

Word Puzzles & Games



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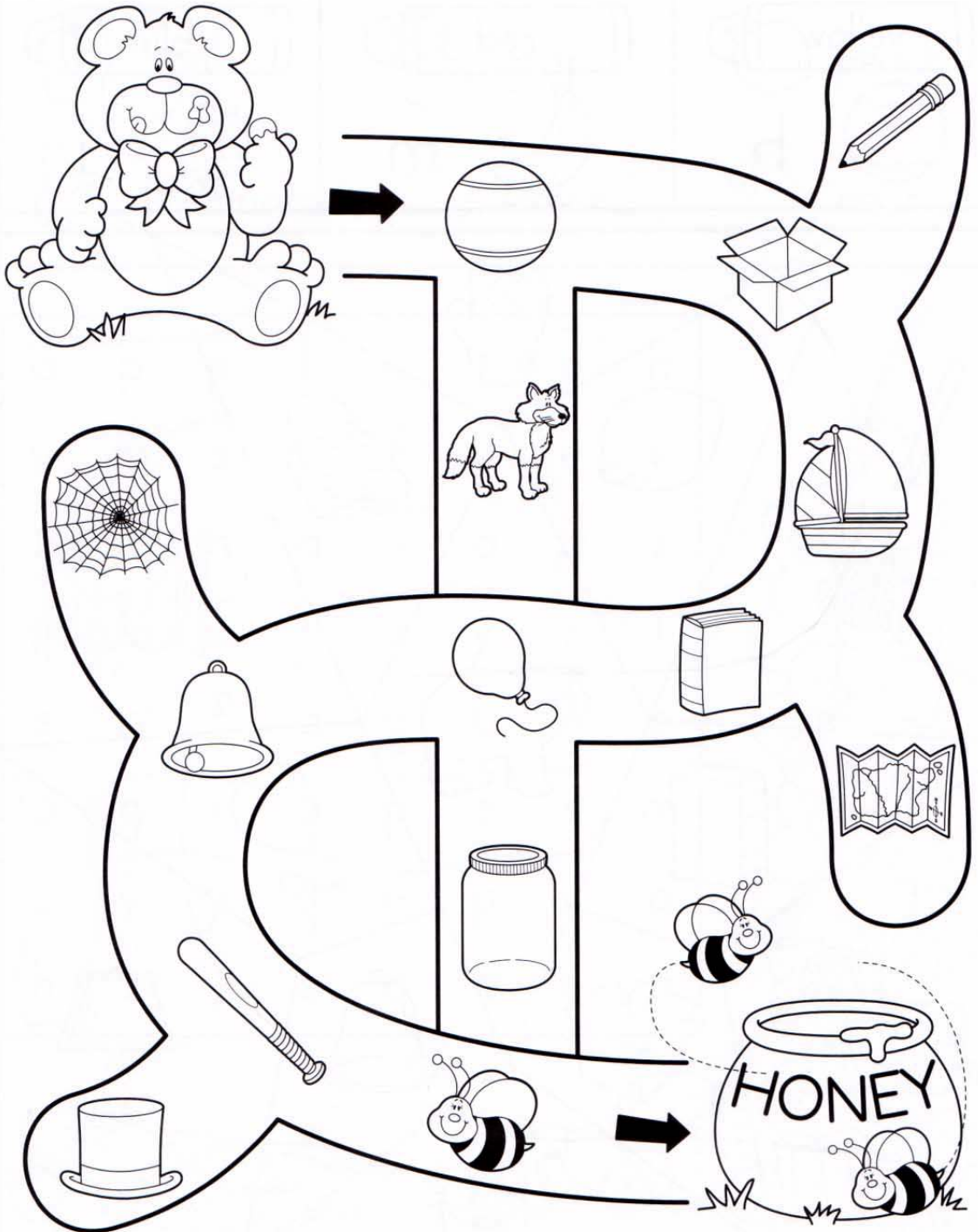
**Use the incentive
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You can also:


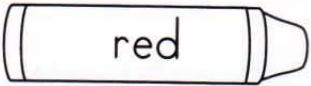




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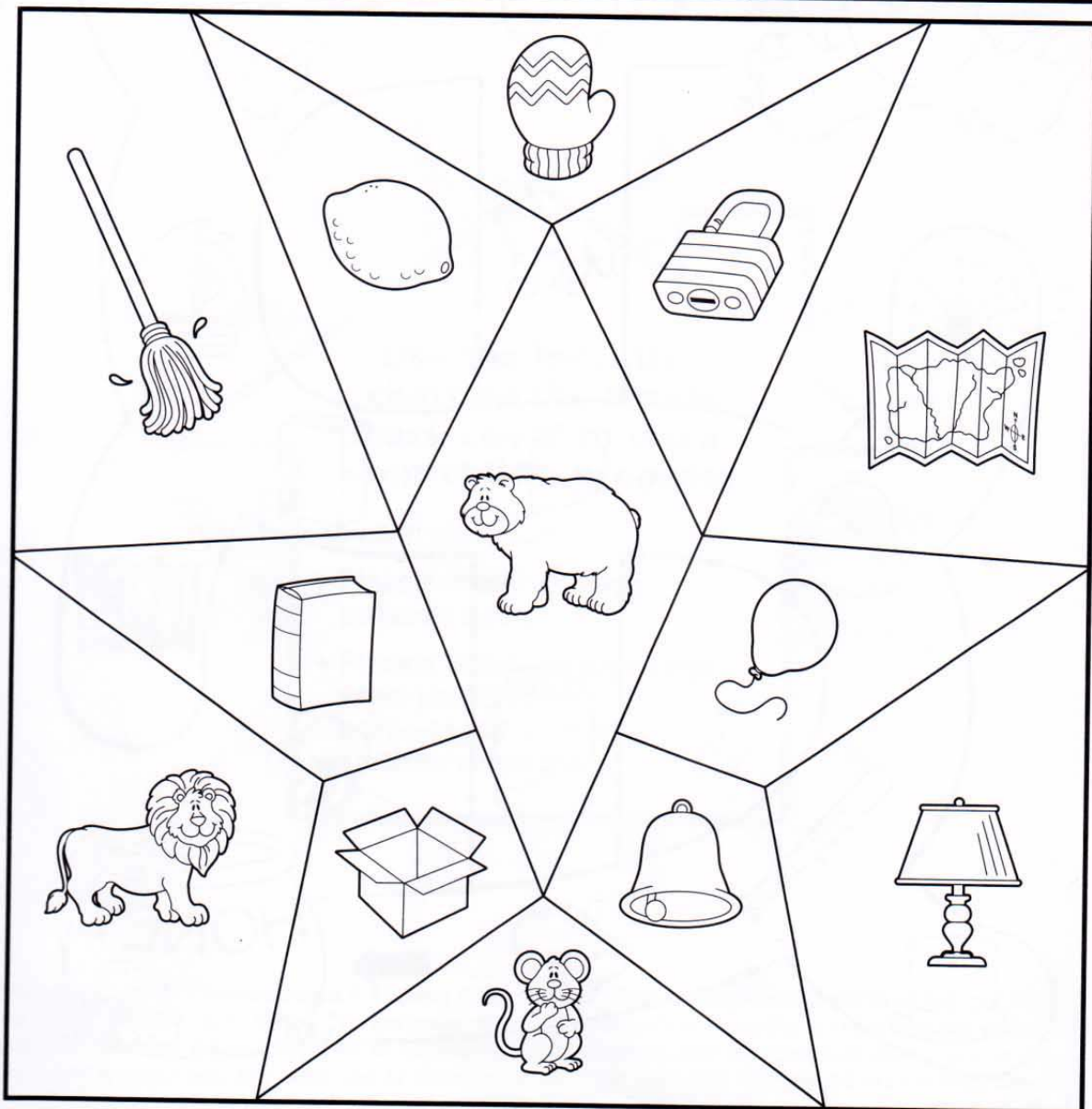


Draw a line along the path with pictures whose names **begin** with the **b** sound to help the bear find the honey.



Use the key to color the spaces with pictures whose names **begin** with the same letter sounds.

 yellow	 red	 blue
 b	 m	 l



The large square is divided into 12 triangles. The objects in the triangles are:

- Top: A mitten with a zigzag pattern.
- Top-right: A padlock.
- Right: A folded map.
- Bottom-right: A balloon.
- Bottom: A bell.
- Bottom-right: A lamp.
- Bottom: A mouse.
- Bottom-left: An open box.
- Left: A lion.
- Bottom-left: A book.
- Center: A bear.
- Top-left: A broom.
- Top-left: A lemon.

Circle the words from the word box in the puzzle below.



apple



grapes



peach



banana

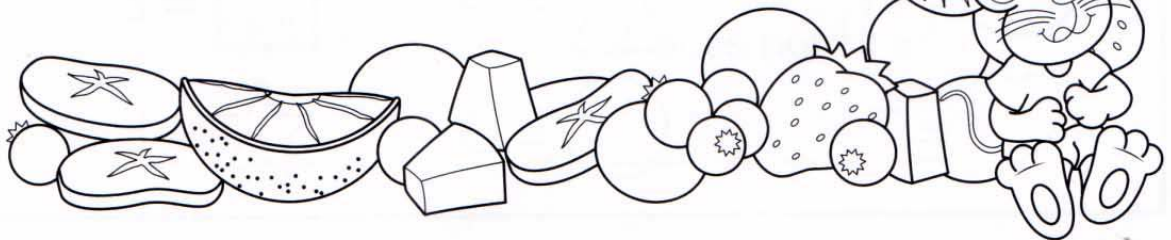
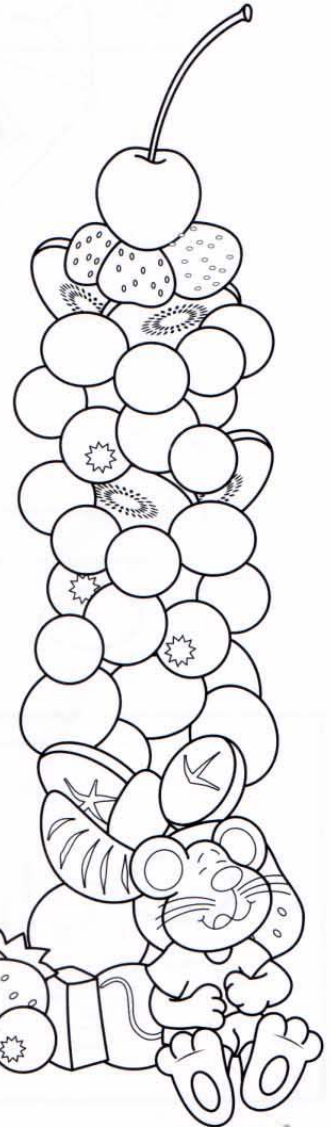


lemon



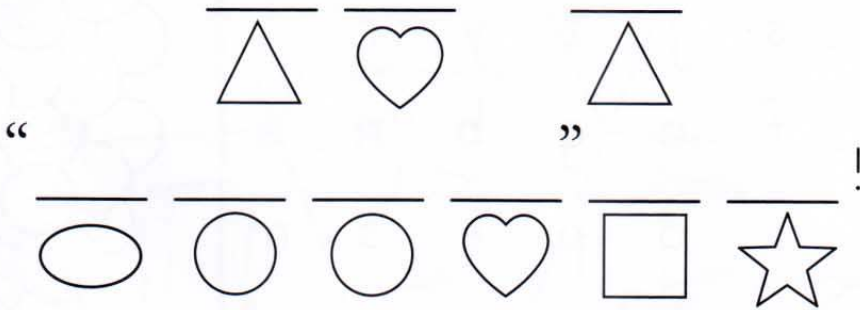
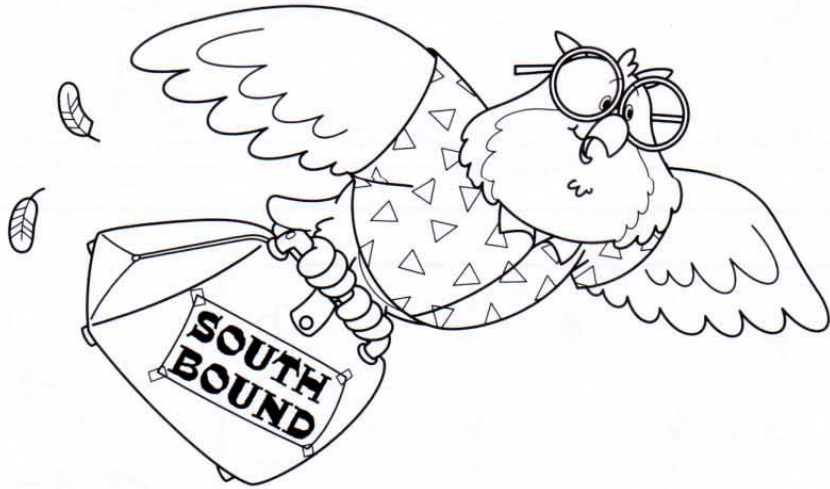
pear

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y	m	s	v	f	v	e	v
b	a	n	a	n	a	a	z
p	u	s	j	z	y	r	l
e	n	f	a	g	b	n	e
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c	y	y	g	e	p	v	o
h	z	y	s	q	d	e	n

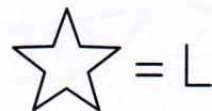
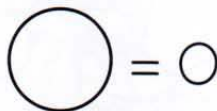
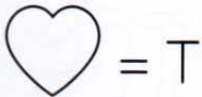
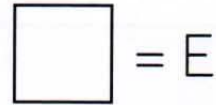
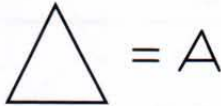
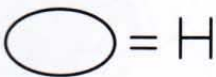


Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

Where do owls stay when they go on a trip?



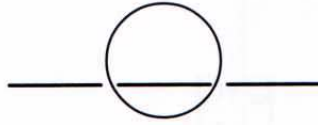
Secret Code



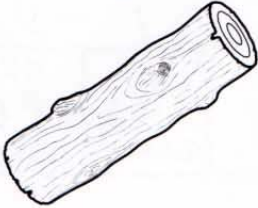
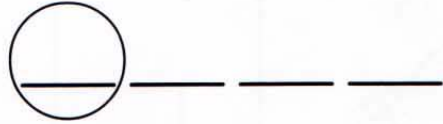
Unscramble each word and write it on the lines. Then, write the circled letters in order to answer the riddle.



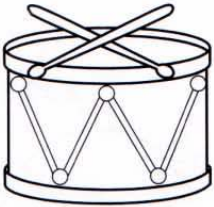
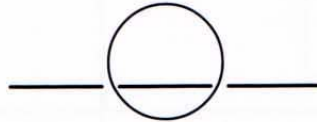
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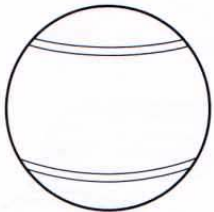
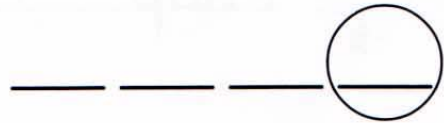
o a c t



g o l



r d u m

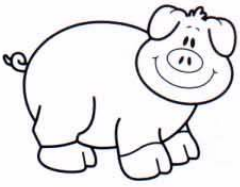


a l l b



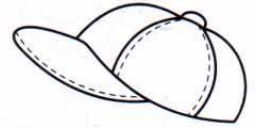
What has teeth but does not bite?

Draw lines to match the words with the same **short vowel** sound. Circle the picture that is left. It is the answer to the riddle: What has four legs but only one foot?



pig

cap



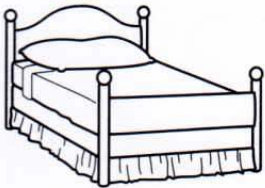
crab

frog



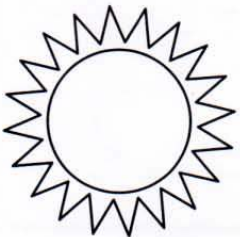
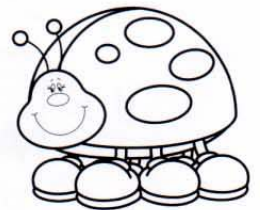
mop

hill



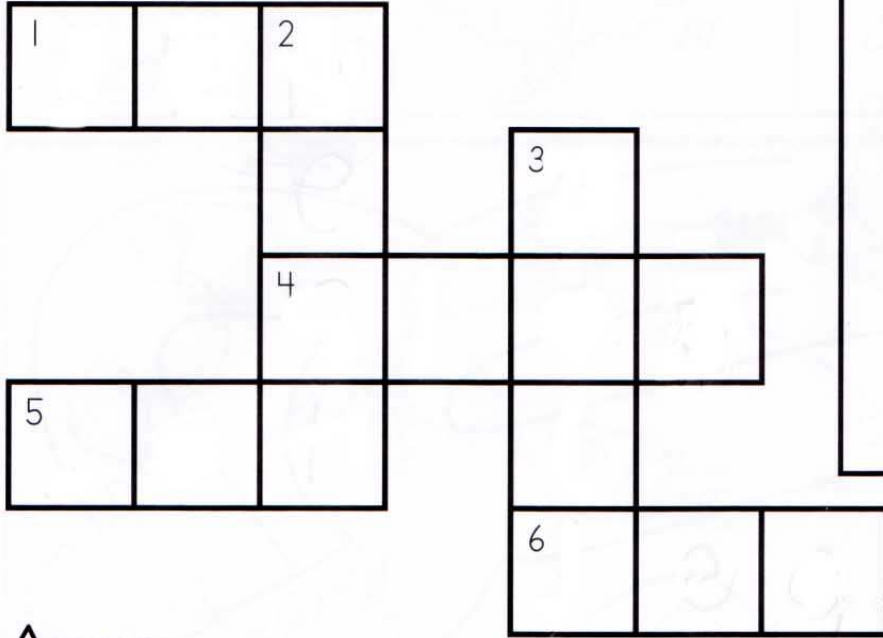
bed

bug



sun

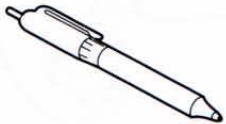
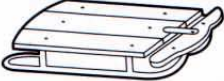


Use the words from the word list to solve the crossword puzzle.





Word List

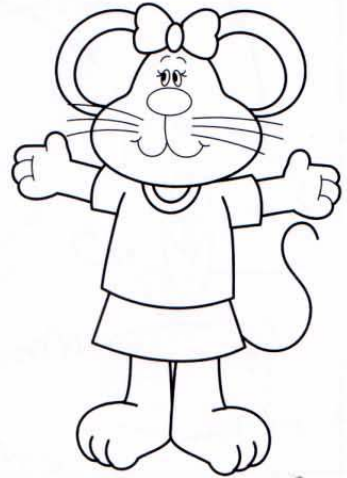
bell
jet
leg
nest
pen
sled

Across

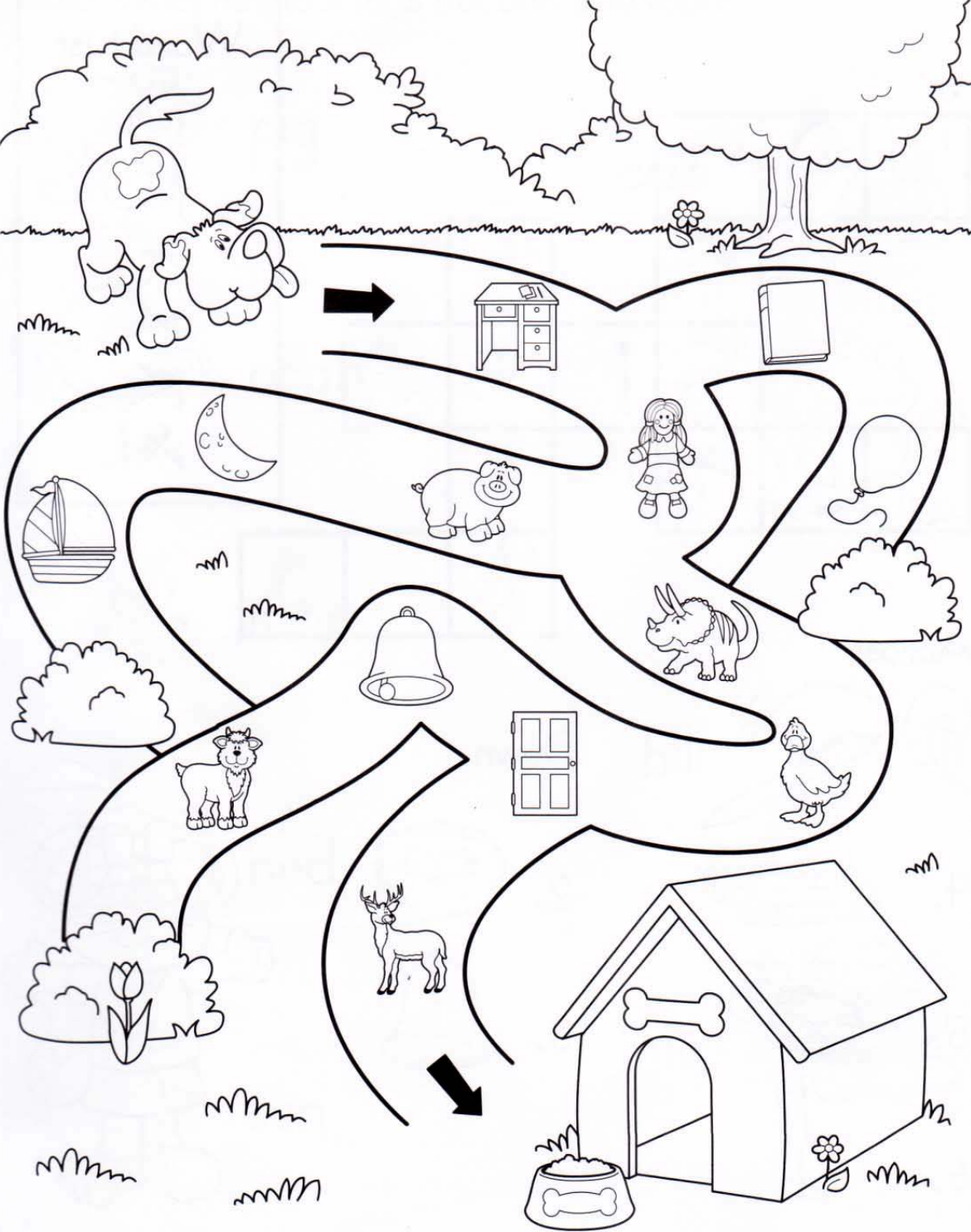
- 1. 
- 4. 
- 5. 
- 6. 

Down


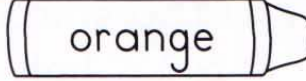
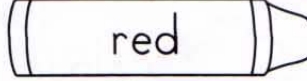



- 2. 
- 3. 

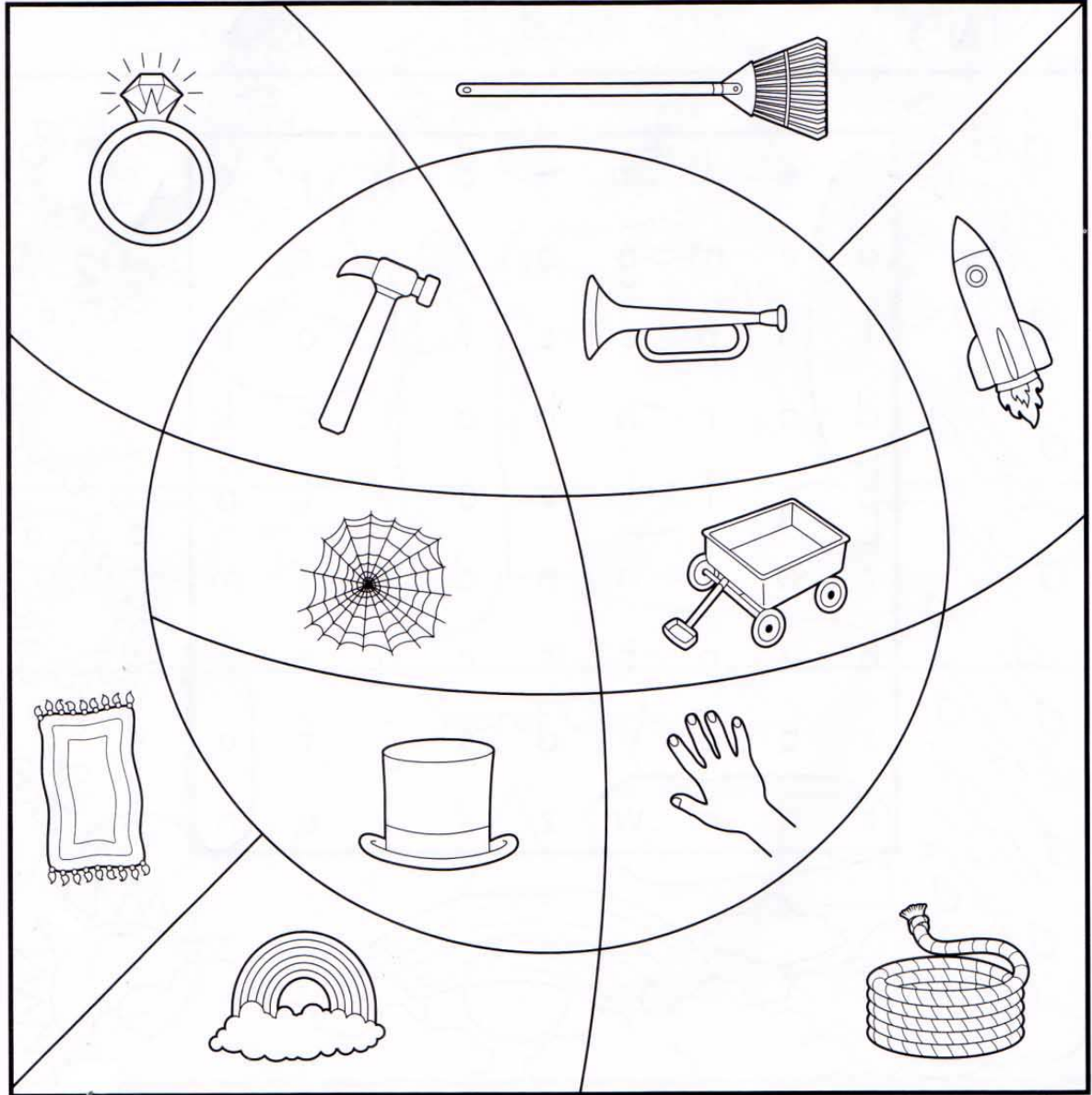


Draw a line along the path with pictures whose names **begin** with the **d** sound to help the dog find the doghouse.









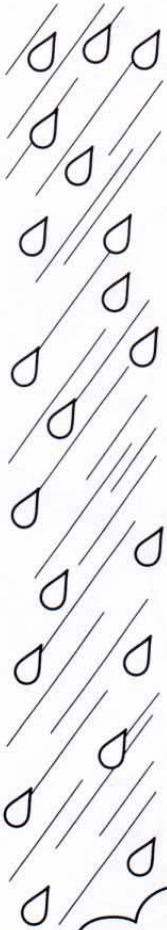
Use the key to color the spaces with pictures whose names **begin** with the same letter sounds.

 yellow	 orange	 red
 r	 w	 h

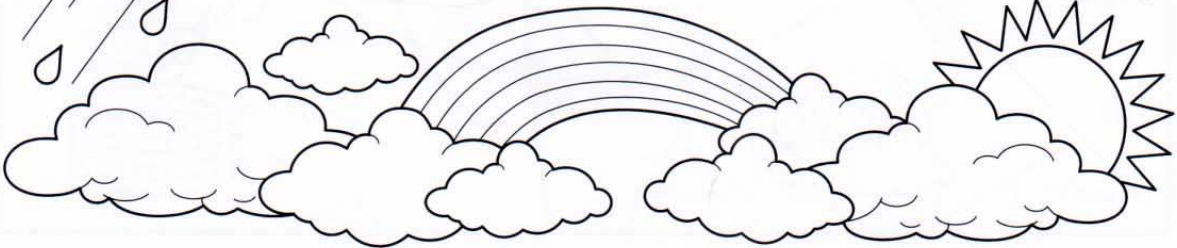


Circle the words from the word box in the puzzle below.

	cloud		hot		snow
	cold		rain		sun

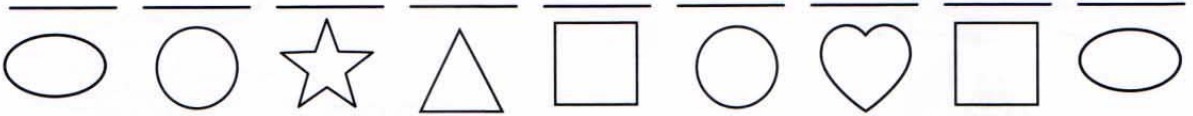
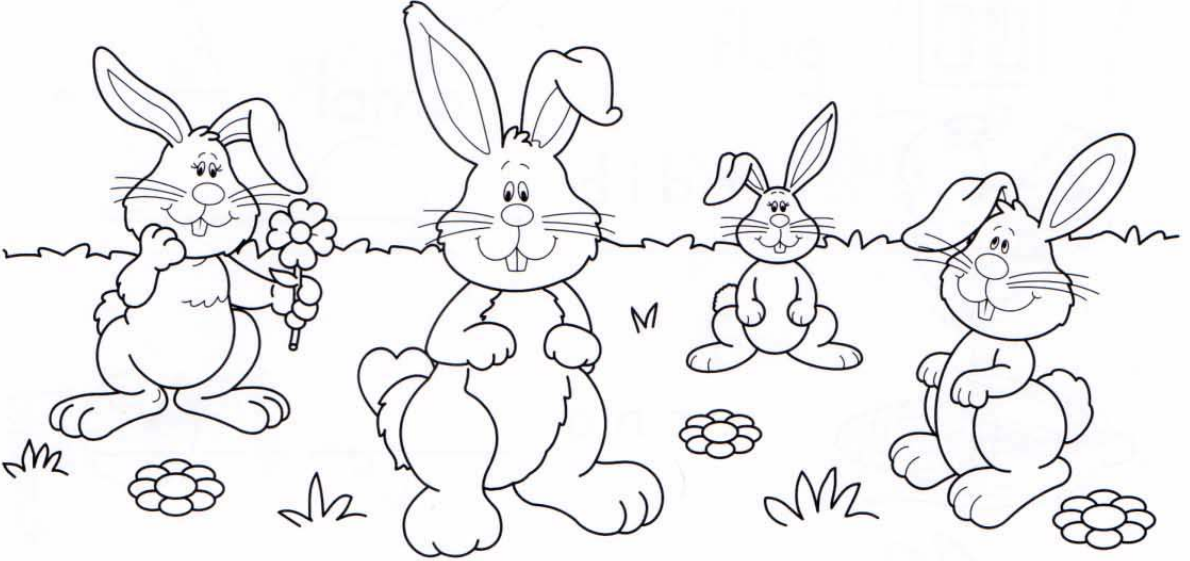


c	e	l	m	v	o	b	j	s
o	v	m	g	o	c	y	r	c
l	h	p	e	z	l	h	o	t
d	o	r	n	b	o	i	o	k
b	q	f	k	v	u	y	f	g
r	a	i	n	n	d	y	z	m
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s	n	o	w	z	x	l	e	n

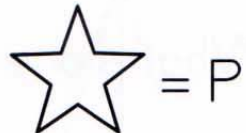
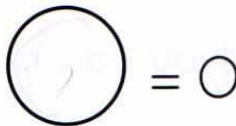
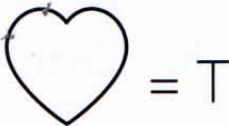
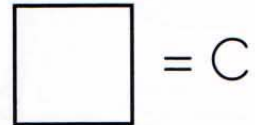
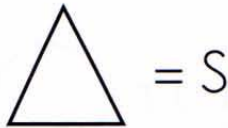
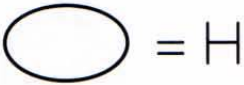


Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

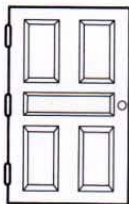
What game do bunnies like?




Secret Code



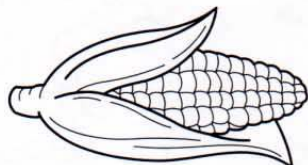
Unscramble each word and write it on the lines. Then, write the circled letters in order to answer the riddle.



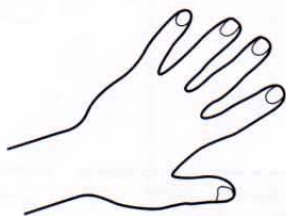
r o o d  _____



r d i b _____  _____




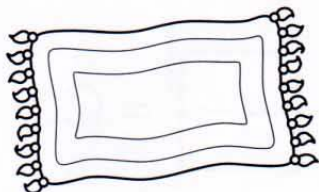
c r n o _____ 




d a h n _____ 



l u g e _____ 



g u r  _____

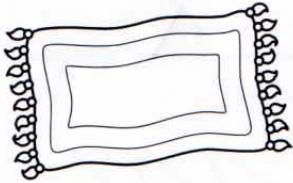
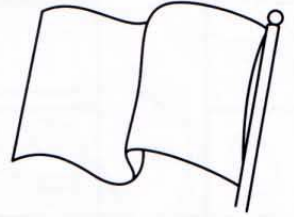
What is one thing you can never have for lunch?

Draw lines to match the words with the same **ending** sound. Circle the picture that is left. It is the answer to the riddle: What goes up when rain comes down?



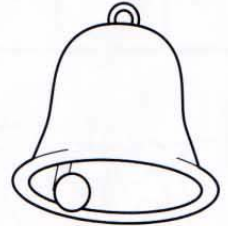
lamp

flag



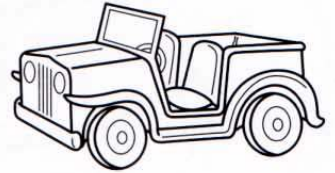
rug

bell



coat

jeep

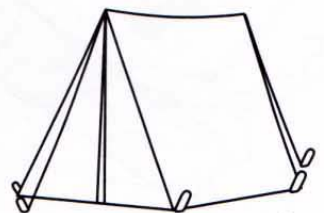


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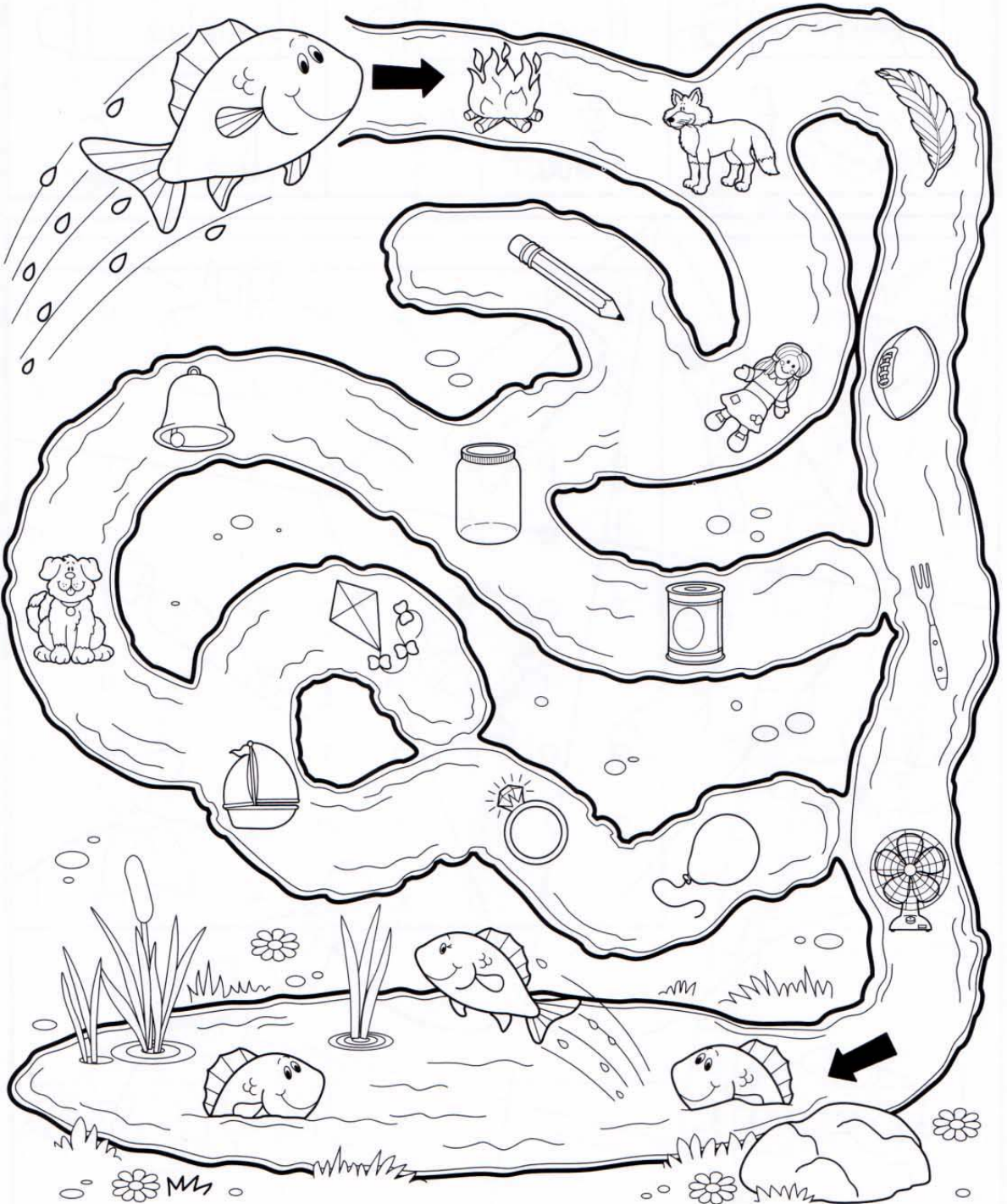


girl

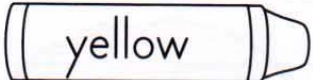


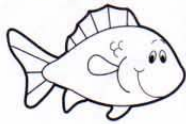


tent

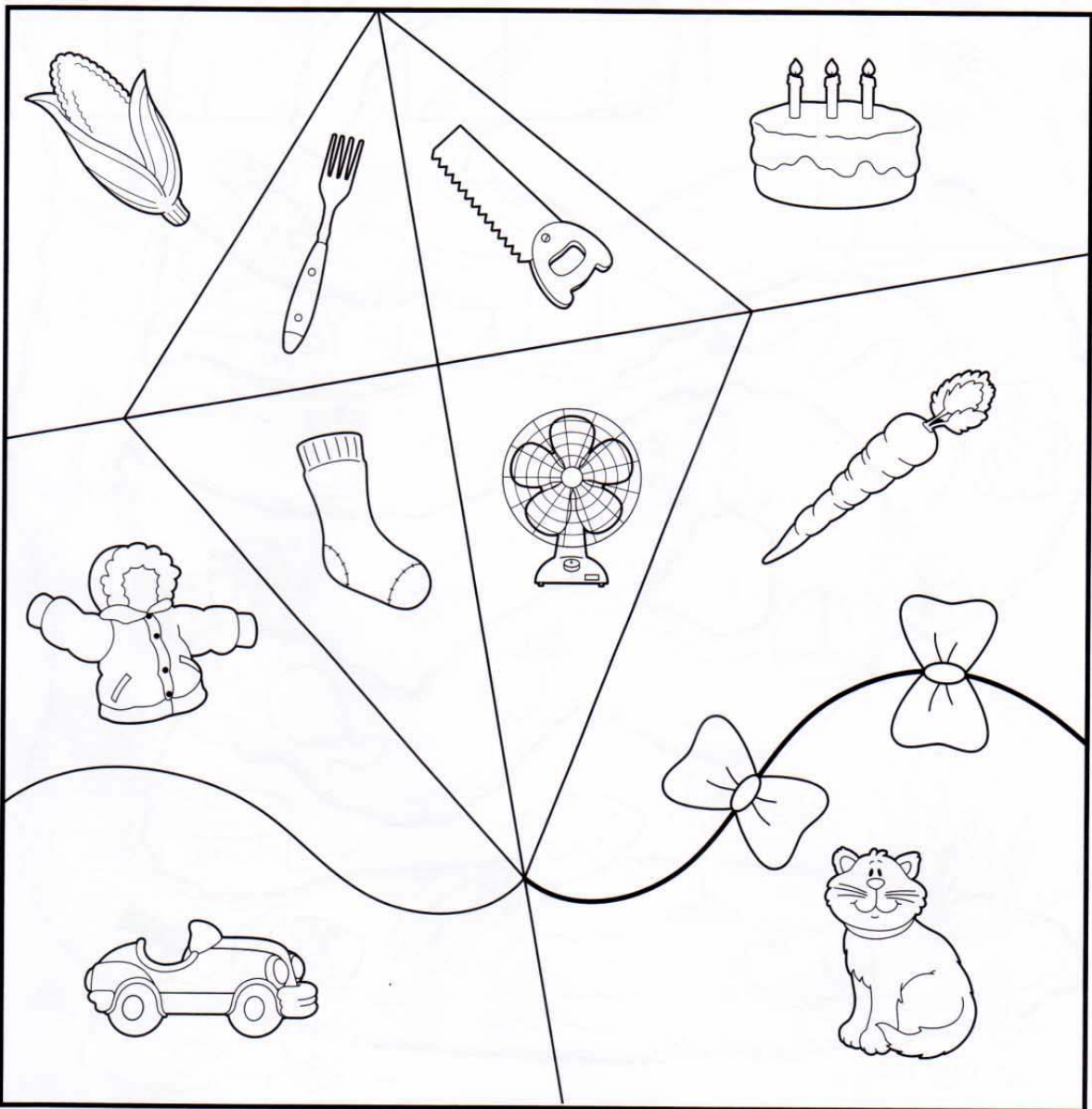


Draw a line along the path with pictures whose names **begin** with the **f** sound to help the fish find the pond.

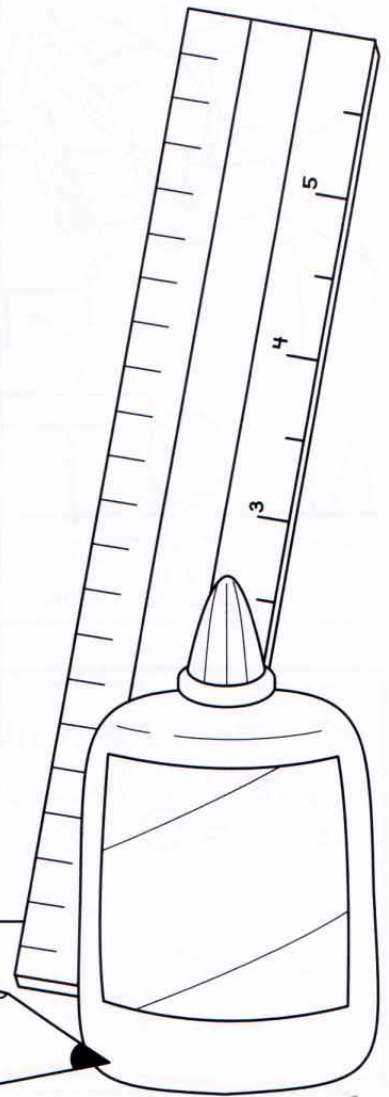
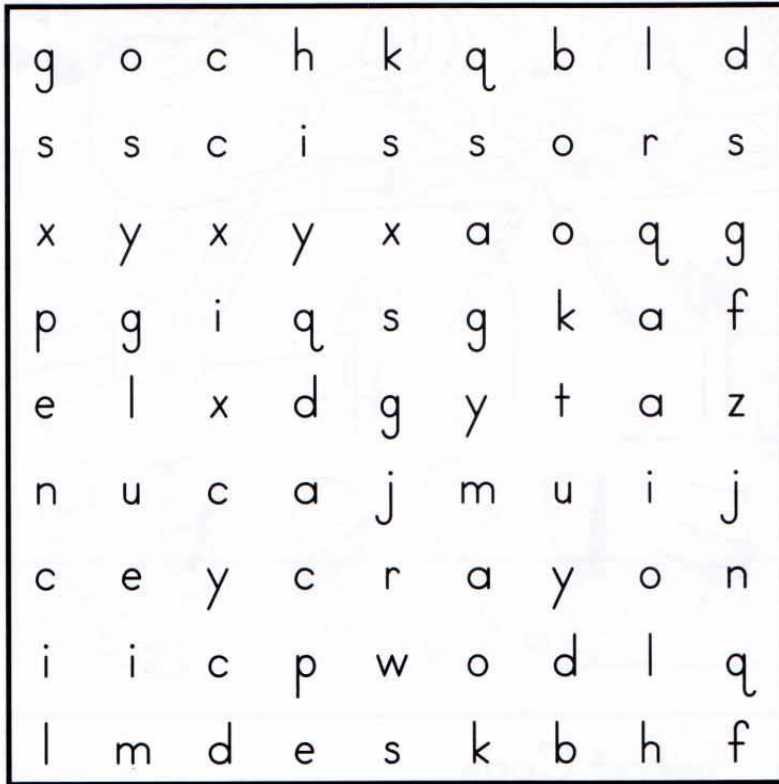


Use the key to color the spaces with pictures whose names **begin** with the same letter sounds.

 yellow	 purple	 blue
 f	 s	 c

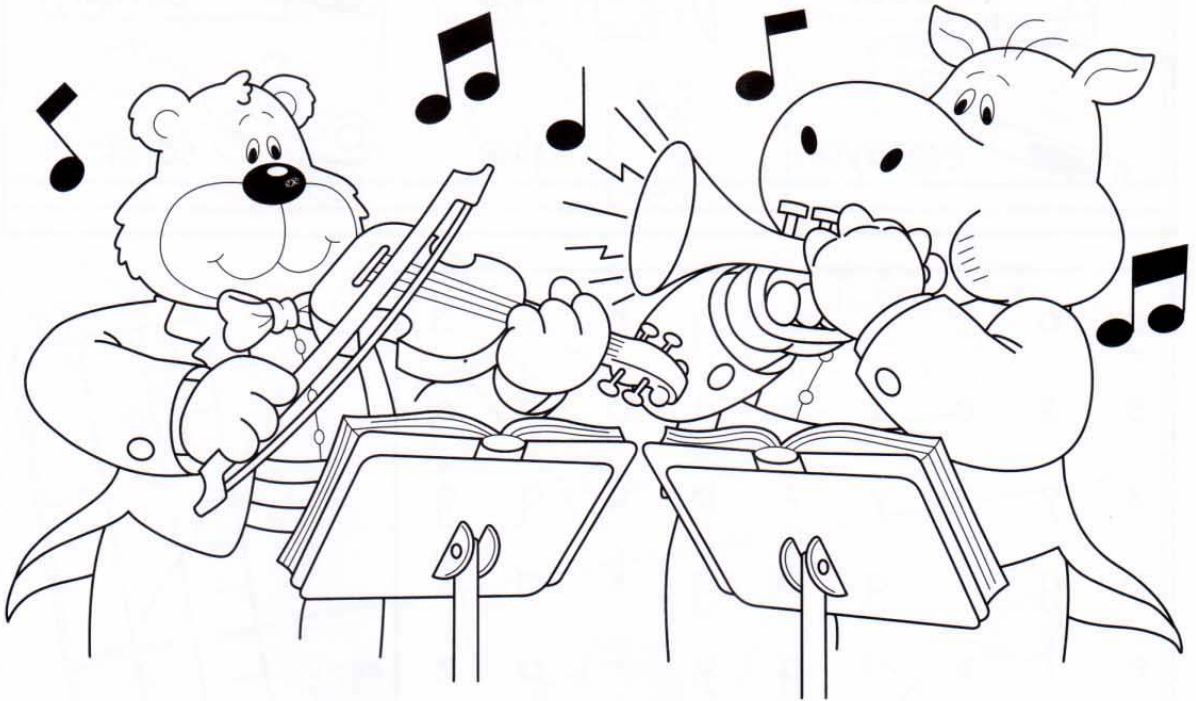


Circle the words from the word box in the puzzle below.

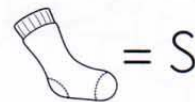
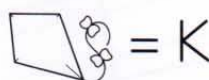
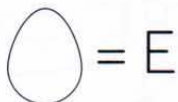
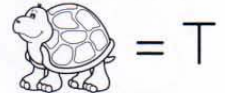
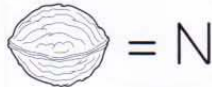
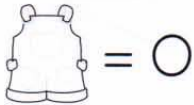


Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

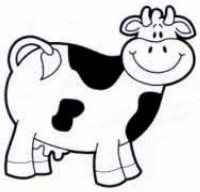
What kind of books do musicians read?




Secret Code

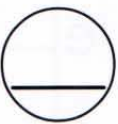


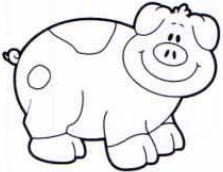
Unscramble each animal name and write it on the lines.
Write the circled letters in order to find the secret word.

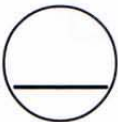


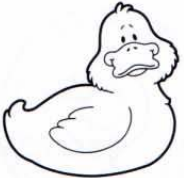
w c o  _____

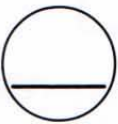


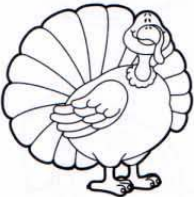
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g i p _____  _____





k d u c _____  _____

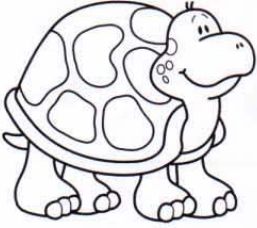


y t u r k e _____  _____

Secret Word

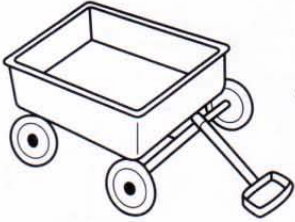
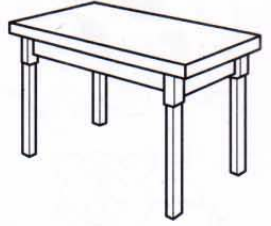
 Draw a picture of the secret word. 

Draw lines to match the words with the same **beginning** sound. Circle the picture that is left. It is the answer to the riddle: What has a head and a tail, but no body?



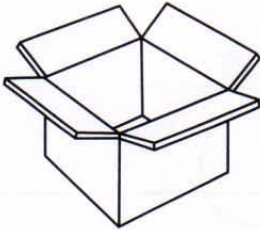
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table



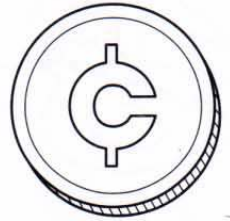
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book

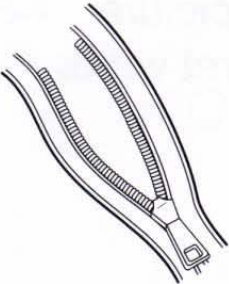


box

coin



watch

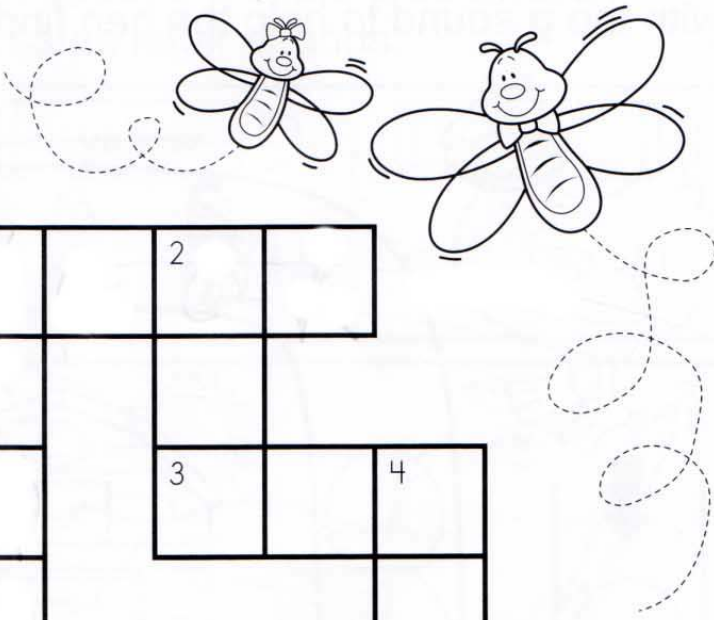


zipper

zebra

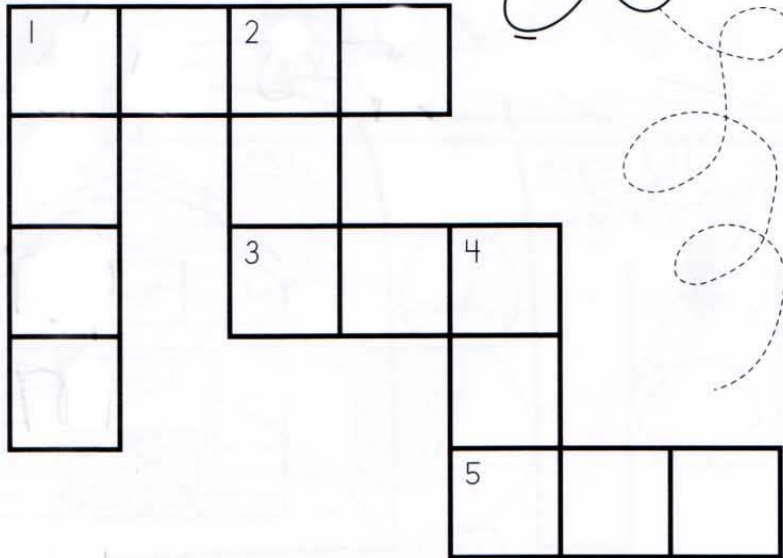


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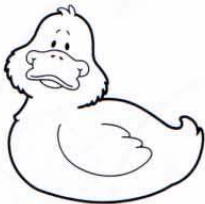
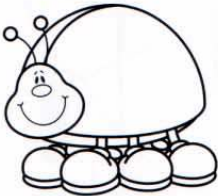
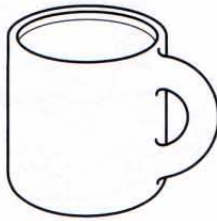


Word List

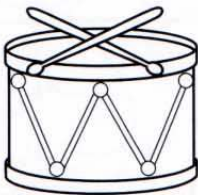
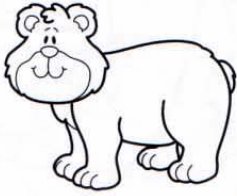
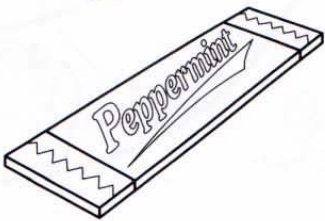
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duck
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mug



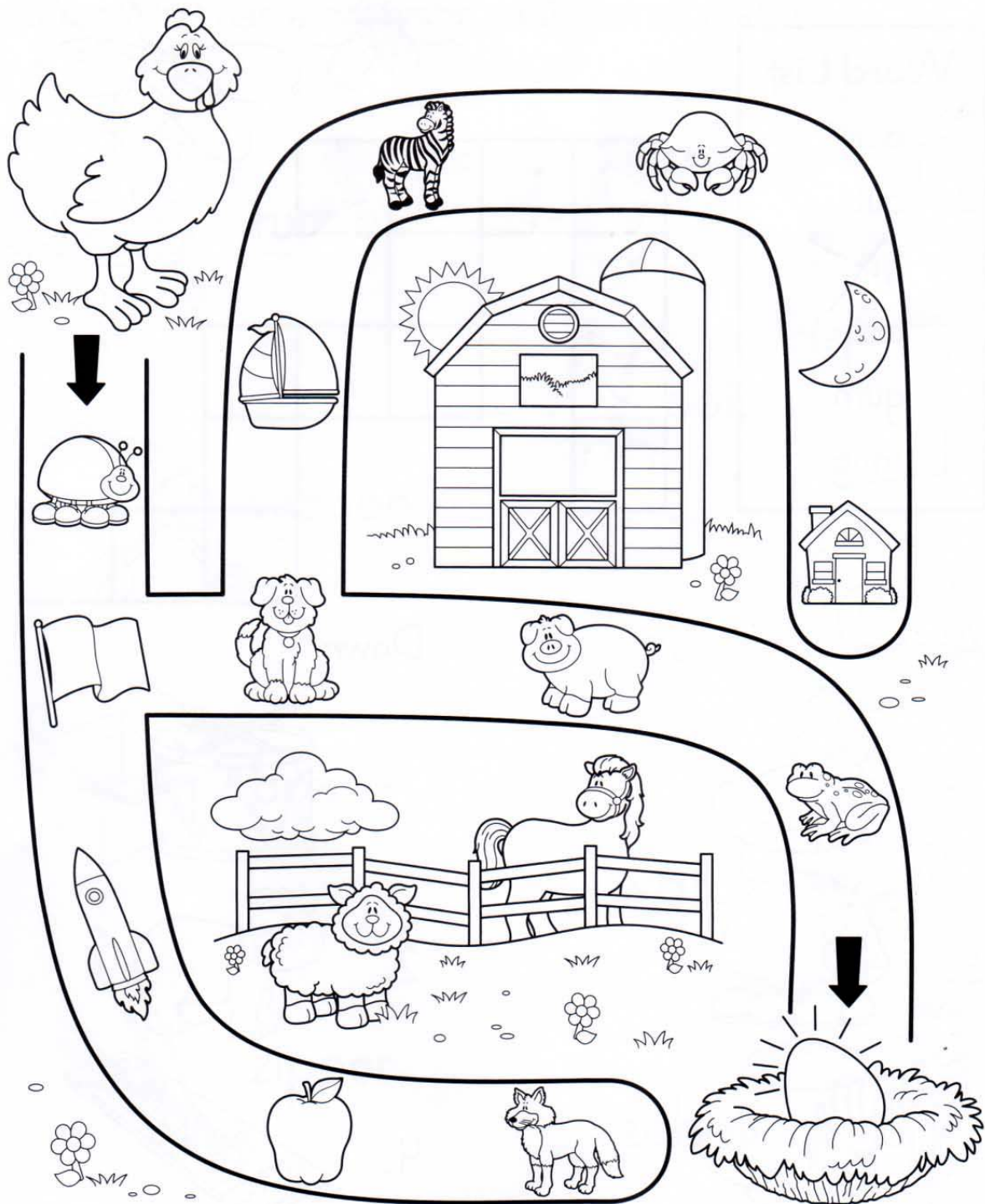
Across

1. 
3. 
5. 







Down

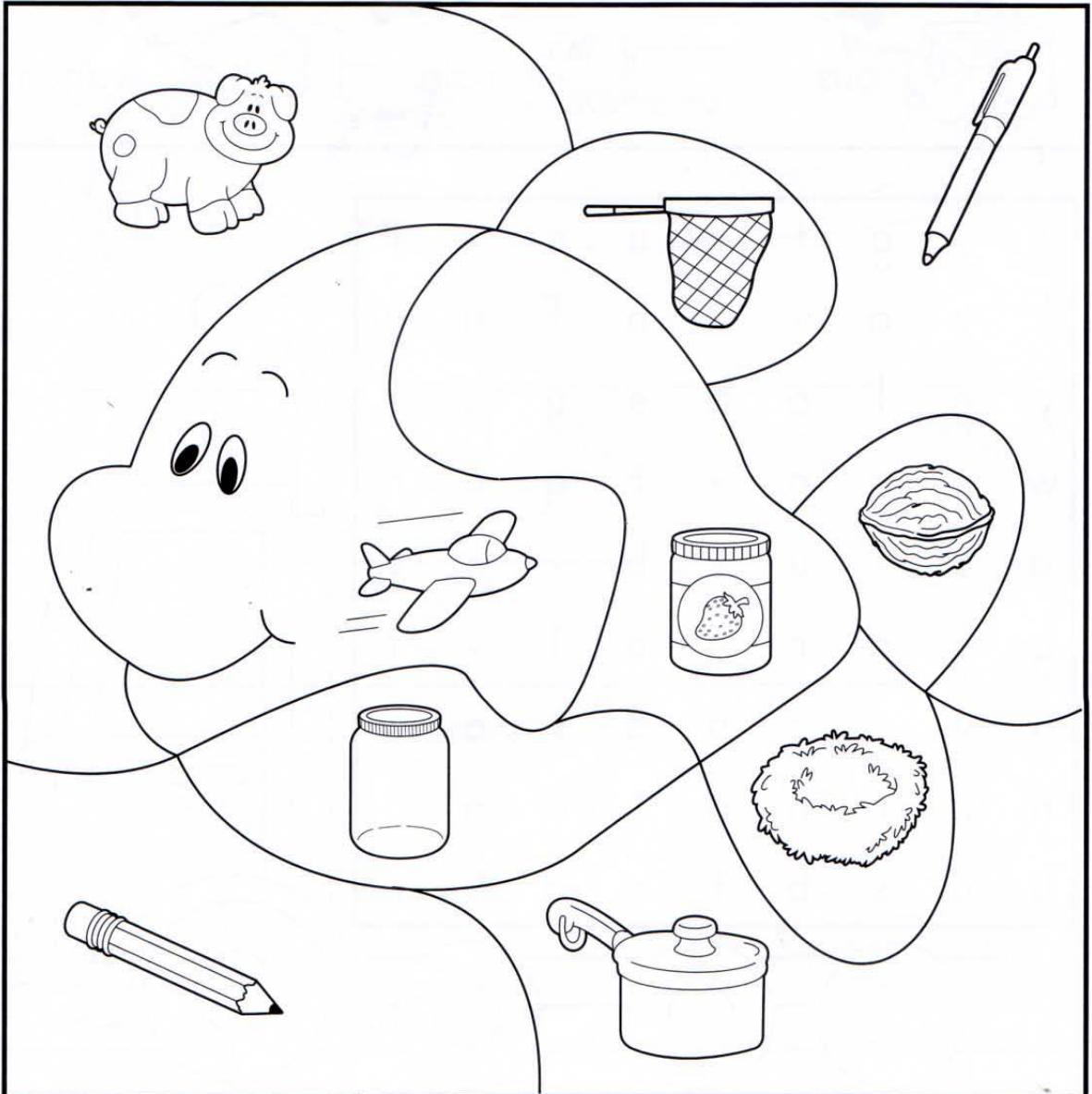
1. 
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Use the key to color the spaces with pictures whose names **begin** with the same letter sounds.

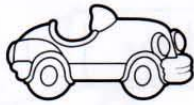
 orange	 yellow	 blue
 n	 j	 p



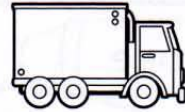
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car



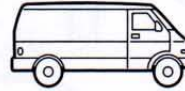
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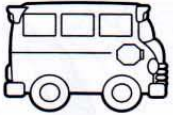
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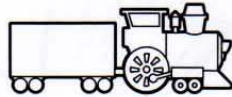
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van



bus

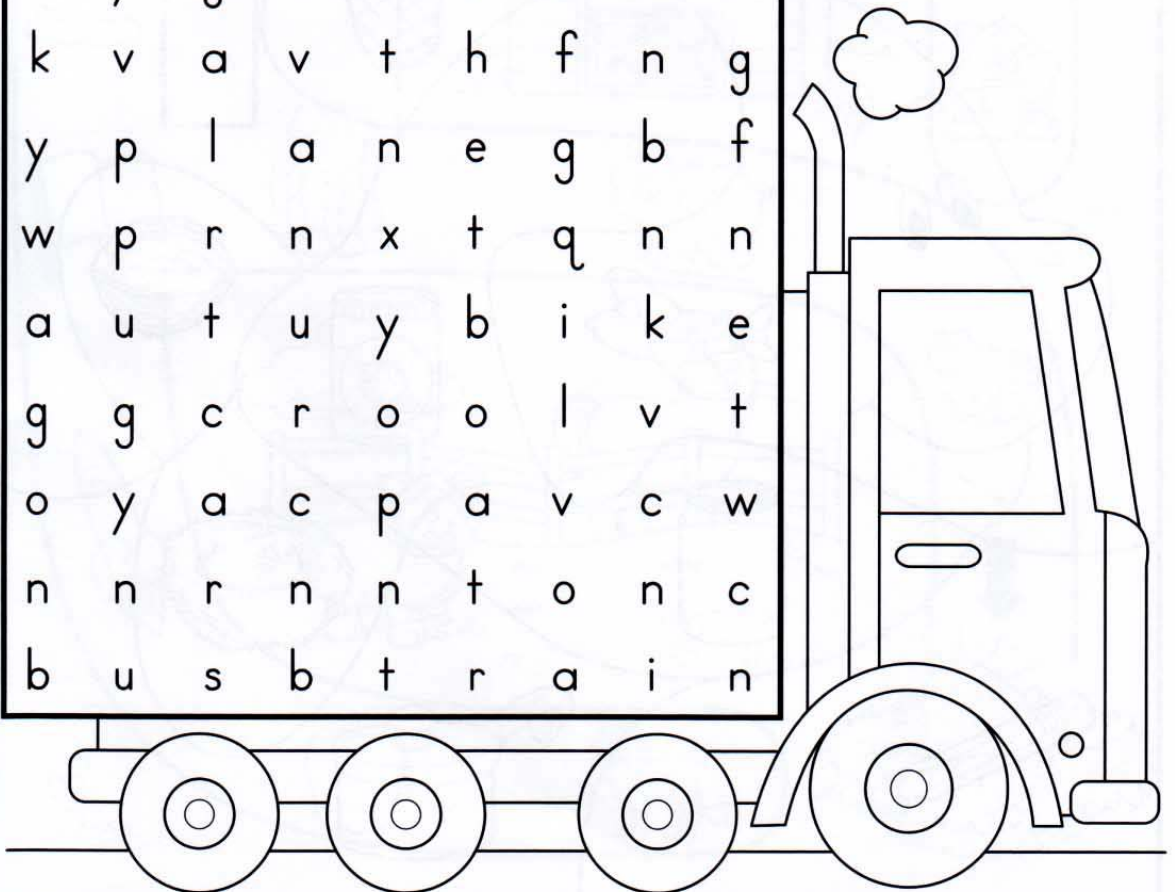


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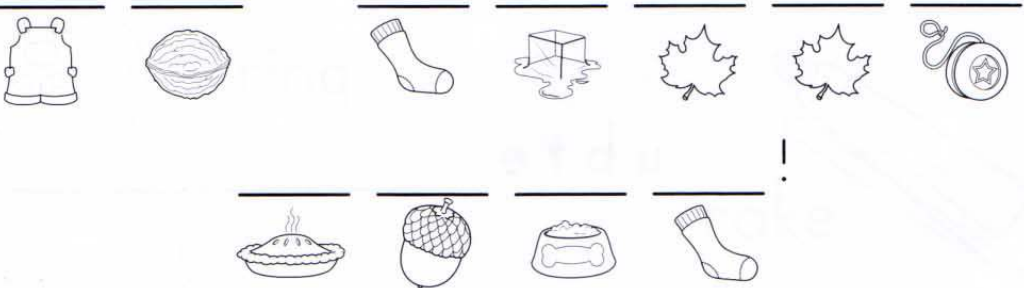
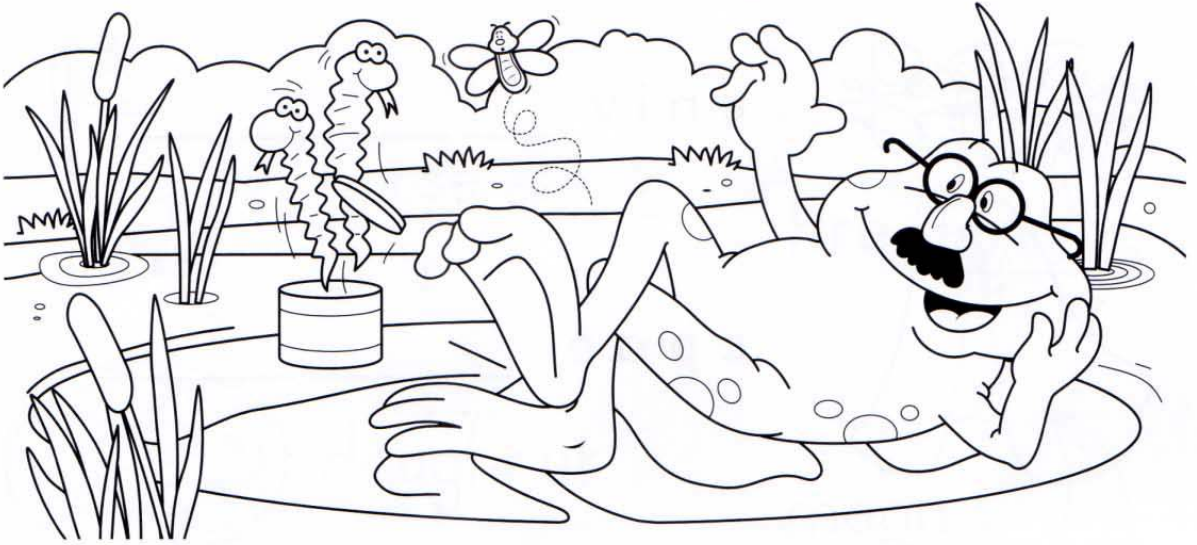
wagon

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k v a v t h f n g
y p l a n e g b f
w p r n x t q n n
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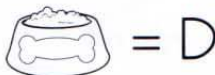
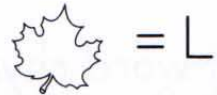
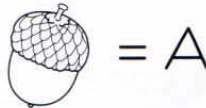
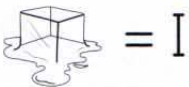
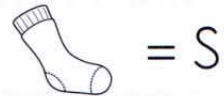
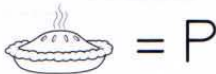


Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

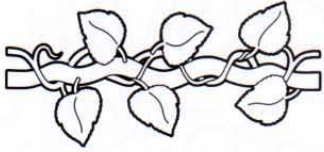
Where do funny frogs sit?



Secret Code



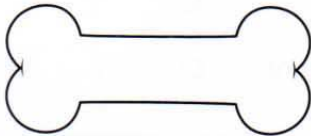
Unscramble each word and write it on the lines. Then, use the words to answer the questions.



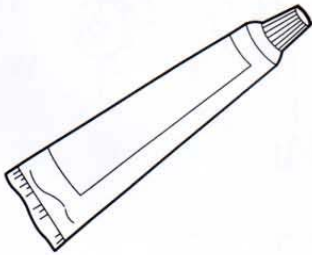
e n i v _____



c p a e _____



n b o e _____



u b t e _____

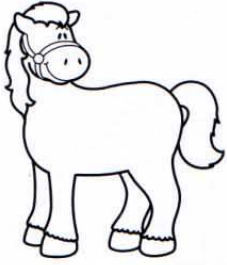
What word rhymes with cube? _____

What word rhymes with tape? _____

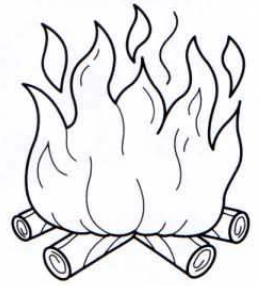
What word rhymes with cone? _____

What word rhymes with nine? _____

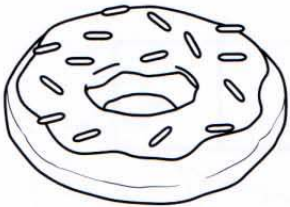
Draw lines to match the words with the same **beginning** sound. Circle the picture that is left. It is the answer to the riddle: What nut has a hole in the middle?



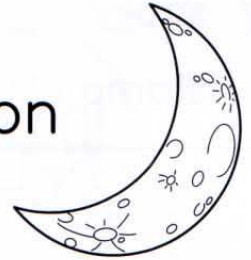
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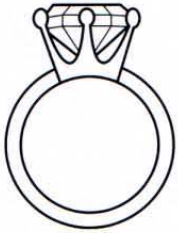
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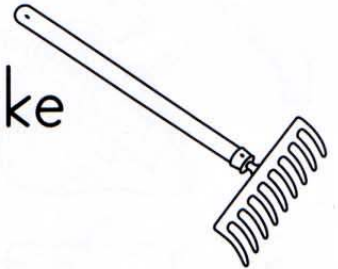
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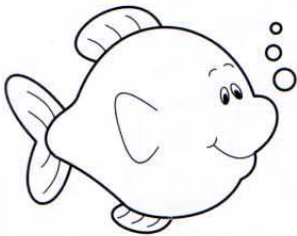
moon



ring



rake



fish

hammer



mitten

Use the words from the word list to solve the crossword puzzle.

Word List

ham

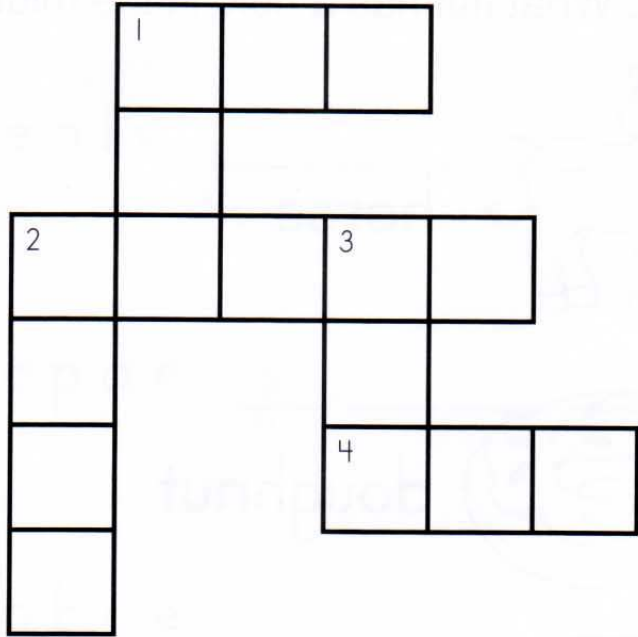
hat

map

pan

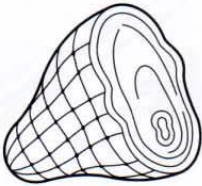
sack

stamp



Across

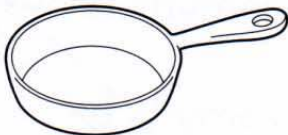
1.



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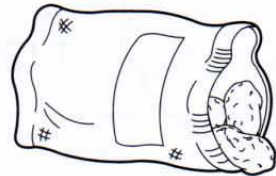


Down

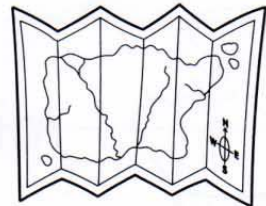
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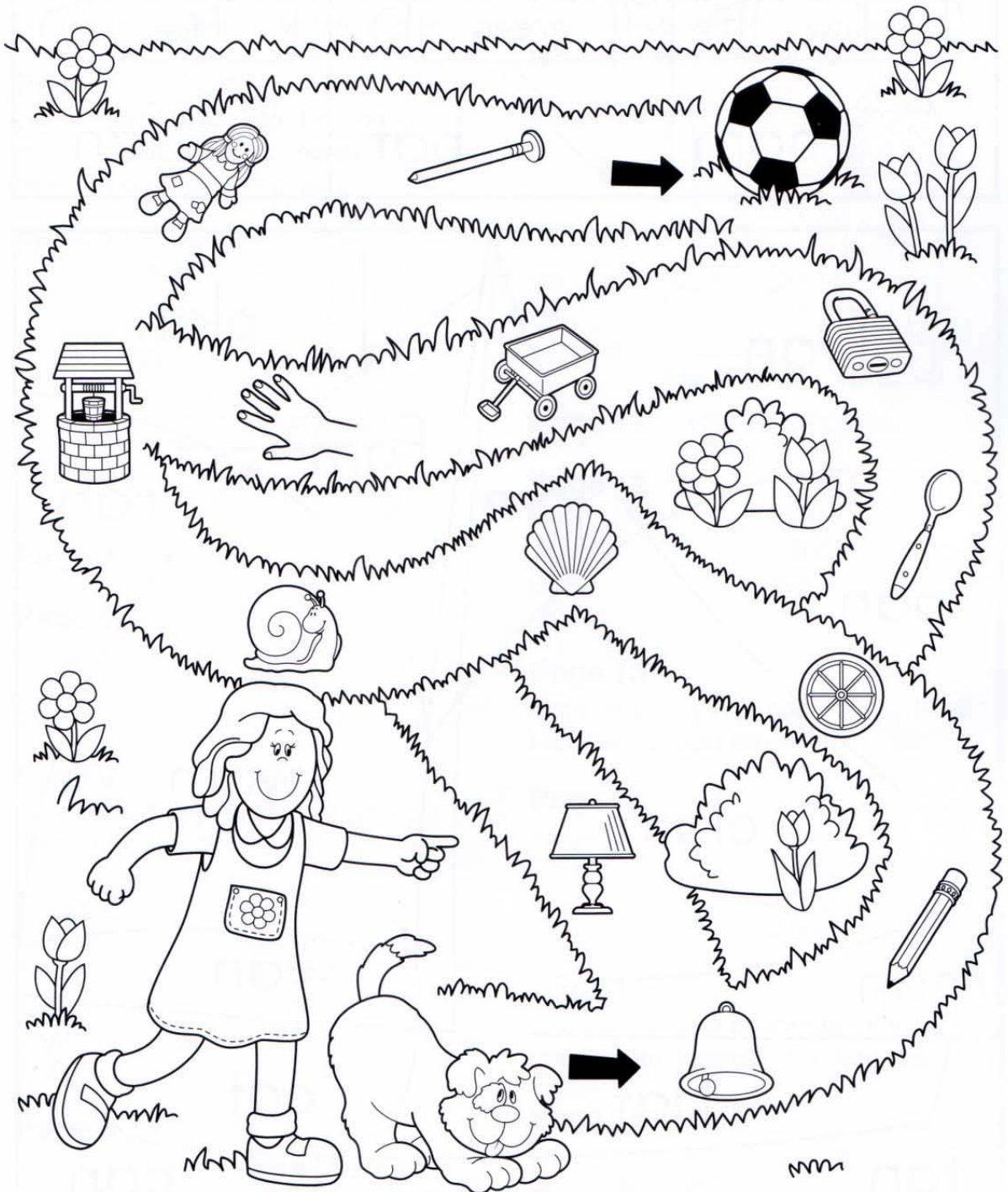
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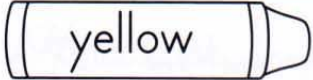
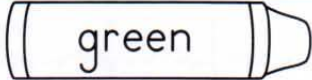




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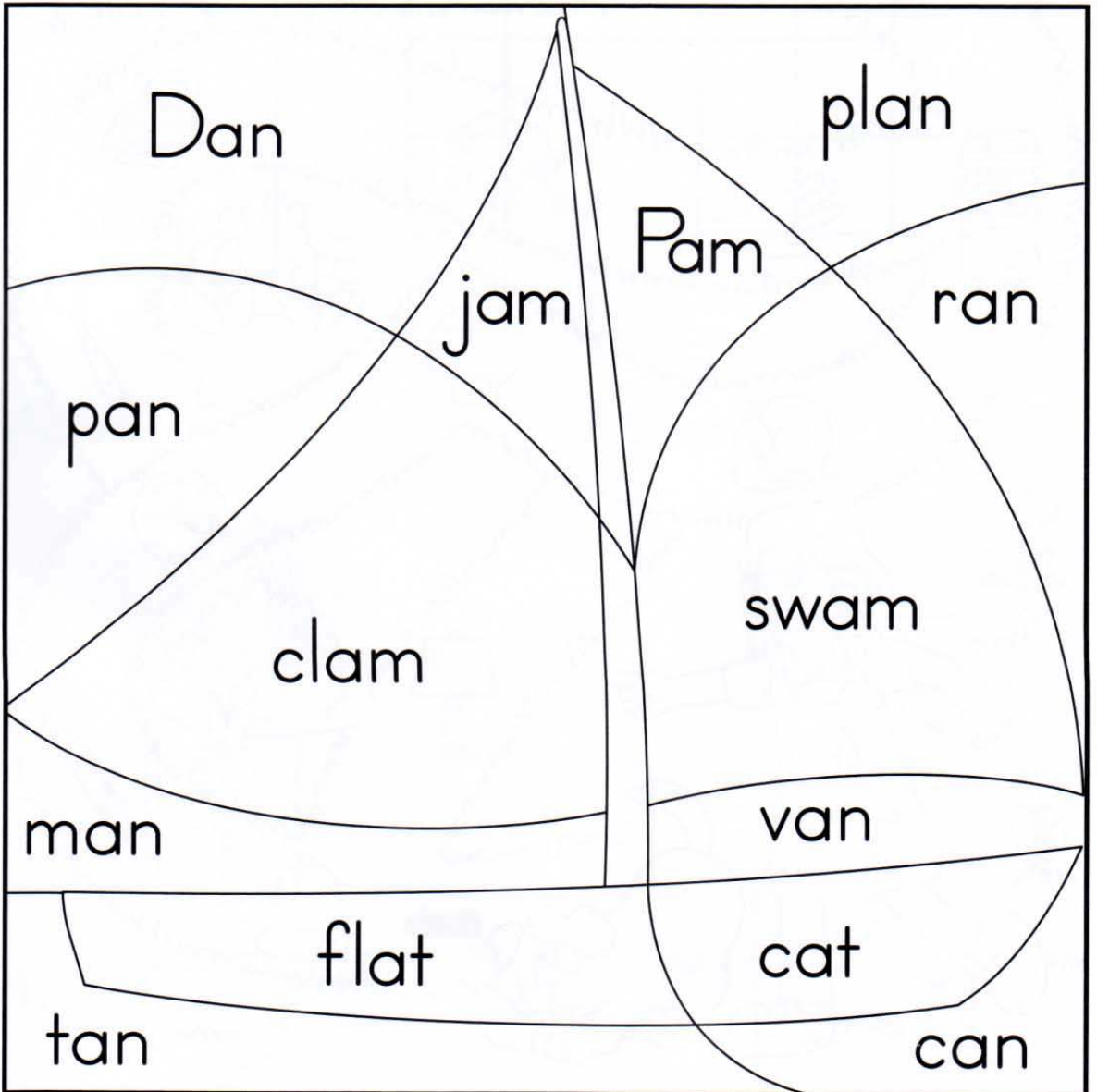


Draw a line along the path with pictures whose names **end** with the **I** sound to help the girl find the ball.



Use the key to color the spaces with words that **rhyme**.

 yellow	 green	 blue
 ham	 bat	 fan



Dan

pan

jam

clam

man

flat

tan

plan

Pam

ran

swam

van

cat

can

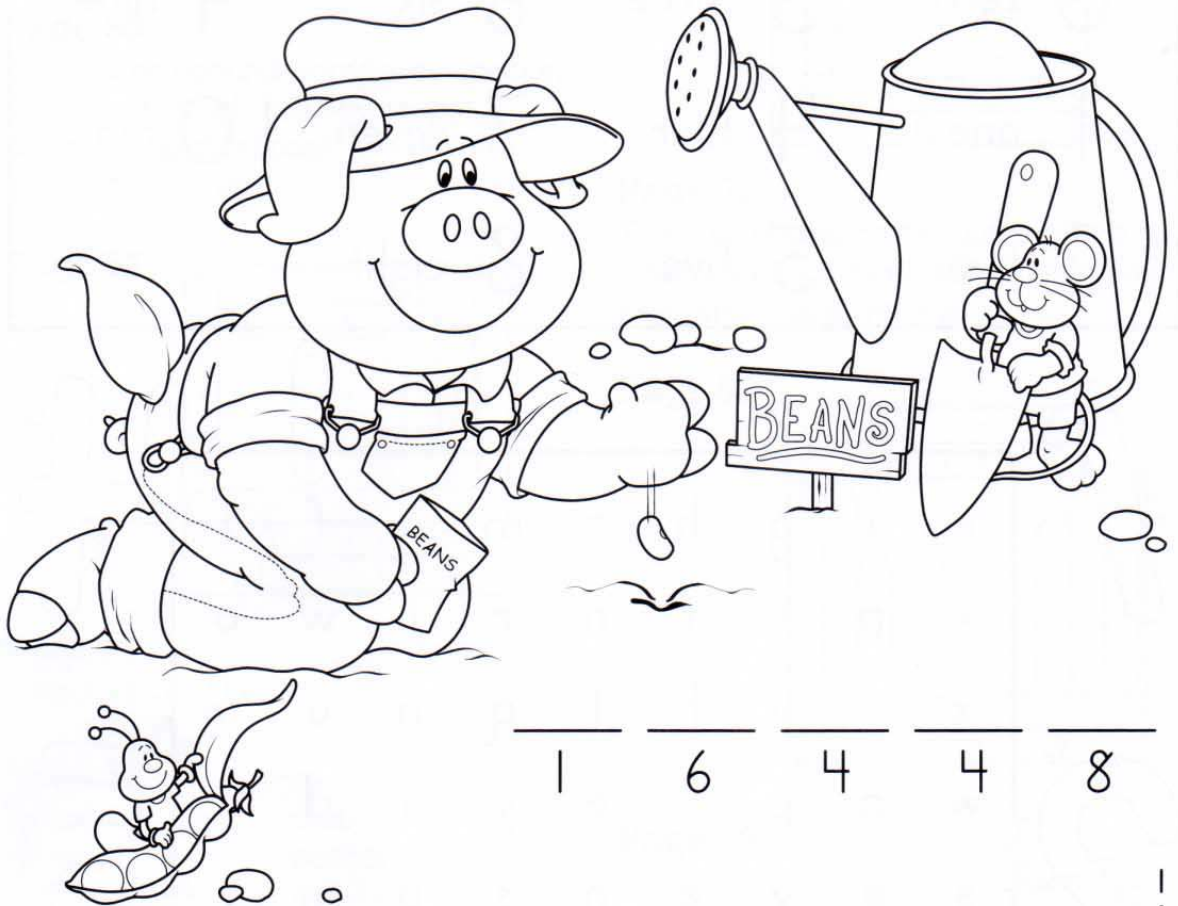
Circle the number words from the word box in the puzzle below.

0 zero	3 three	6 six	9 nine
1 one	4 four	7 seven	10 ten
2 two	5 five	8 eight	

1
2
3
4
5
6

Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

What kind of beans do not grow in a garden?



Secret Code

4 = L

8 = Y

6 = E

2 = A

7 = S

1 = J

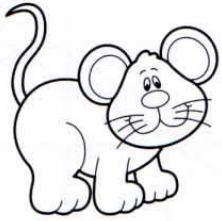
3 = N

5 = B

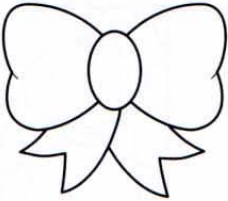
Unscramble each word and write it on the lines. Then, write the circled letters in order to answer the riddle.



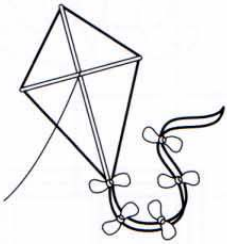
t r a s _____ () _____



e o s u m _____ () _____



o b w _____ () _____



t k i e _____ () _____



g l i r _____ () _____

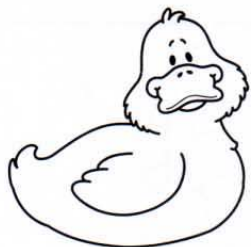
What gets wetter the more it dries?

a _____

Draw lines to match the words with the same **beginning** sound. Circle the picture that is left. It is the answer to the riddle: What kind of bow cannot be tied?



sock



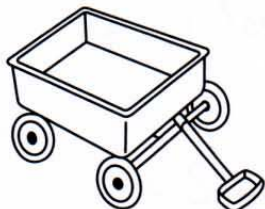
duck



nest

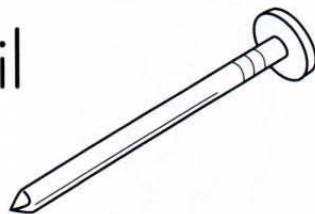


rainbow



wagon

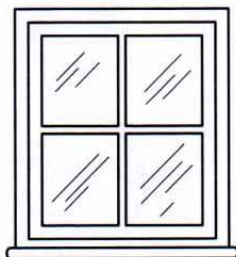
nail



dog



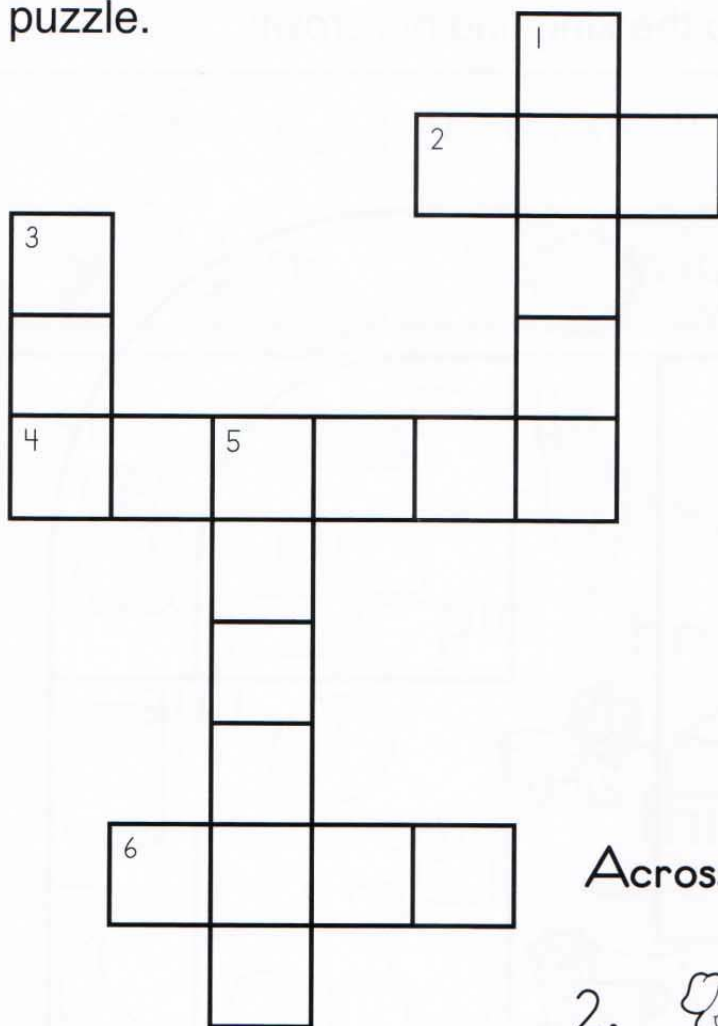
window



saw



Use the words from the word list to solve the crossword puzzle.

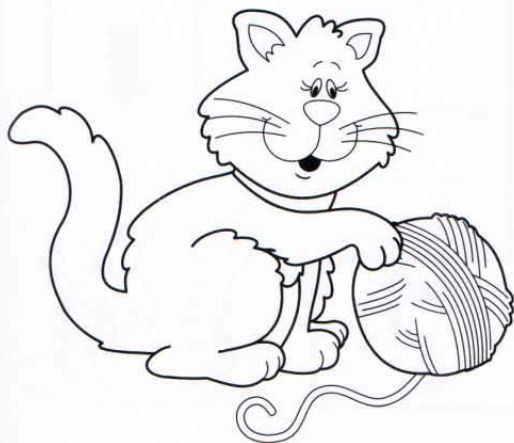
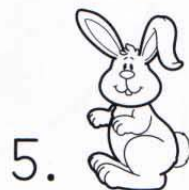
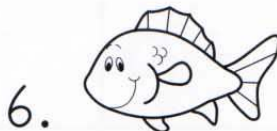
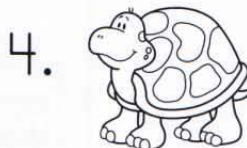
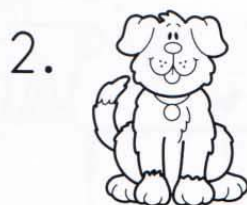


Word List

cat
dog
fish
mouse
rabbit
turtle

Across

Down



Circle the words from the word box in the puzzle below.

birthday

friends

hat

cake

fun

present

candles

games

sing



Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

How do bees get to school?



4

1

2

“

”!

6

8

5

5



Secret Code

8 = U

6 = B

1 = N

9 = S

2 = A

3 = M

5 = Z

4 = O

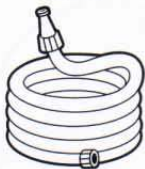
Unscramble each word and write it on the lines. Then, use the words to finish the sentences below.



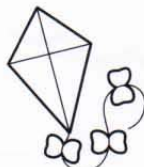
p y u p p _____



z p r i e _____



s o h e _____



t e k i _____



g e c a _____

1. The _____ is in the garden.

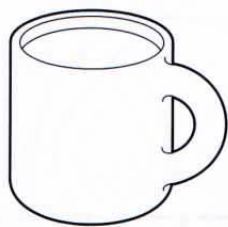
2. Sam won first _____.

3. We flew a _____ today.

4. The bird was in the _____.

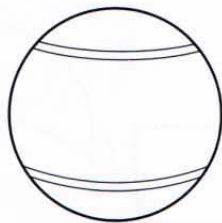
5. The _____ is very cute.

Draw lines to match words that go together to make compound words. Use the compound words to finish the sentences below.



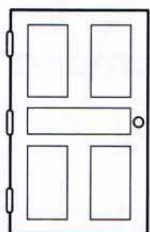
cup

ball



foot

bell



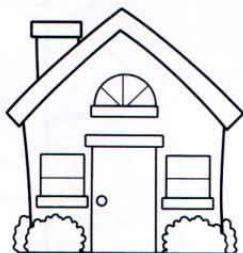
door

cake



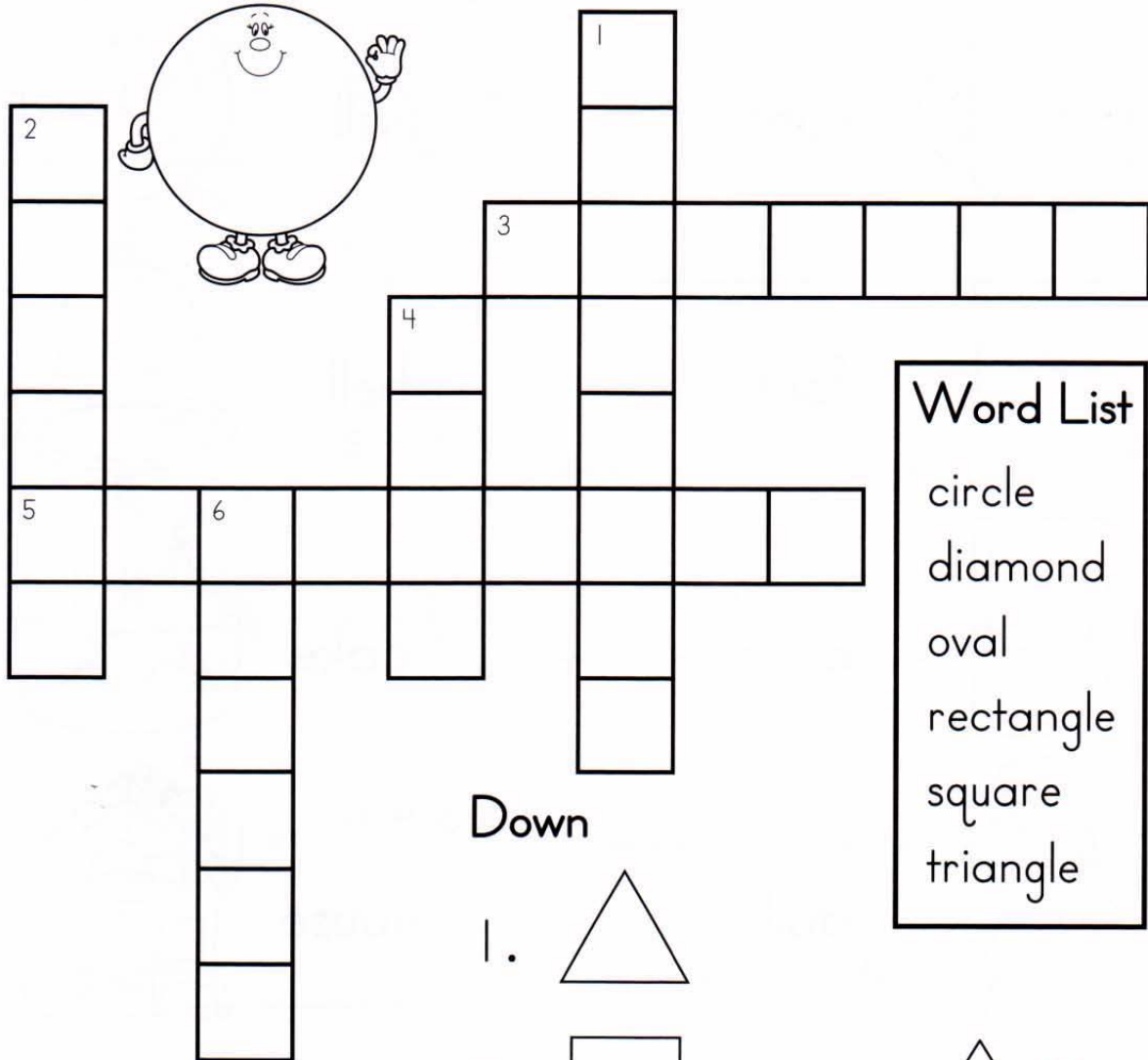
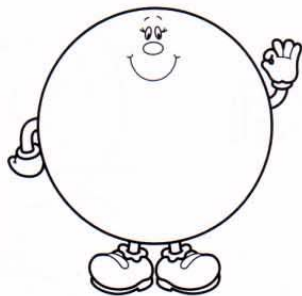
doll

house



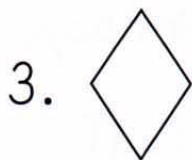
1. We played _____ outside.
2. Pam had a _____ on her birthday.
3. Sara has a pretty pink _____.
4. Please ring the _____.

Use the words from the word list to solve the crossword puzzle.

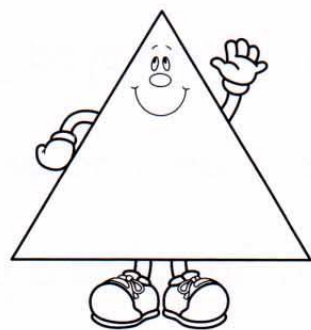


Word List
 circle
 diamond
 oval
 rectangle
 square
 triangle

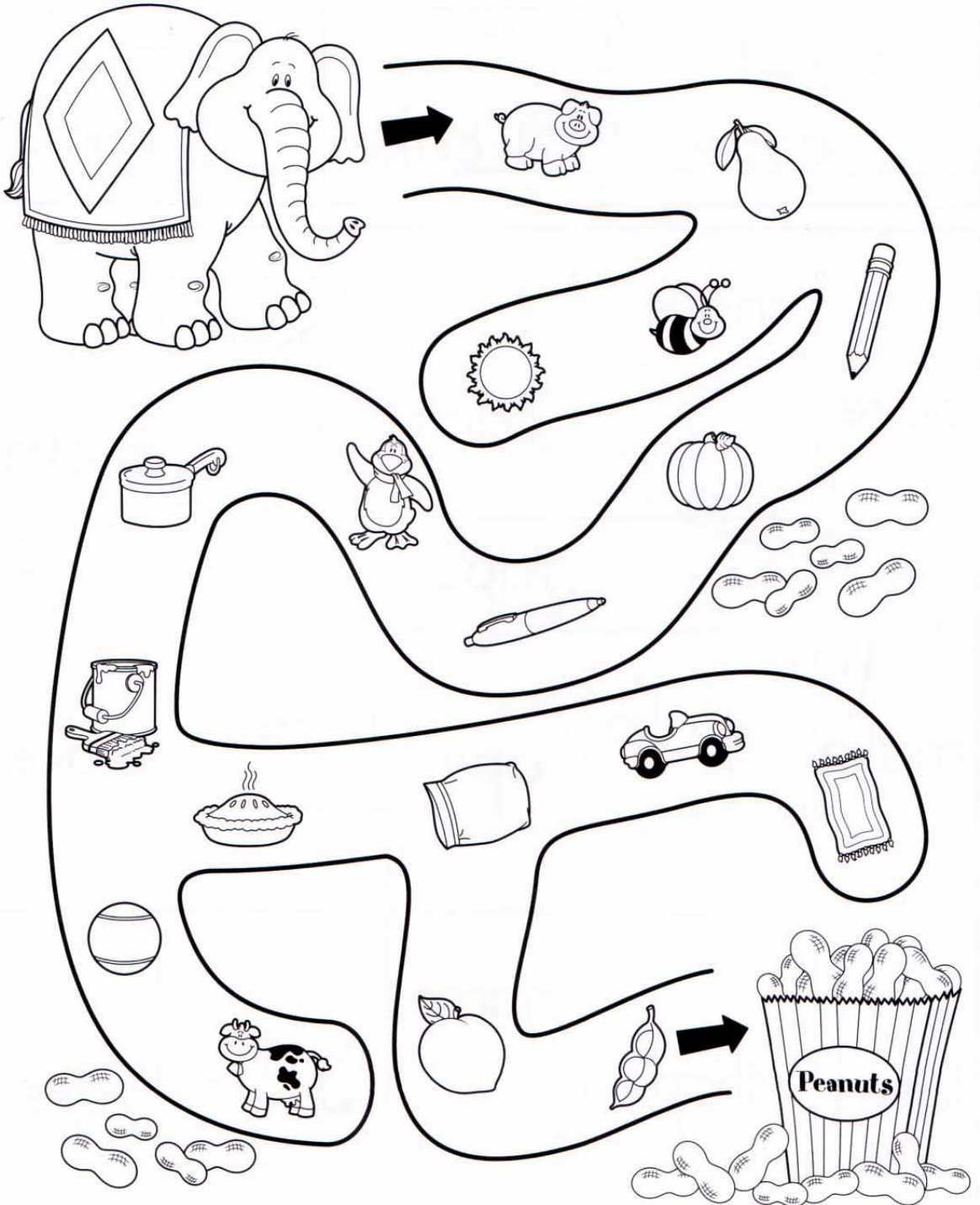
Across









Down



Draw a line along the path with pictures whose names **begin** with the **p** sound to help the elephant find the peanuts.



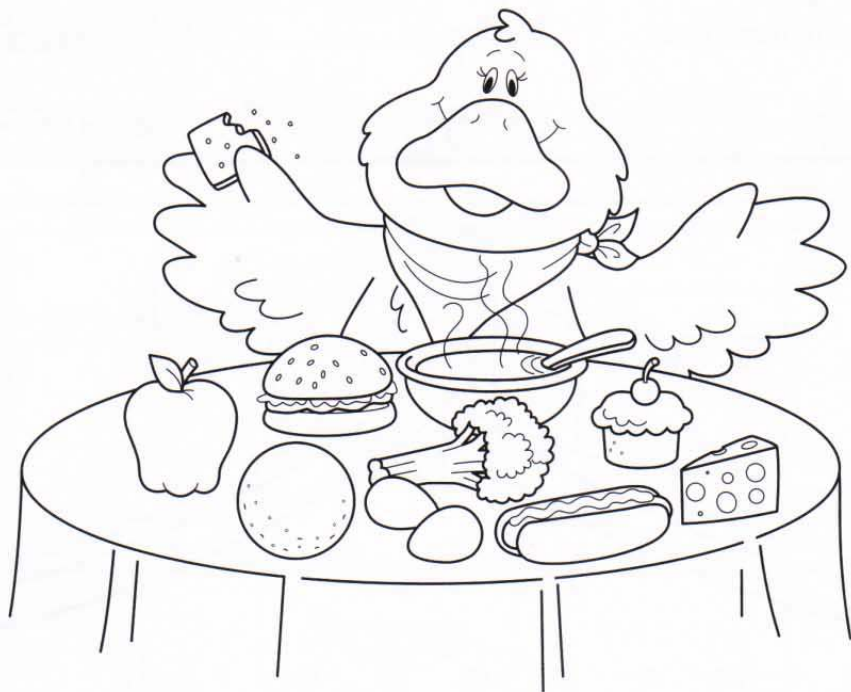
Use the key to color the spaces with words that **rhyme**.

 blue	 yellow	 red
 cape	 cake	 game

	snake		same	
bake		came		shake
		tape		
make	take	ape	rake	wake
		name		
lake	shape	o	grape	fake

Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

What do ducks eat for a snack?



“ _____ ”
5 7 9 2 6 3 4 8 !

Secret Code

7 = U

5 = Q

2 = C

8 = S

9 = A

6 = K

4 = R

3 = E

Unscramble each describing word and write it on the lines. Then, write the circled letters in order to answer the riddle.

cute

happy

noisy

sleepy

funny

neat

pretty

h y a p p _____ () _____

f n n u y _____ () _____

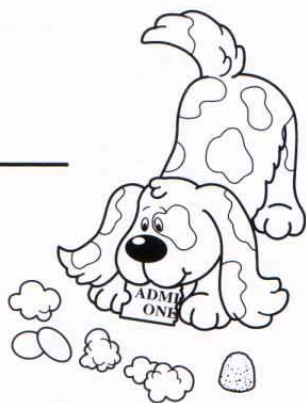
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n s o i y _____ () _____

r e t p t y _____ () _____

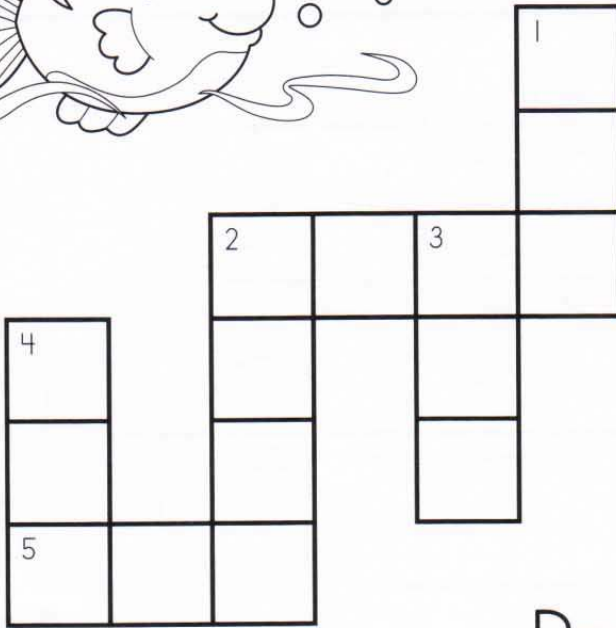
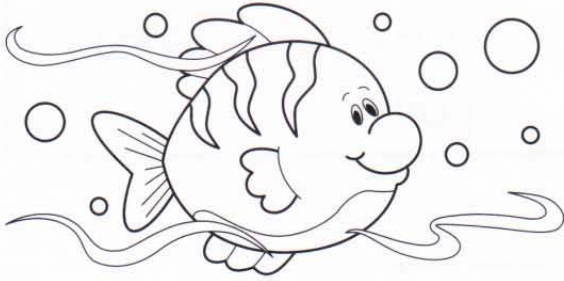
a n e t () _____



What do dogs eat at the movies?

“ _____ ” !
_____ !

Use the words from the word list to solve the crossword puzzle.

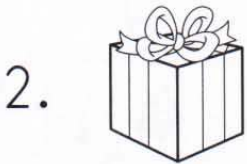


Word List

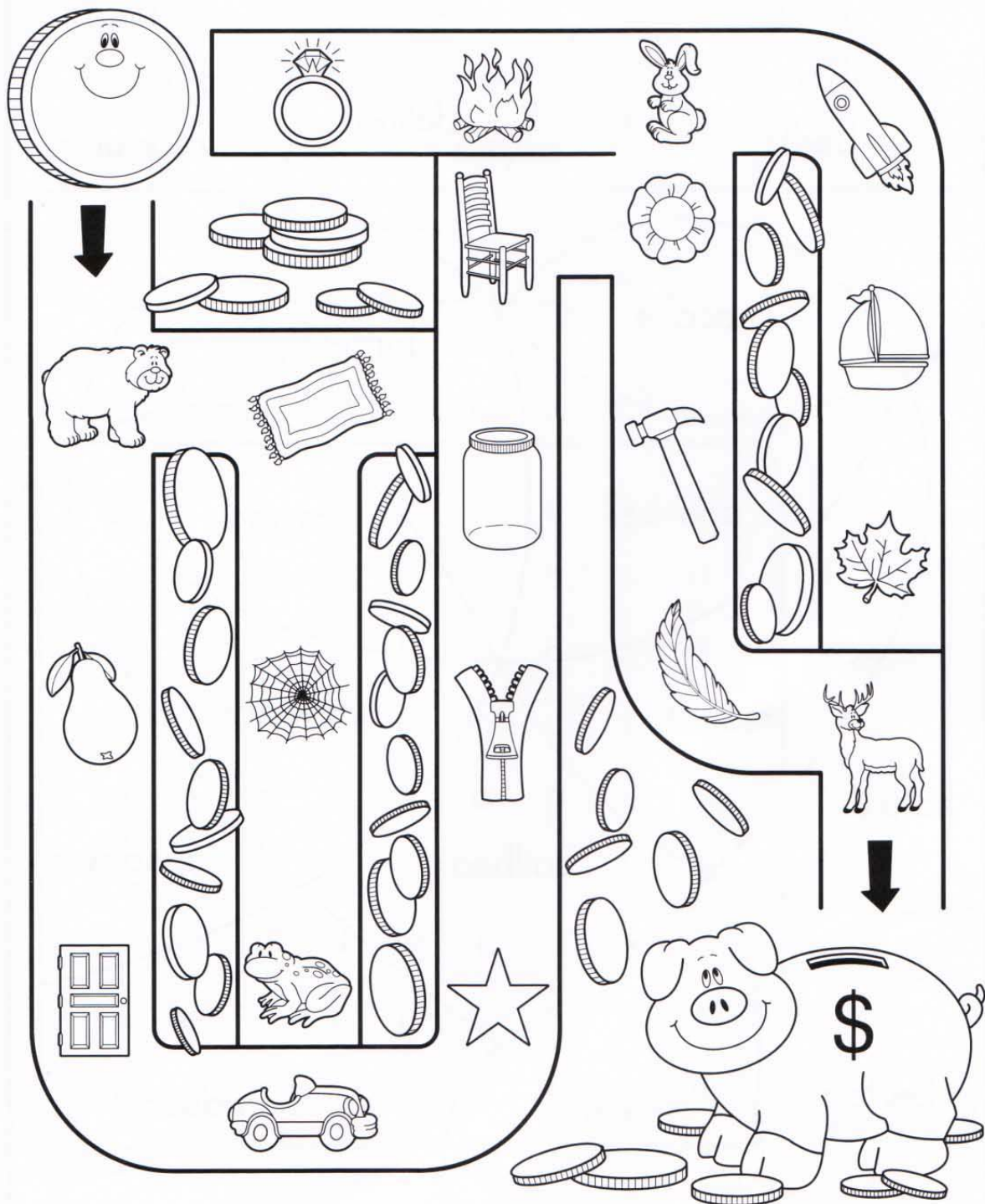
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 lip
 pin

Down

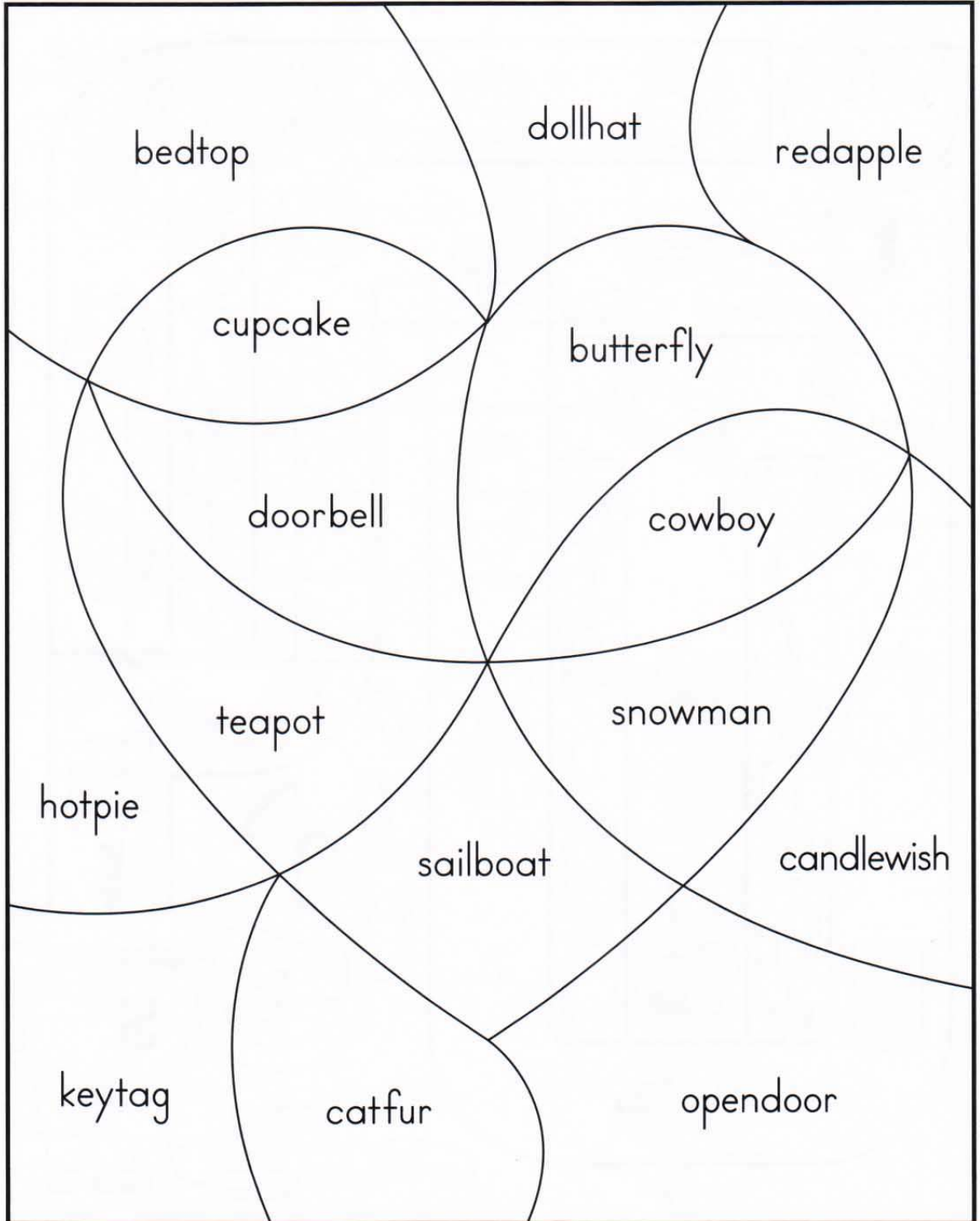
Across



Draw a line along the path with pictures whose names **end** with the **r** sound to put the coin in the piggy bank.



Use a red crayon to color each space that contains a real compound word.



Circle the words from the word box in the puzzle below.

apple

juice

pizza

banana

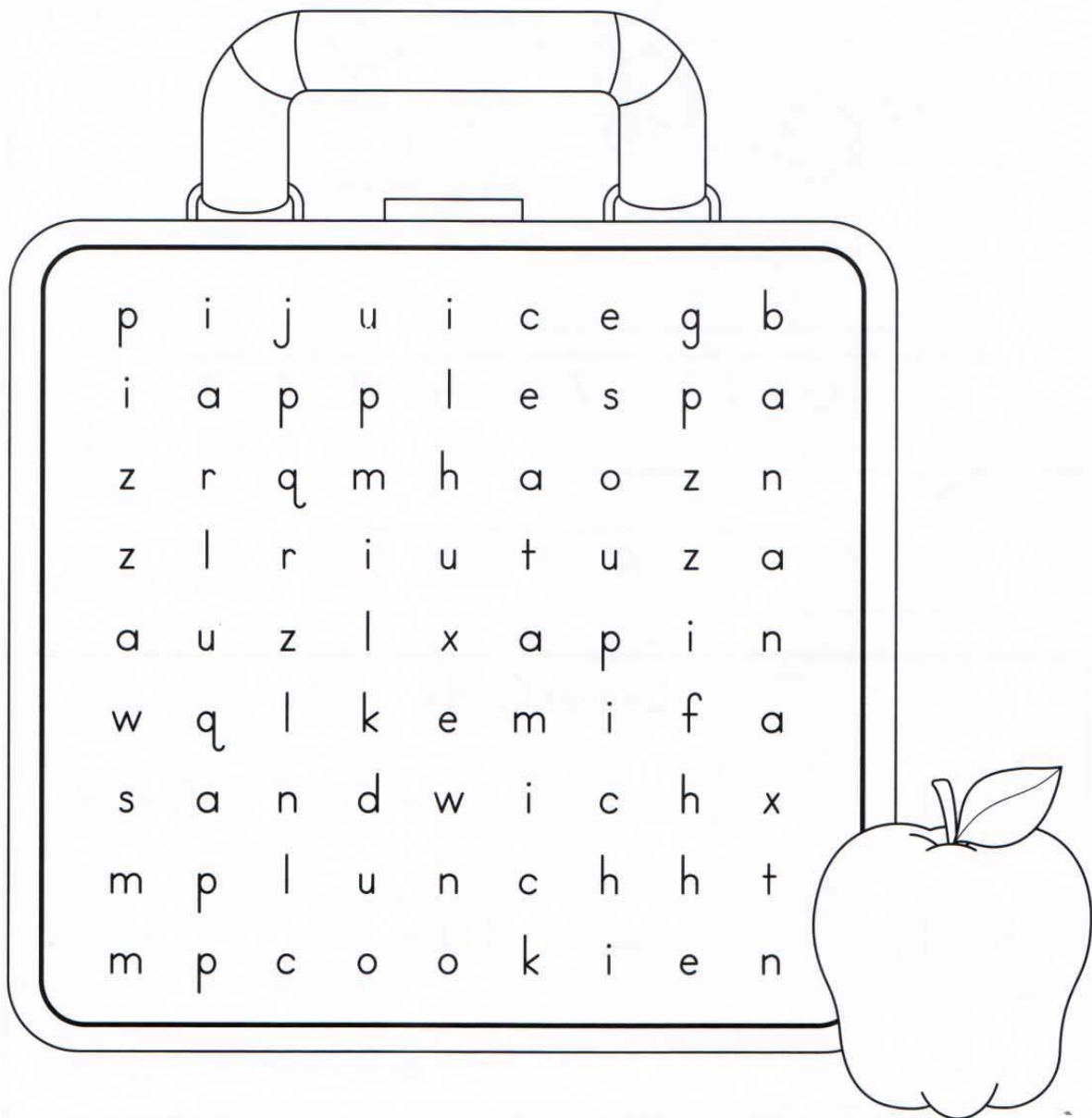
lunch

sandwich

cookie

milk

soup



Use the secret code to solve the riddle.

What is a dog's favorite sport?



“

”

8 10 12 7 14 10 9 —

8 6 2 2 !

Secret Code

14 = U

12 = S

1 = D

8 = B

5 = N

6 = A

10 = I

7 = C

11 = J

2 = L

9 = T

3 = Y

Unscramble each animal name and write it on the lines.
Write the circled letters in order to find the secret word.

crab

gull

oyster

shark

dolphin

lobster

seahorse

steroy

bcra

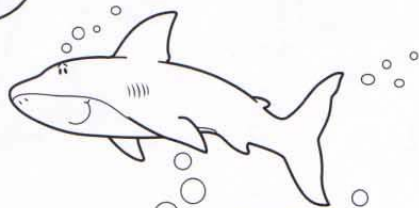


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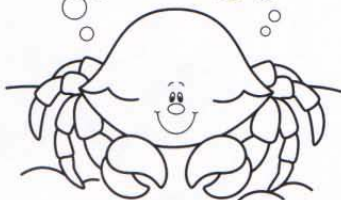
ashorse

ndlphio

lgul



ksarh



Secret Word

Circle the words from the word box in the puzzle below.

desk

notebook

school

homework

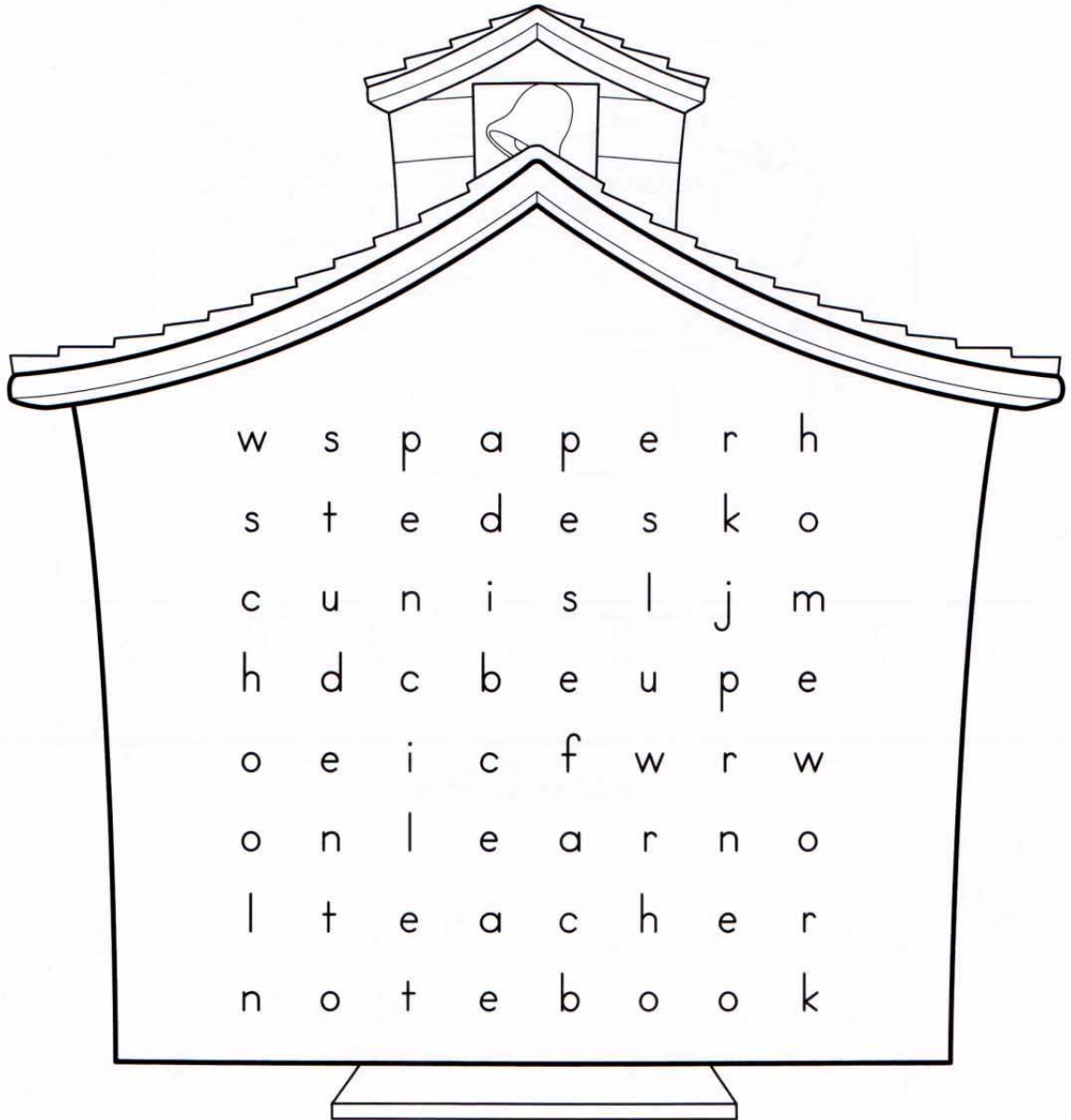
paper

student

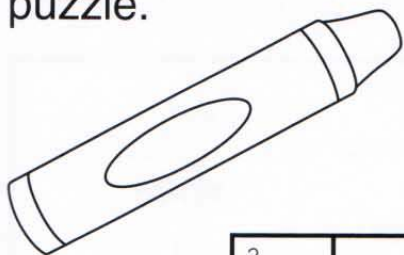
learn

pencil

teacher

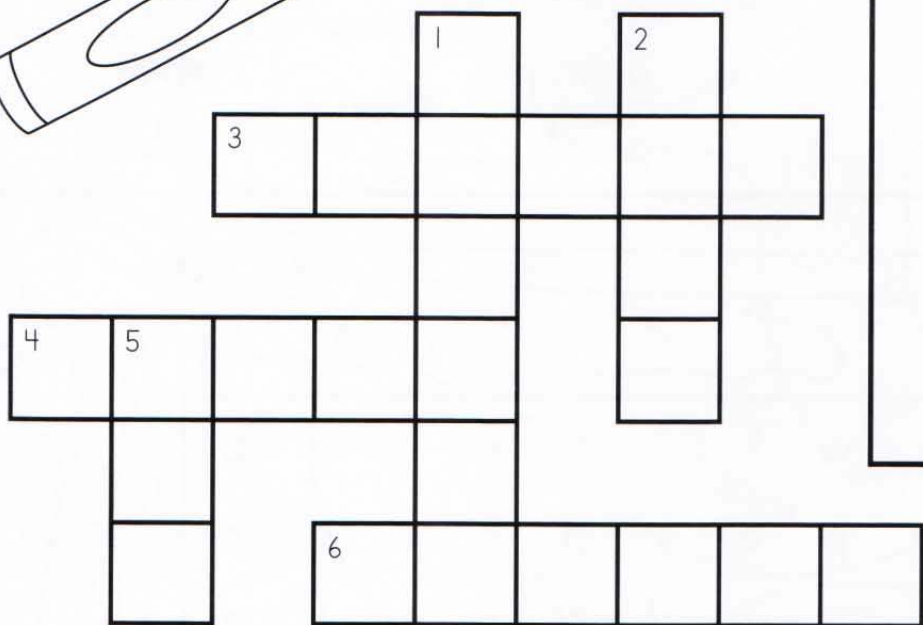


Use the words from the word list to solve the crossword puzzle.



Word List

- blue
- green
- orange
- purple
- red
- yellow

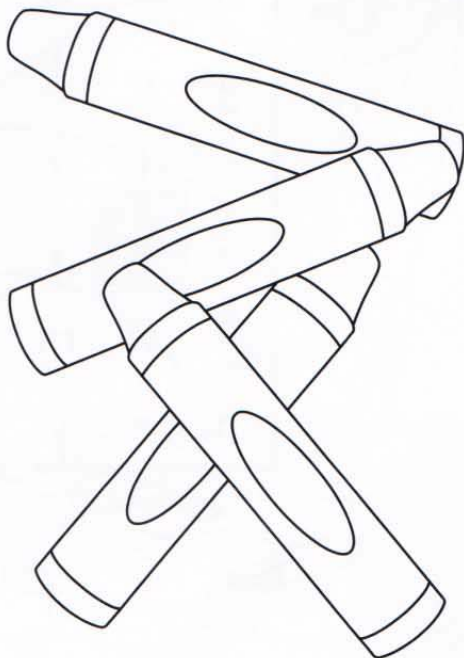


Across

- 3. The grapes are _____.
- 4. The leaf is _____.
- 6. The sun is _____.

Down

- 1. The pumpkin is _____.
- 2. My jeans are _____.
- 5. The apple is _____.



Circle the color words from the word box in the puzzle below.

black

green

red

blue

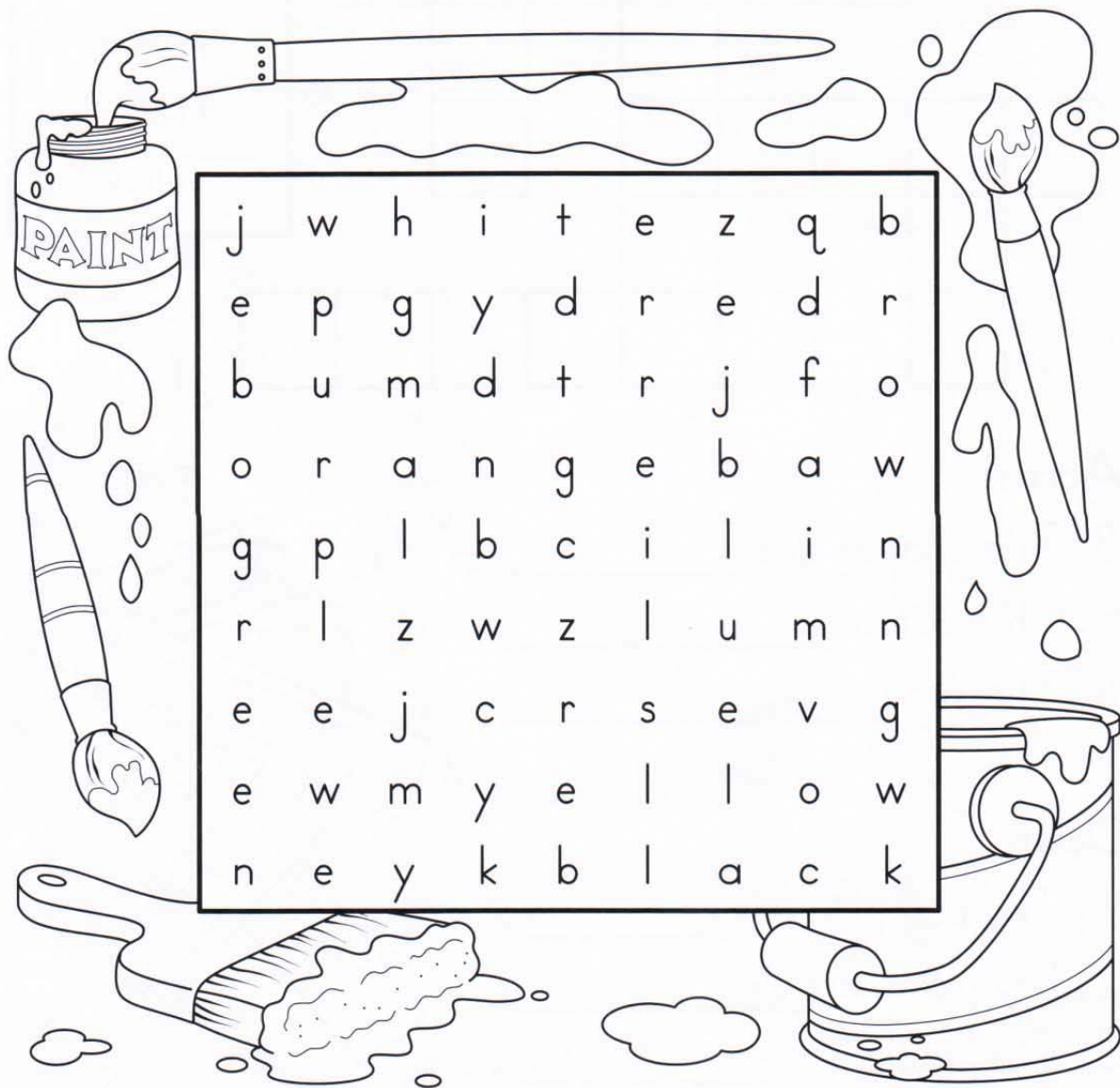
orange

white

brown

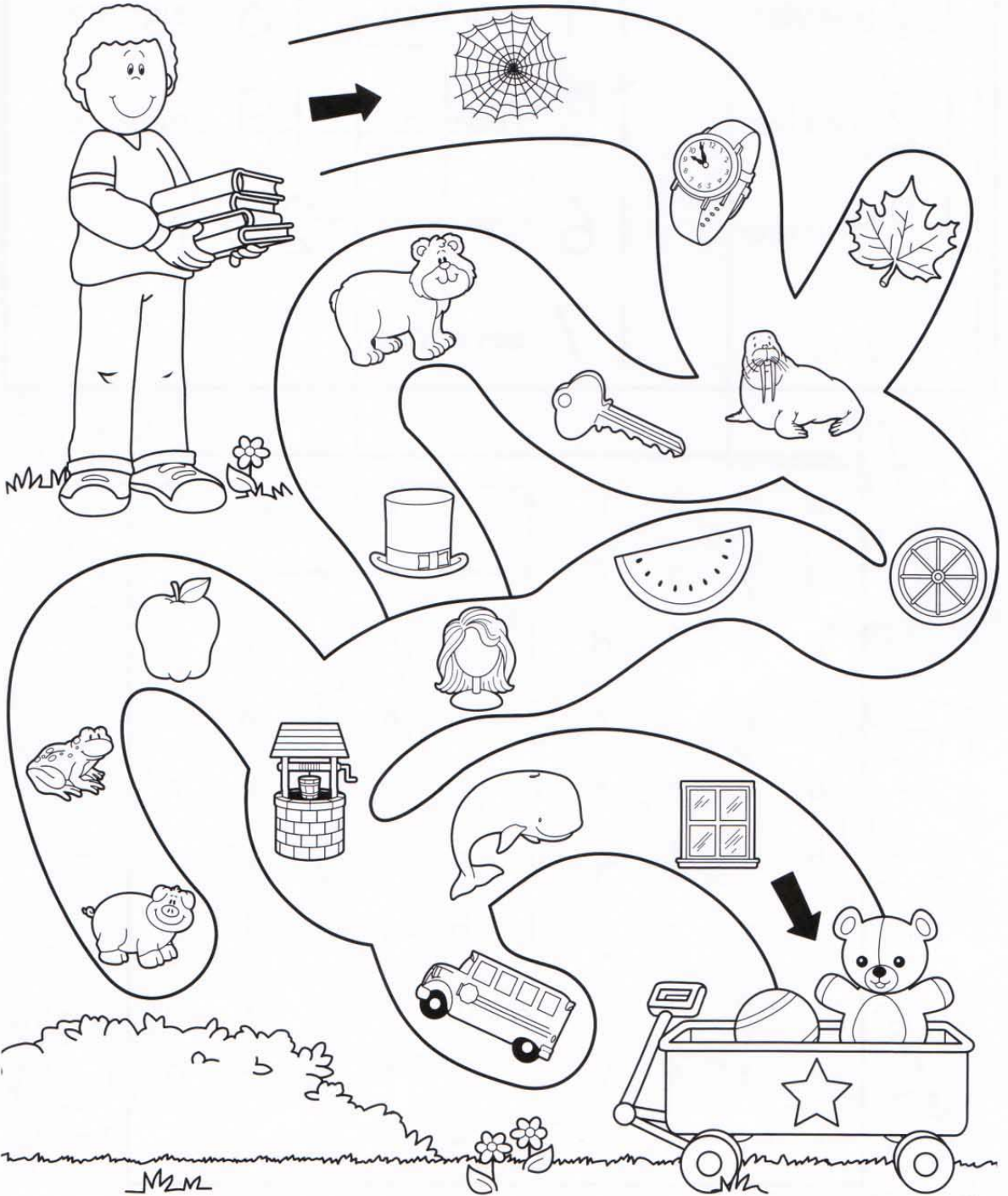
purple

yellow



j	w	h	i	t	e	z	q	b
e	p	g	y	d	r	e	d	r
b	u	m	d	t	r	j	f	o
o	r	a	n	g	e	b	a	w
g	p	l	b	c	i	l	i	n
r	l	z	w	z	l	u	m	n
e	e	j	c	r	s	e	v	g
e	w	m	y	e	l	l	o	w
n	e	y	k	b	l	a	c	k

Draw a line along the path with pictures whose names **begin** with the **w** sound to help the boy find his wagon.



Circle the number words from the word box in the puzzle below.

11	eleven	14	fourteen	18	eighteen
12	twelve	15	fifteen	19	nineteen
13	thirteen	16	sixteen	20	twenty
		17	seventeen		

4

7

5

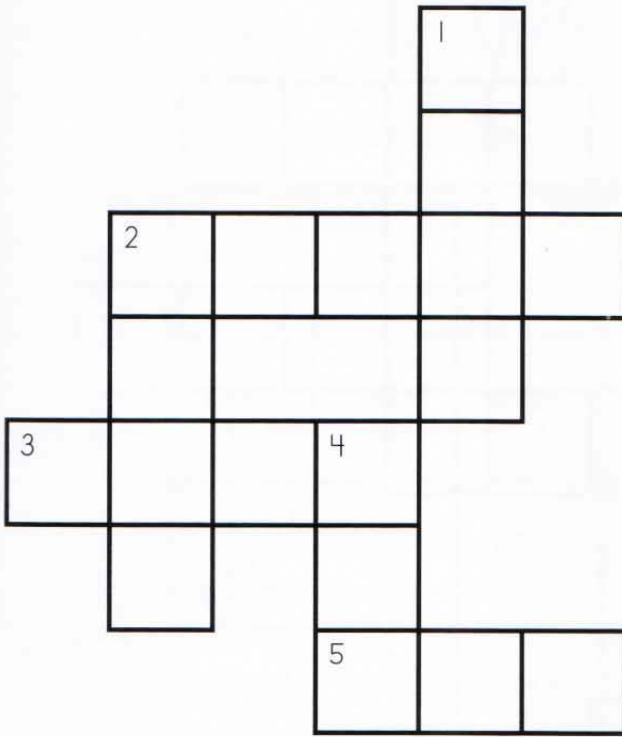
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6

9

b	t	h	i	r	t	e	e	n	f
d	y	s	i	x	t	e	e	n	o
e	t	l	d	l	u	h	e	t	u
i	w	f	z	j	l	e	f	w	r
g	e	e	k	h	b	r	i	e	t
h	l	l	q	l	o	z	f	n	e
t	v	e	j	l	b	u	t	t	e
e	e	v	n	a	m	o	e	y	n
e	s	e	v	e	n	t	e	e	n
n	i	n	e	t	e	e	n	n	b

Use the word from the word list that is the opposite of each clue to solve the crossword puzzle.



Word List

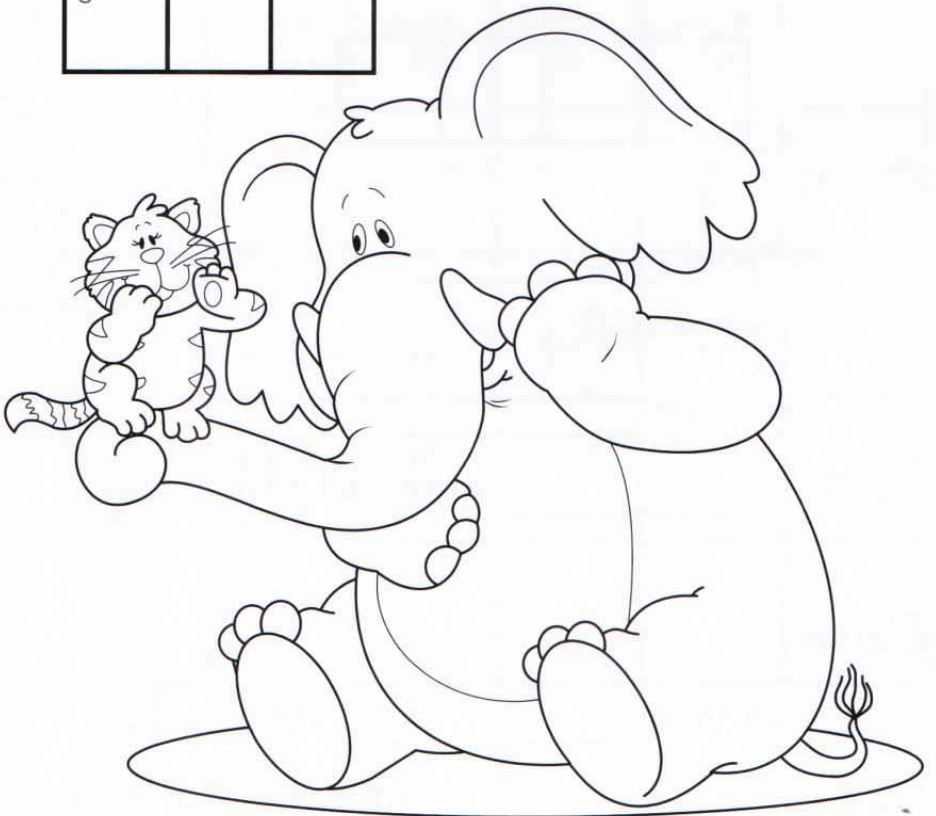
cold
down
new
small
stop
wet

Across

- 2. big
- 3. up
- 5. dry

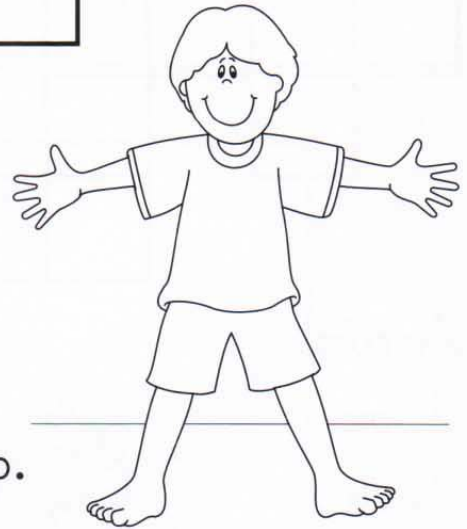
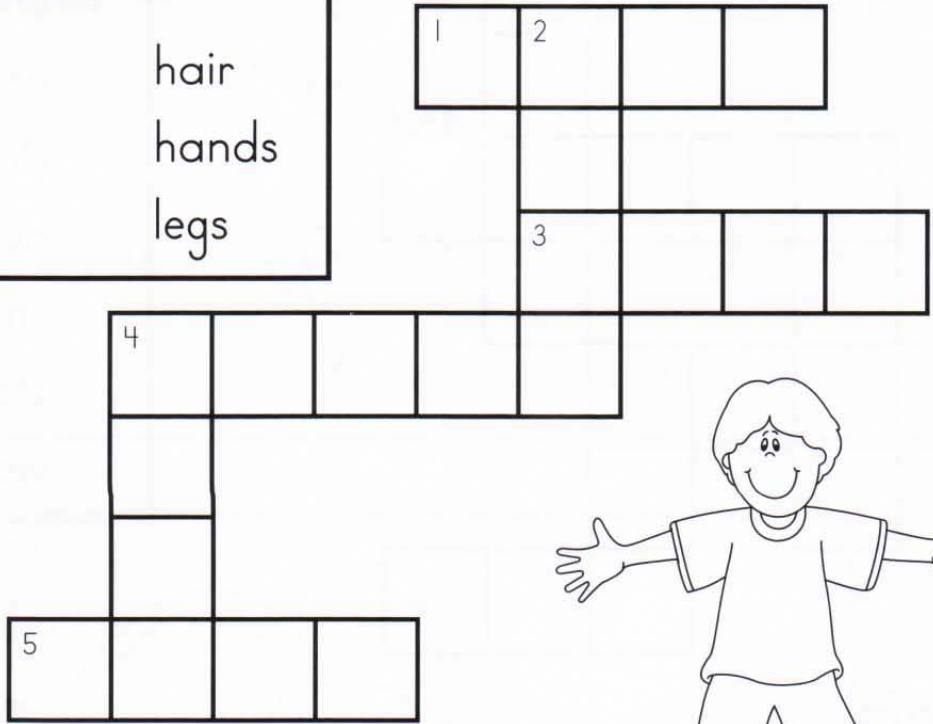
Down

- 1. hot
- 2. go
- 4. old



Use the words from the word list to solve the crossword puzzle.

Word List	
arms	hair
ears	hands
eyes	legs



Across

1. Use your _____ to jump.
3. You hear with your _____.
4. Clap your _____.
5. Her _____ were full of books.

Down

2. Open your _____ and look.
4. Your _____ can be short or long.

Word Puzzles and Games: Grades K-1 Answer Key

Page 1

The path should go through the ball, box, boat, book, balloon, bell, bat, and bee.

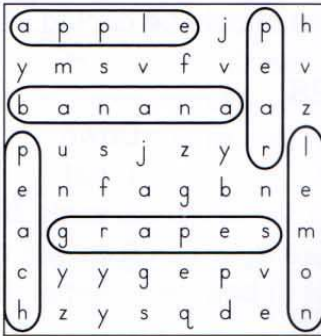
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yellow: bear, book, box, bell, balloon

red: mop, mitten, map, mouse

blue: lemon, lock, lamp, lion

Page 3



Page 4 AT A "HOOT"EL!

Page 5

cat	coat
log	drum
ball	a comb

Page 6

pig-hill; crab-cap; mop-frog; sun-bug
Bed should be circled.

Page 7

Across	Down
1. pen	2. nest
4. sled	3. bell
5. jet	
6. leg	

Page 8

The path should go through the desk, doll, dinosaur, duck, door, and deer.

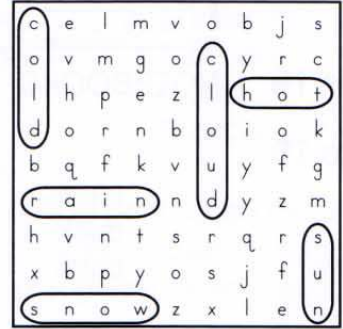
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yellow: ring, rake, rocket, rope, rainbow, rug

orange: web, wagon

red: hammer, horn, hat, hand

Page 10



Page 11 HOPSCOTCH

Page 12

door	bird
corn	hand
glue	rug
dinner	

Page 13

lamp-jeep; rug-flag; coat-tent; girl-bell
Umbrella should be circled.

Page 14

Across	Down
3. clock	1. doll
4. pot	2. top
5. log	3. cot

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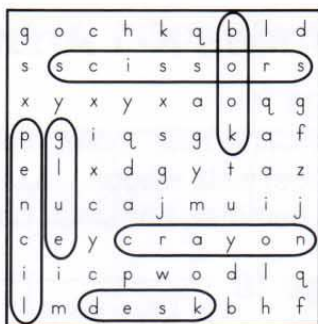
The path should go through the fire, fox, feather, football, fork, and fan.

Page 16

yellow: fork, fan

purple: saw, sock

blue: corn, cake, carrot, cat, car, coat.

Page 17**Page 18** NOTEBOOKS**Page 19**

cow	sheep
pig	duck
turkey	chick

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turtle-table; wagon-watch; box-book;
zipper-zebra
Coin should be circled.

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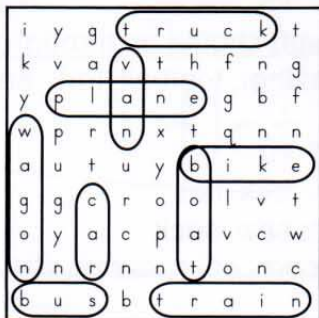
Across	Down
1. duck	1. drum
3. bug	2. cub
5. mug	4. gum

Page 22

The path should go through the bug,
flag, dog, pig, and frog.

Page 23

orange: net, nut, nest
yellow: jelly, jet, jar
blue: pig, pen, pot, pencil

Page 24**Page 25** ON SILLY PADS!**Page 26**

vine	cape
bone	tube

cube-tube; tape-cape; cone-bone;
nine-vine

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horse-hammer; ring-rake; fish-fire;
mitten-moon
Doughnut should be circled.

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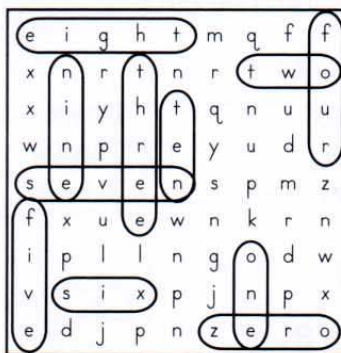
Across	Down
1. ham	1. hat
2. stamp	2. sack
4. pan	3. map

Page 29

The path should go through the bell,
pencil, wheel, shell, snail, well, doll, and
nail.

Page 30

yellow: Pam, jam, swam, clam
green: flat, cat
blue: Dan, pan, plan, ran, van, can, tan,
man

Page 31**Page 32** JELLY BEANS

Page 33

star	mouse
bow	kite
girl	a towel

Page 34

sock-saw; duck-dog; nest-nail; wagon-window
Rainbow should be circled.

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Across	Down
2. dog	1. mouse
4. turtle	3. cat
6. fish	5. rabbit

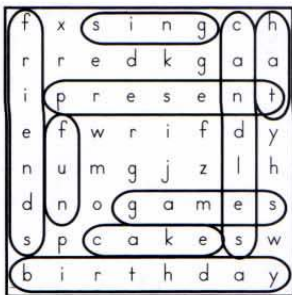
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The path should go through the sun, corn, lion, lemon, can, and moon.

Page 37

green: pin, tin, thin, chin
brown: dig, pig, big
yellow: sit, lit, it, split, knit, pit, hit, slit, bit, fit, quit

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Page 39 ON A "BUZZ"!

Page 40

puppy	prize
hose	kite
cage	1. hose
2. prize	3. kite
4. cage	5. puppy

Page 41

cup-cake; foot-ball; door-bell; doll-house
1. football 2. cupcake
3. dollhouse 4. doorbell

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Across	Down
3. diamond	1. triangle
5. rectangle	2. square
	4. oval
	6. circle

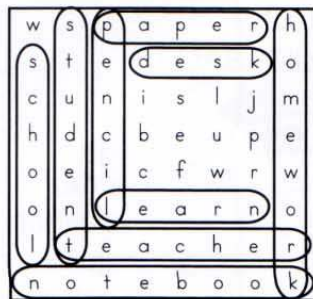
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The path should go through the pig, pear, pencil, pumpkin, pen, penguin, pot, paint, pie, pillow, peach, and peas.

Page 44

blue: tape, ape, shape, grape
yellow: bake, snake, shake, wake, fake, lake, make, take, rake
red: same, came, name

Page 45



Page 46 "QUACK"ERS!

Page 47

happy	funny
sleepy	cute
noisy	pretty
neat	"pup"corn!

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Across	Down
2. gift	1. kit
5. pin	2. grin
	3. fin
	4. lip

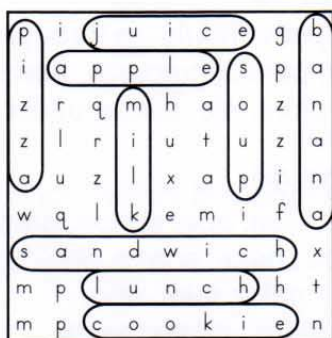
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The path should go through the bear, pear, door, car, star, zipper, jar, chair, flower, hammer, feather, and deer.

Page 50

The real compound words are cupcake, butterfly, doorbell, cowboy, teapot, snowman, and sailboat. The picture should be a heart.

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“BISCUIT”-BALL!

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oyster	crab
lobster	seahorse
dolphin	gull
shark	octopus

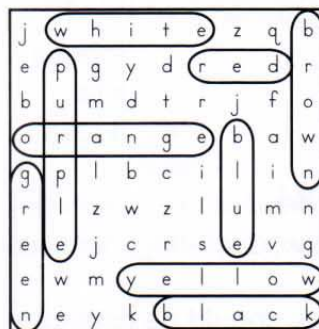
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The path should go through the kite, goat, bat, hat, net, cat, boat, gate, coat, pot, and boot.

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Across	Down
3. purple	1. orange
4. green	2. blue
6. yellow	5. red

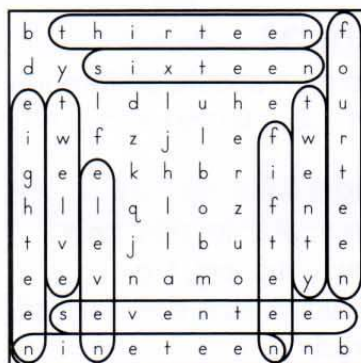
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The path should go through the web, watch, walrus, wheel, watermelon, wig, well, whale, and window.

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Page 59

Across	Down
2. small	1. cold
3. down	2. stop
5. wet	4. new

Page 60

Across	Down
1. legs	2. eyes
3. ears	4. hair
4. hands	
5. arms	

Look What I Did!



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