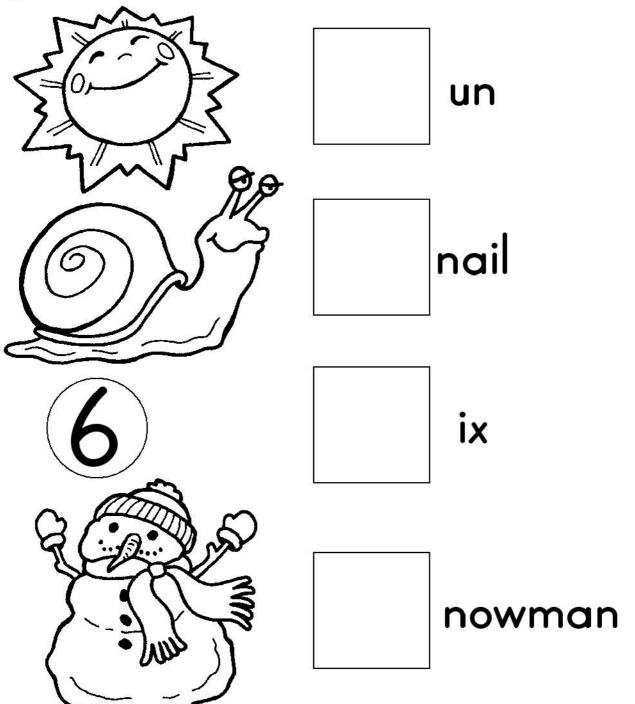
Slinky S



Write the beginning sound for each word.



Color the pictures.





Hidden S Things



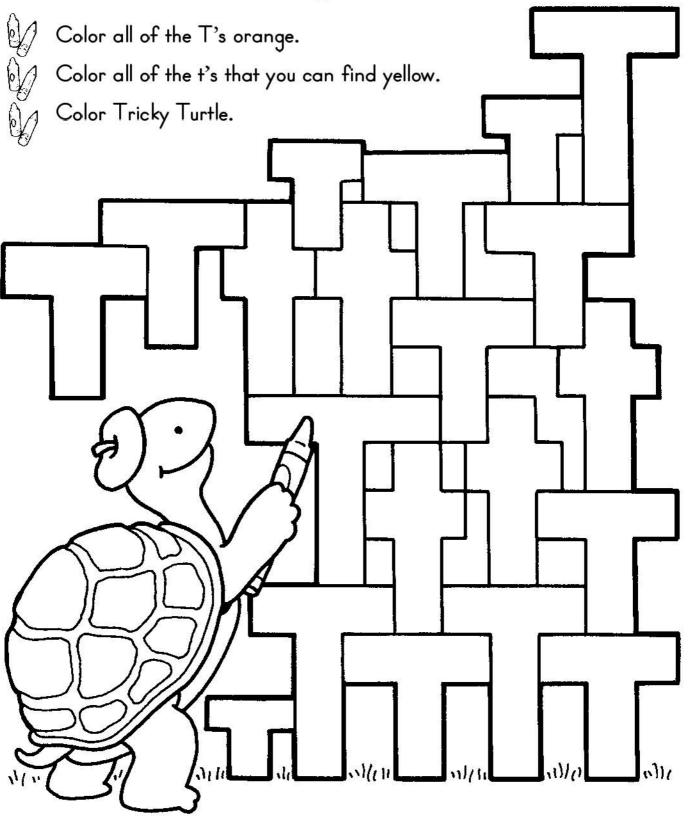


Look at the pictures.

Color the pictures that start with the /s/ sound as in sun.



Tricky Turtle



abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz Train Time

	Practice making the uppercase letter T and the lowercase t.
1	
J	
+	
	Look at the pictures.
\$ * 3	Find and cut out the pictures that begin with the $/t/$ sound as in \underline{train} .
0	Glue the pictures on the train cars.
<u>(a.</u>	

My Uncle's Umbrella



Color the lowercase u's with a blue crayon.





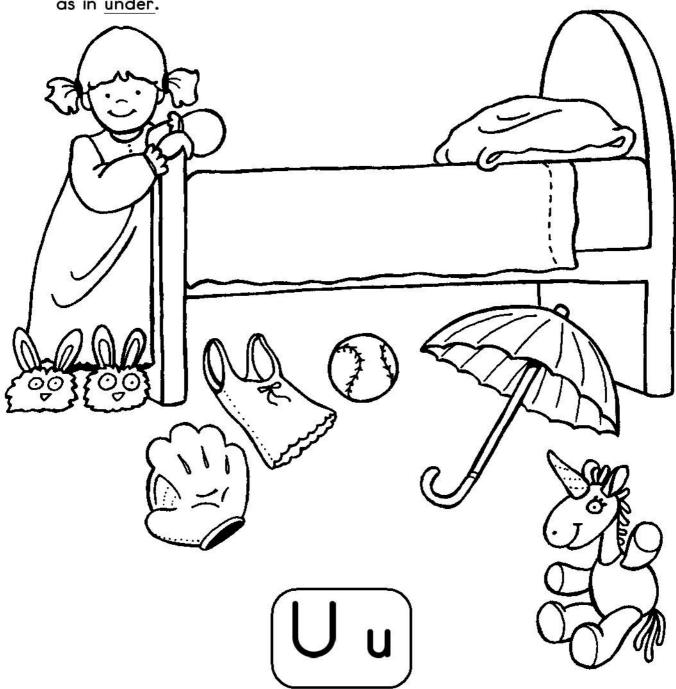
Under Ursula's Bed



Look for things hiding under Ursula's bed. Circle the picture with the long/u/sound.



Draw lines from Uu to the pictures that start with the /u/ sound as in under.





Unicorn with an Umbrella



Trace the letters U and u.

Trace the words <u>umbrella</u> and <u>unicorn</u>.

Color the unicorn and the umbrella.





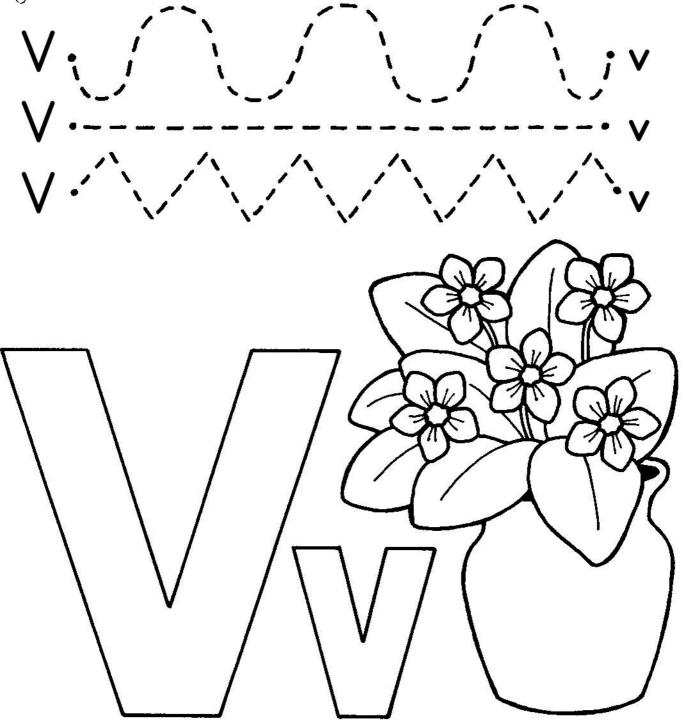
Vase of Violets



Trace the lines from the uppercase V to the lowercase v.

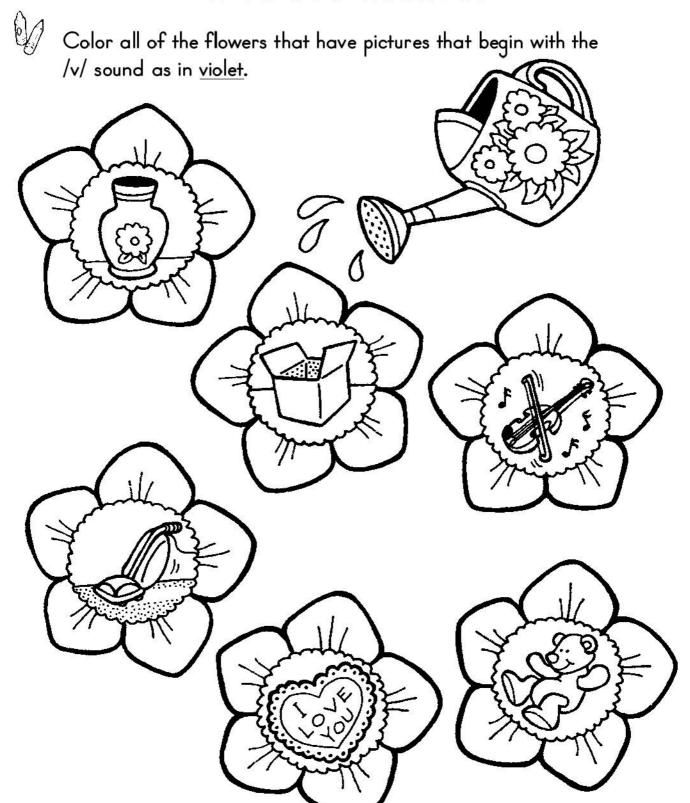


Color the Vv's and the vase of violets.





V Is for Violets

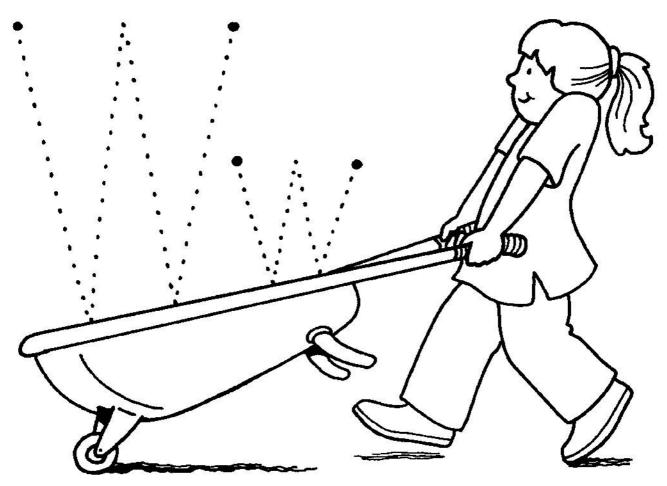




Connect the dots to make an uppercase W and a lowercase w.



Color Wanda and her wheelbarrow.



Pra	ctice making the uppercase letter W and the lowercase letter w.
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W	

A.S.

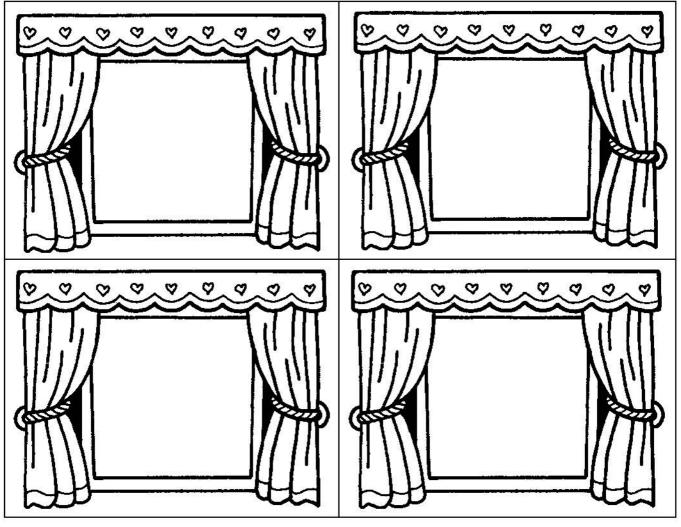
What's in the Window?



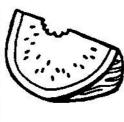
Find and cut out the pictures that start with the /w/ sound as in window.



Glue them on the windows.

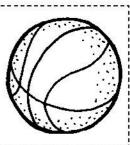










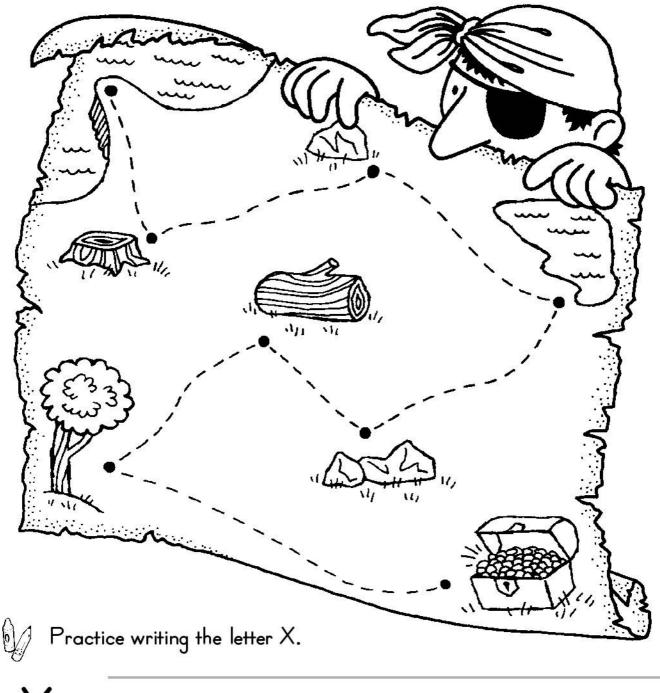




X Marks the Spot!



Put an X on each place on the map that is marked with a spot.







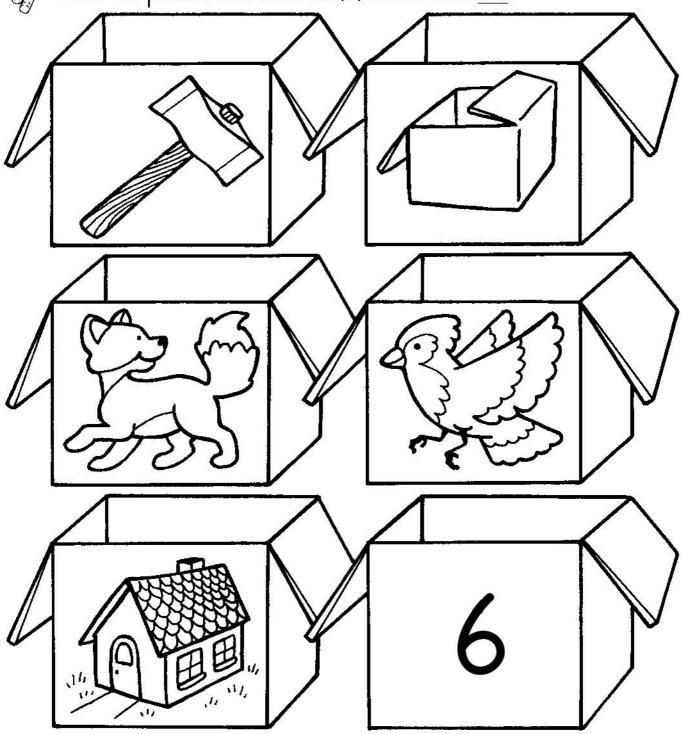
Boxes



Look at the pictures in the boxes.

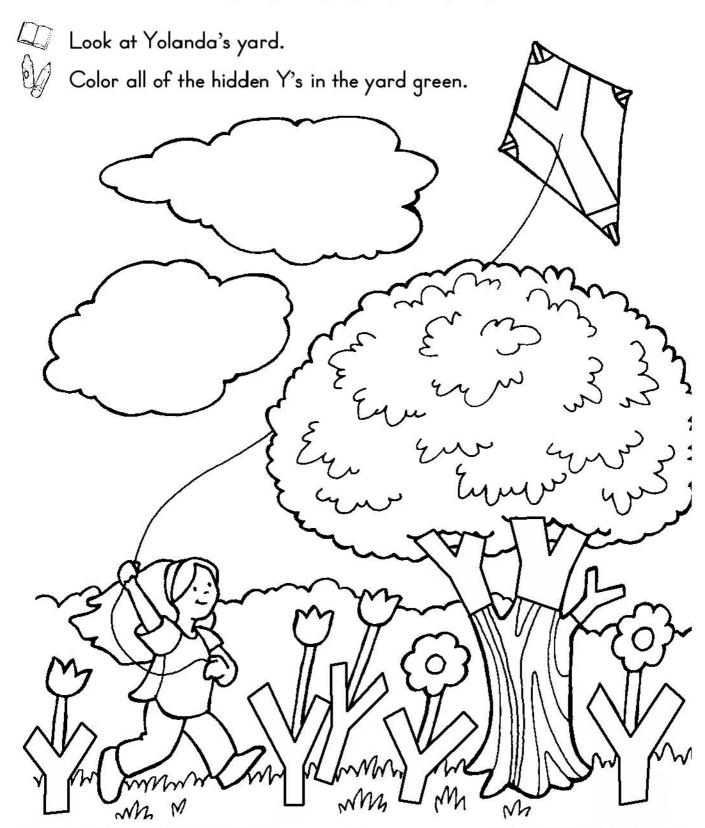


Color the pictures that have the /x/ sound as in \underline{box} .



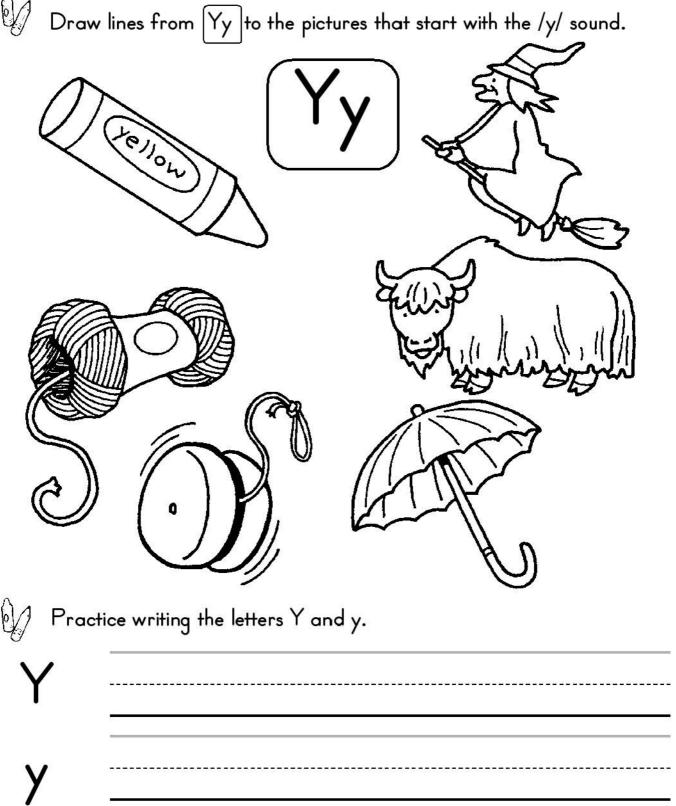


Yolanda's Yard





Letter Yy Match





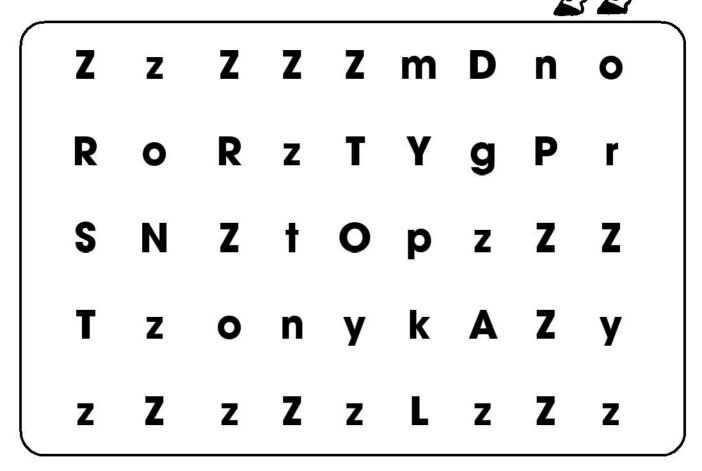
Letter Find: Zz



Find all of the uppercase Z's and lowercase z's in the box.



Circle all of the Zz's that you can find.





Practice writing the letters Z and z.

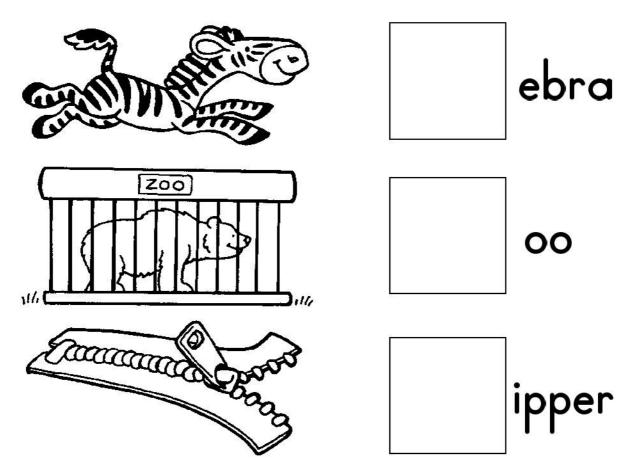
Z

Z

Zippy Z's

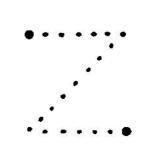


Write the beginning sound for each word.





Follow the dots to make the letters \boldsymbol{Z} and \boldsymbol{z} .





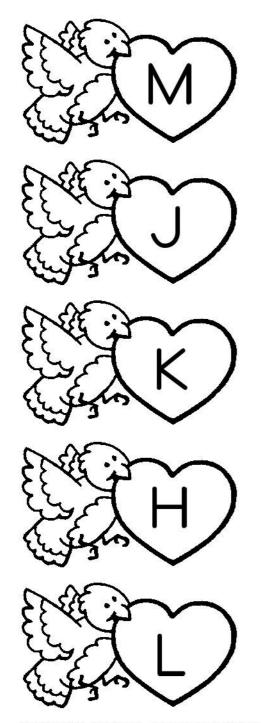
Love Birds

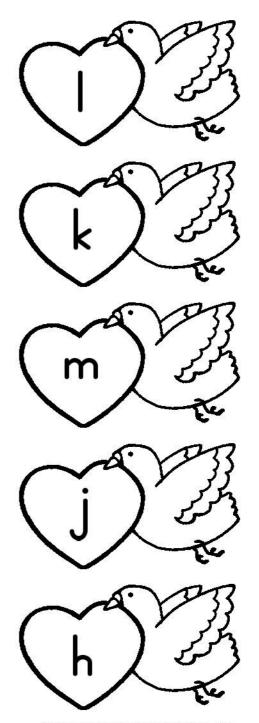


Draw a line from each lowercase letter to its uppercase partner.



Color the birds.





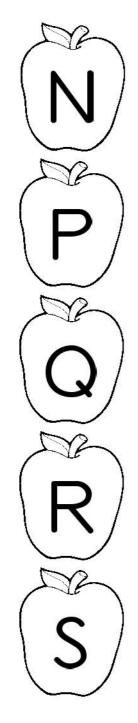


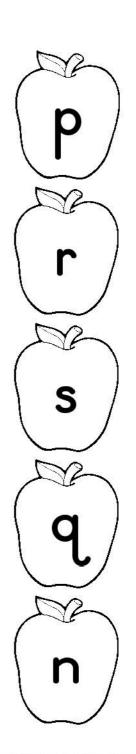
Apple Match



Draw a line from each uppercase letter to its lowercase partner.

Color the matching apples the same color.







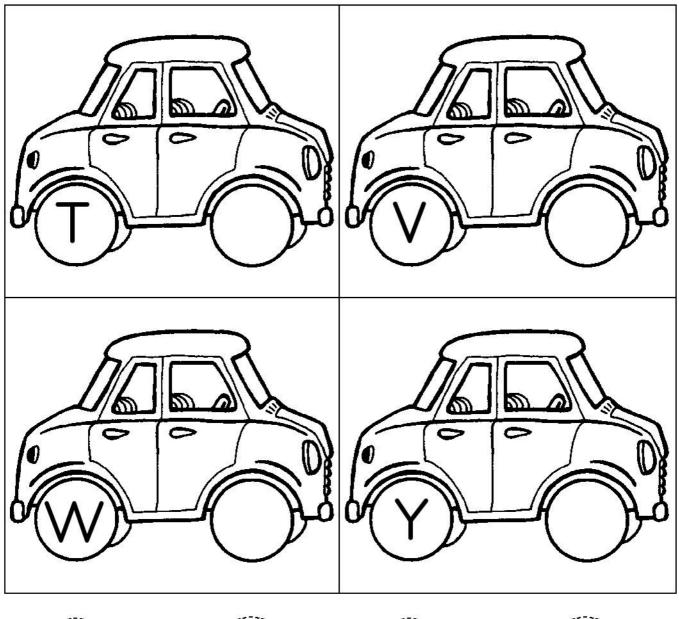
Driving Match



Cut out the lowercase letter wheels.



Glue each lowercase letter wheel on the wheel next to its partner letter.













Leaf Match

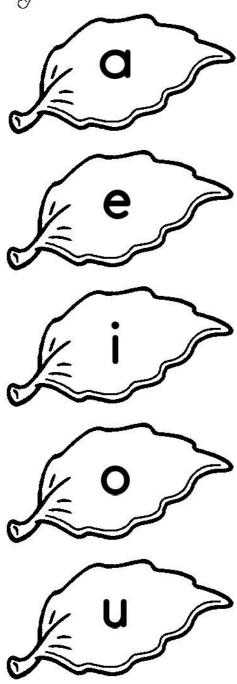
Look at the letters on the leaves. They are all vowels.

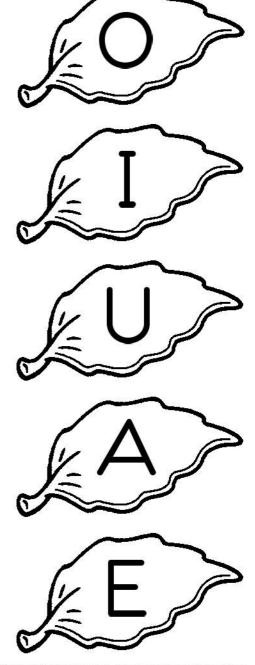


Draw a line from each lowercase vowel to its uppercase partner.



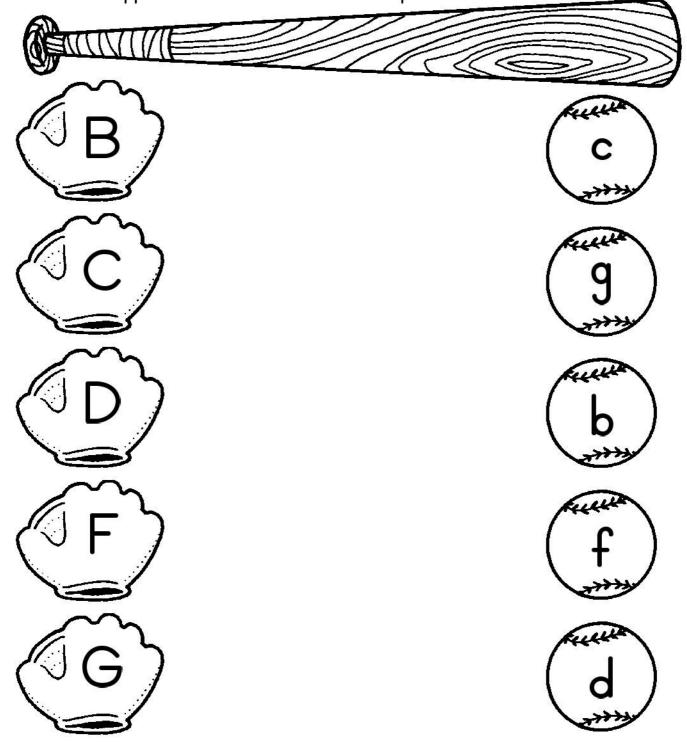
Color the matching leaves the same color.







Match each mitt to the ball with its partner letter. Draw a line from each uppercase letter to its lowercase partner.





Letter Sound Matching

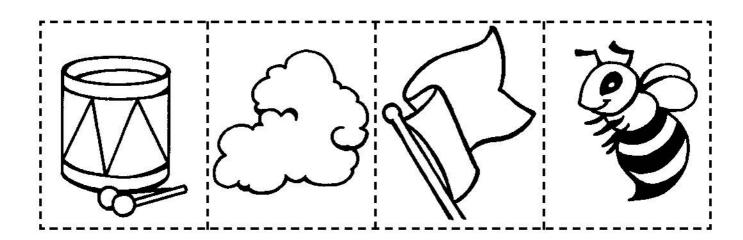


Cut out the pictures in the dashed lines.



Glue each picture in the space below the letter that has its beginning sound.

Bb	Cc	Dd	Ff





Letter Sound Matching



Draw a line from each letter to the picture that begins with that letter's sound.



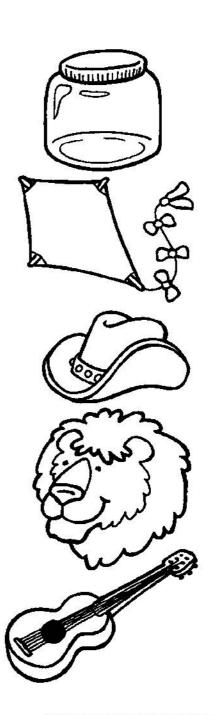
Color the pictures.

G

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J

K





Letter Sound Matching

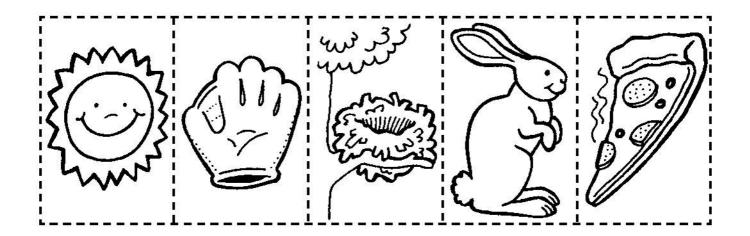
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Cut out the pictures in the dashed lines.



Glue each picture in the space below the letter that has its beginning sound.

Mm	Nn	Рр	Ρ̈́	Ss





Letter Sound Matching



Draw a line from each letter to the picture that begins with that letter's sound.



Color the pictures.

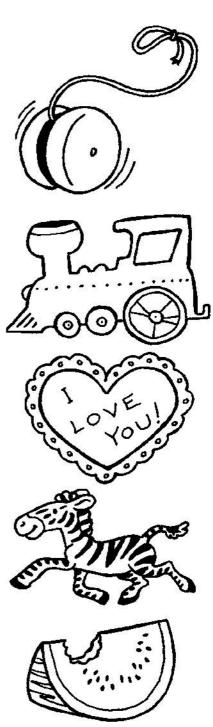
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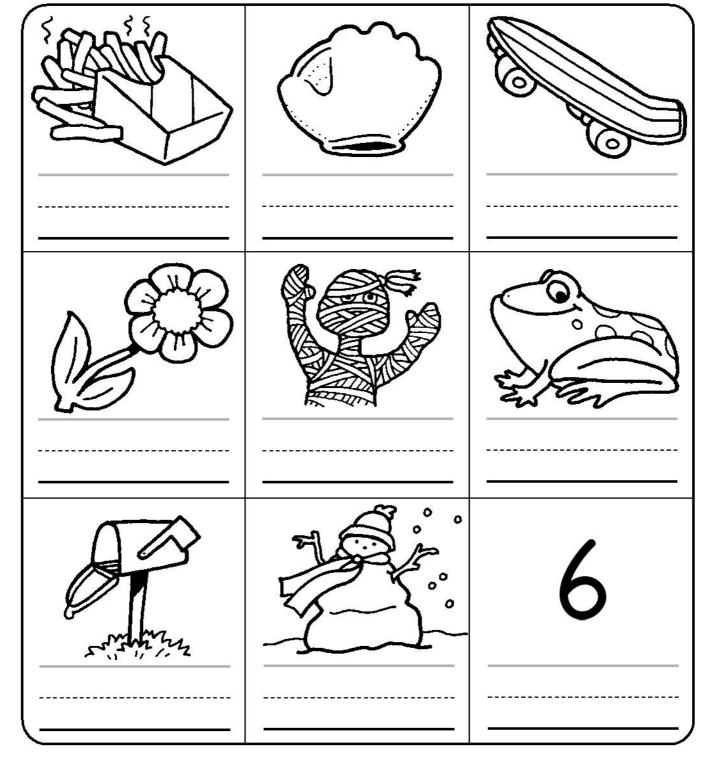


Z



Listen for Sounds

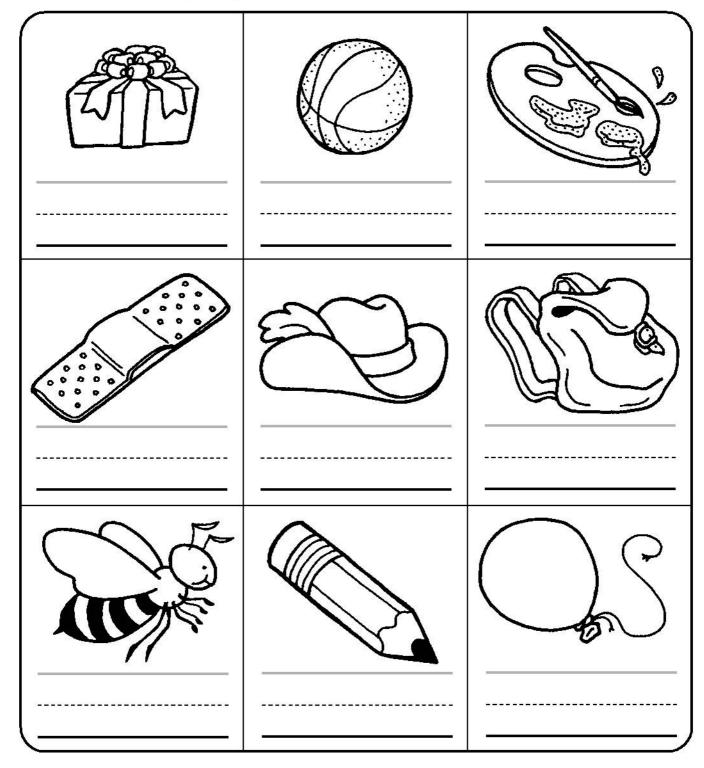






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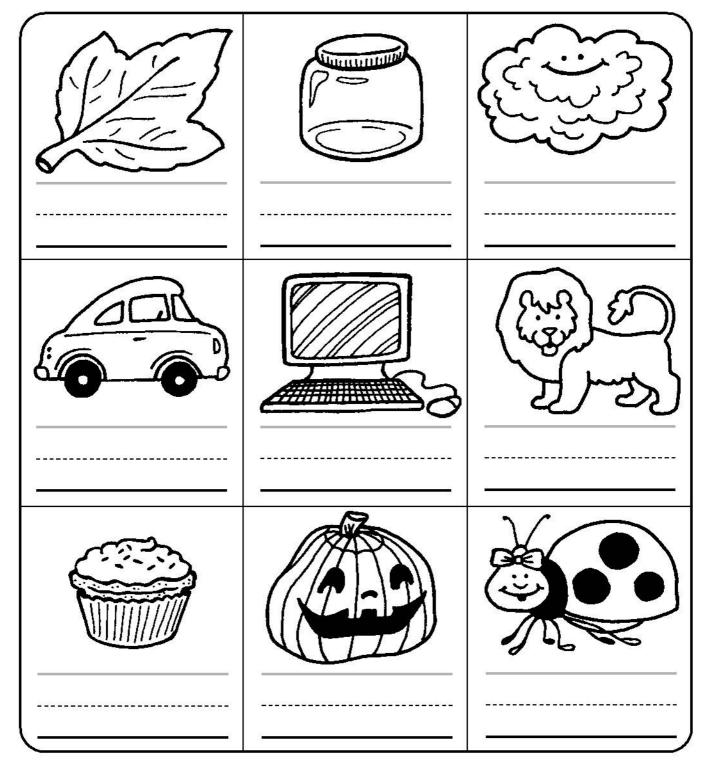






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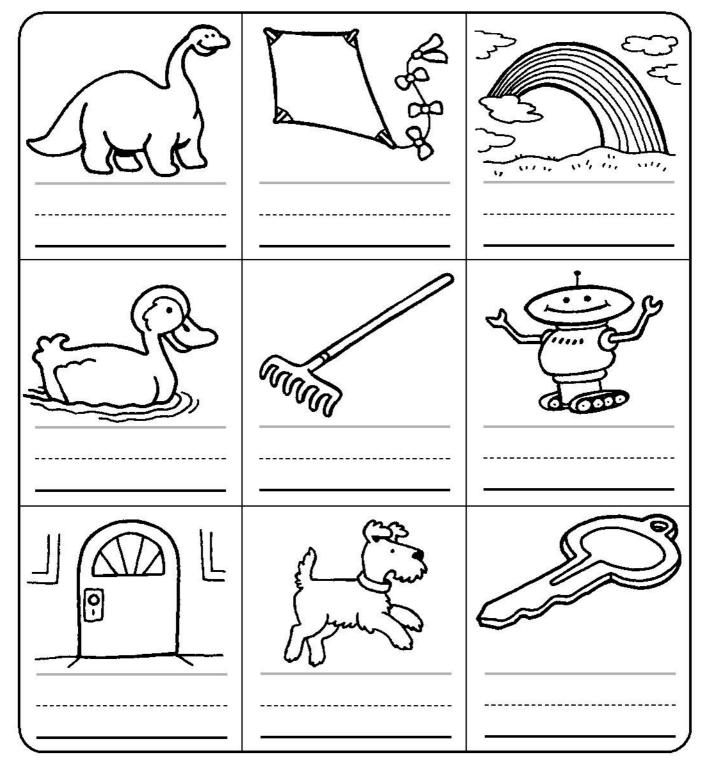






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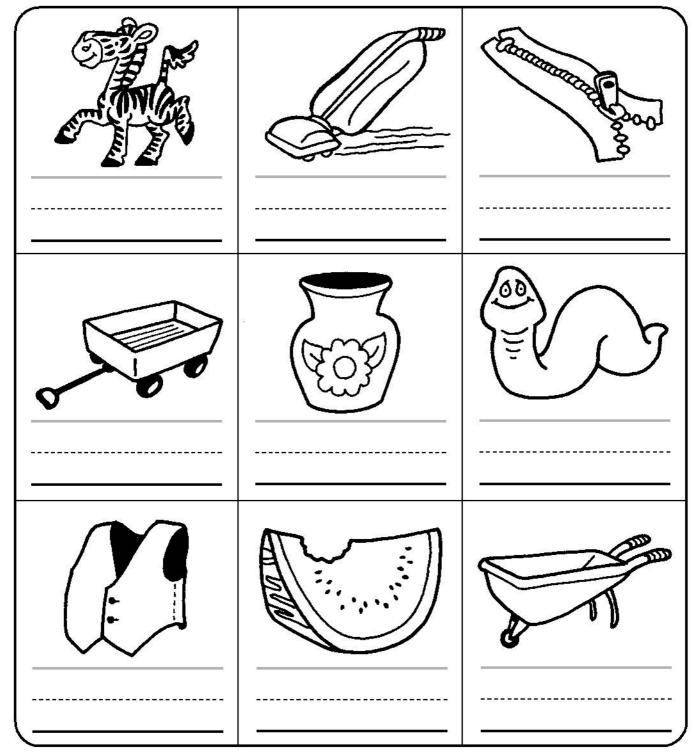






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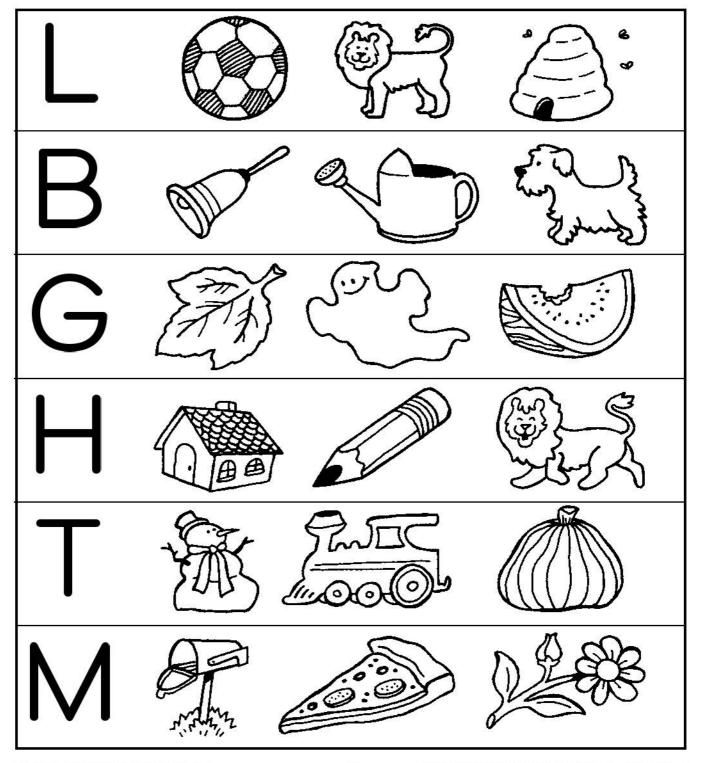




Sound Match



Color the picture in the row that starts with the letter.



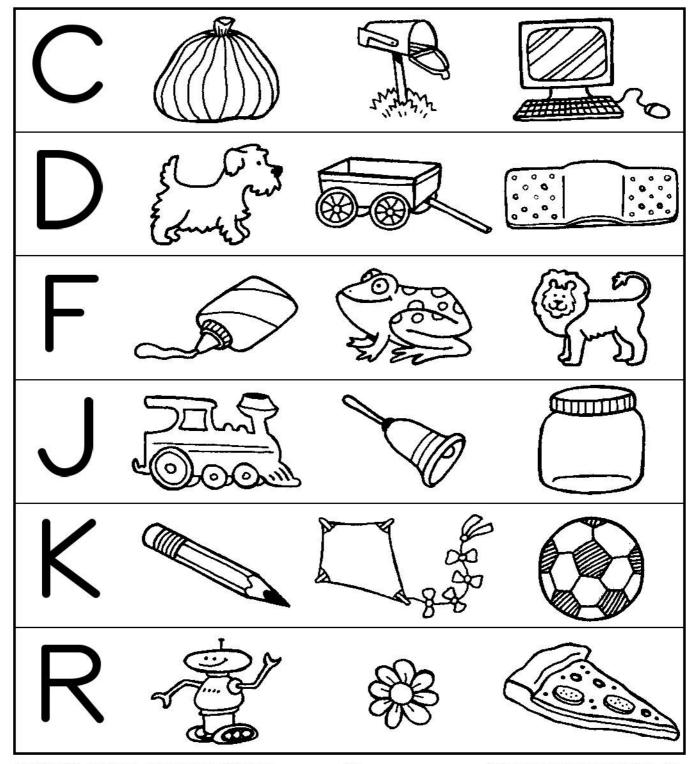


a b c defghijk im nop qrstuvwxyz

Sound Match

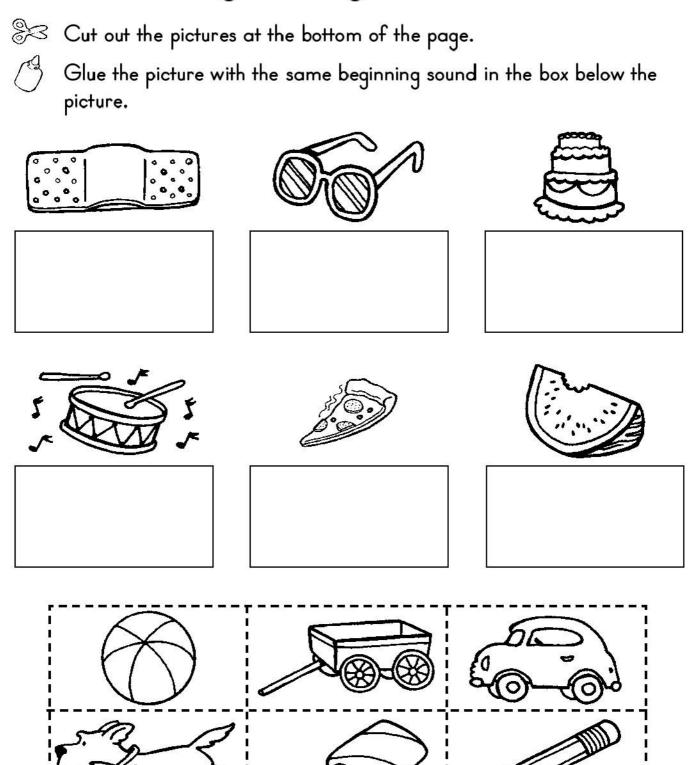


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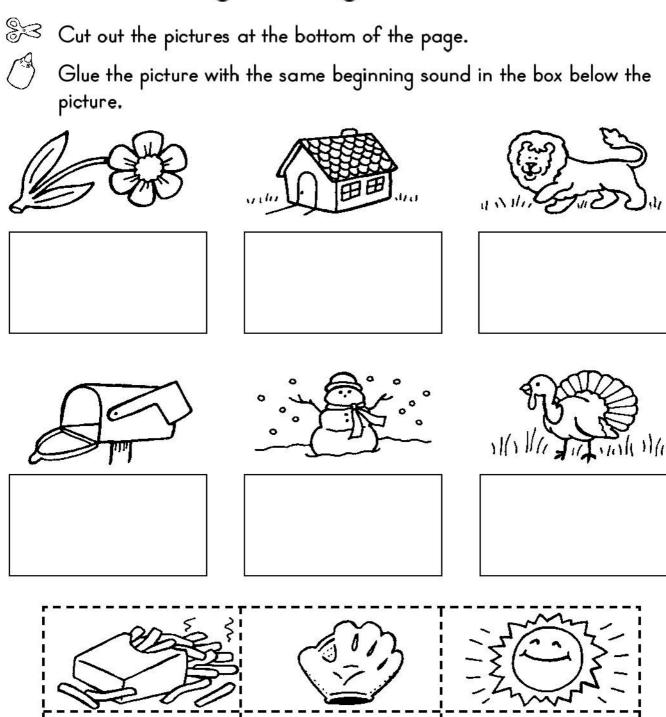


Beginning Sounds





Beginning Sounds





Beginning Sounds

Cut out the picture with the same beginning sound.					
Glue the picture in the box.					
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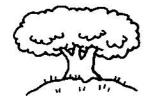
Rhyme Review



Cut out each picture in the dashed lines.



Glue the picture that rhymes in the box.



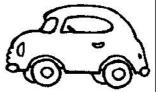




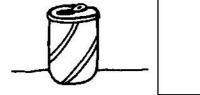








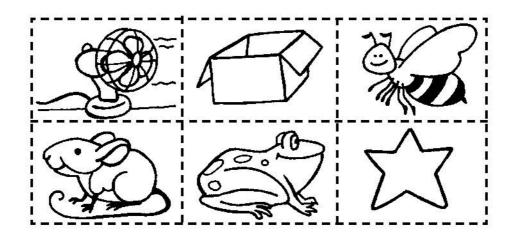










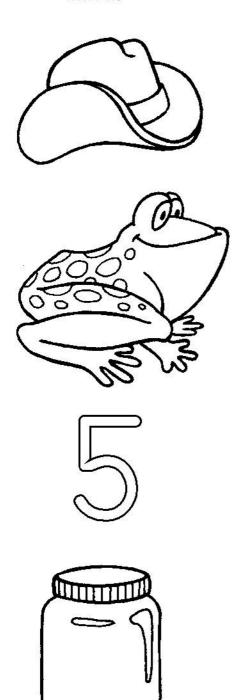




Rhyme Time



Say the name of each picture. Draw a line to the picture that rhymes with it.







Rhyming Sets



Cut out the pictures below.



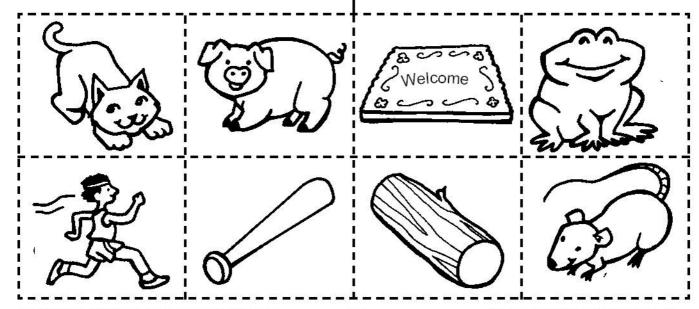
Glue the pictures that rhyme with hat under the hat.



Glue the pictures that rhyme with <u>dog</u> under the dog.









Color Word Fun



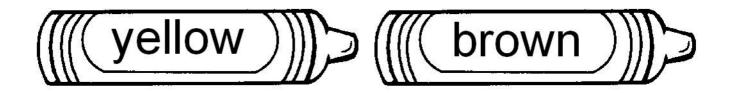
Read the color words.

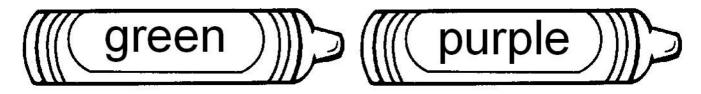


Color each crayon with the correct color.



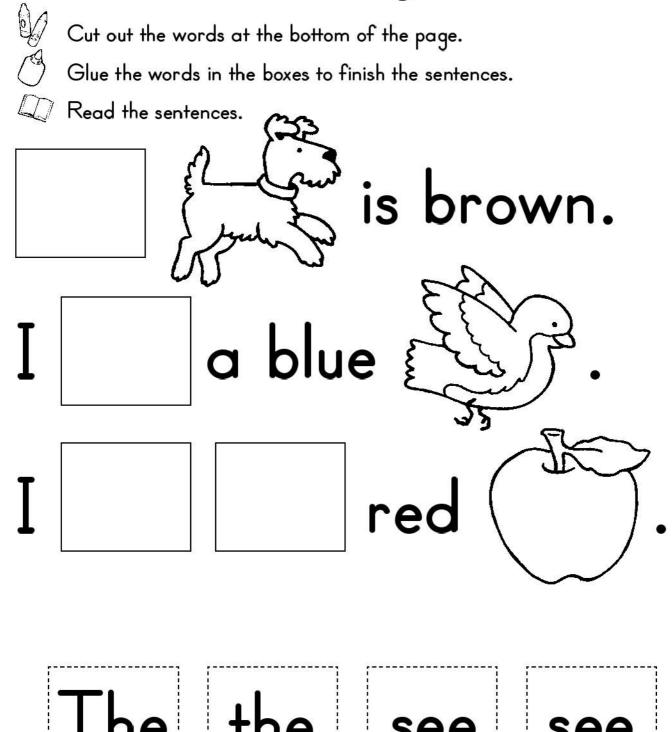








I Can Read Sight Words

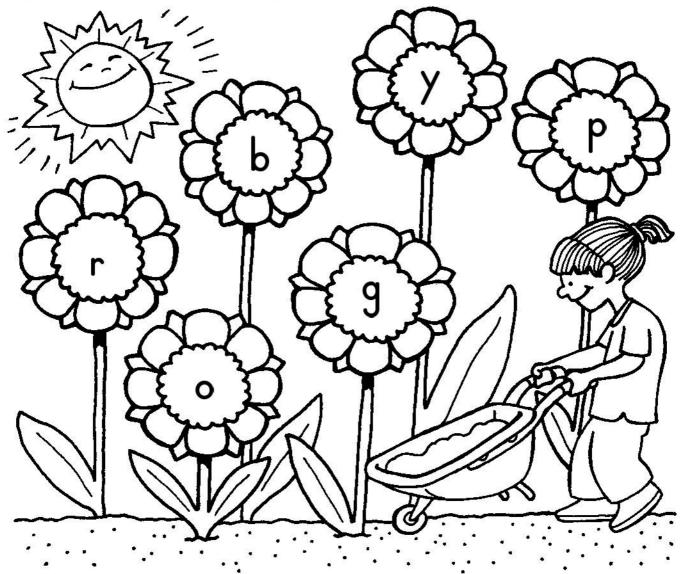




Colorful Garden



Color the flowers in the garden. Use the color code below.



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b=blue

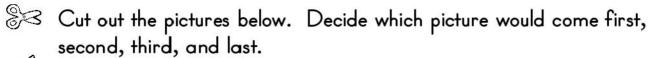
y=yellow

o=orange

g=green

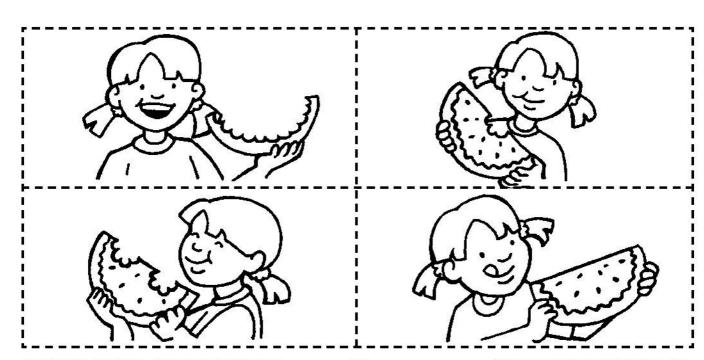
p=purple





Glue the pictures in the correct order.

	2
3	4





Alphabetical Order



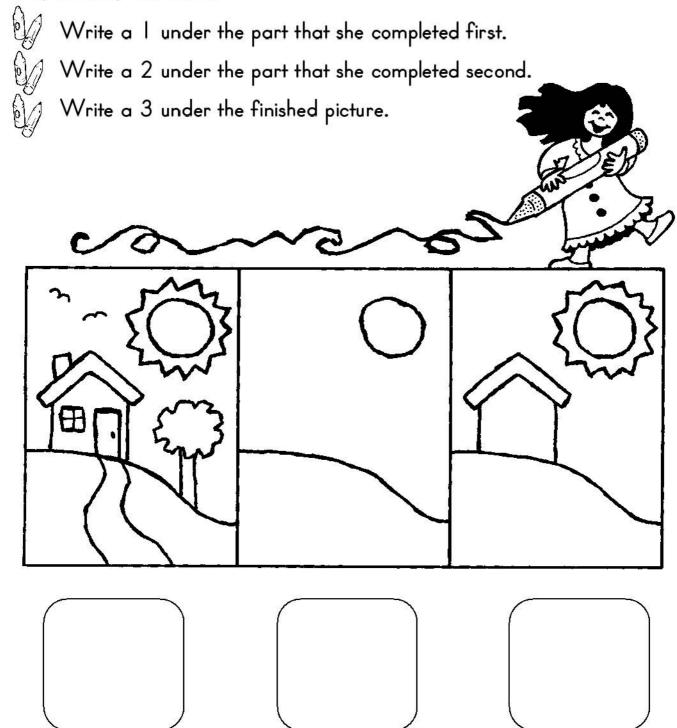
Write the missing lowercase letters.

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u v x z



Penny has drawn a picture. See if you can figure out which part Penny did first, second, and third.





Happy Hats



Cut out each hat at the bottom of the page.



Glue a hat on each child's head.







Under

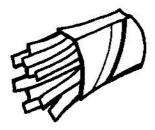


Draw a line $\underline{\mathsf{under}}$ the things that you can eat.





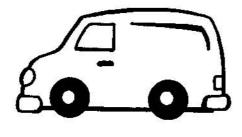














under



Above

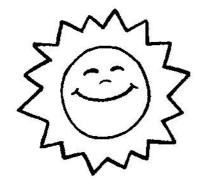


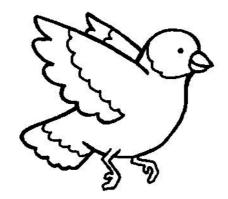
Color the object that is above each house.

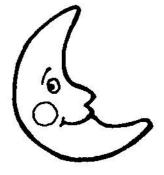


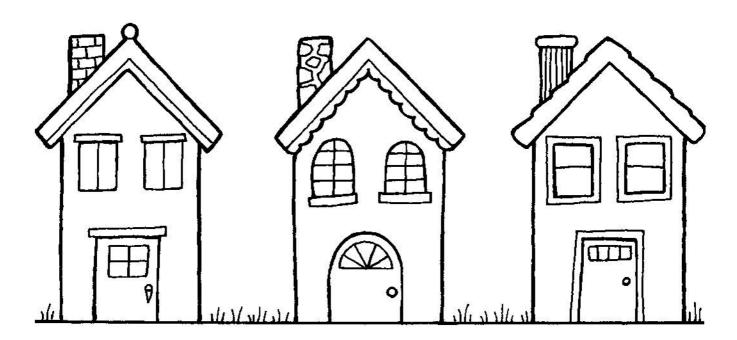
Color the house to match the object above it.

above











Mark the X



Make an X above the tree.

Make an X below the dog.

Make an X on the dog's nose.



Make an X inside the tree.

Make an X beside the girl.

Make an X under the bird.

