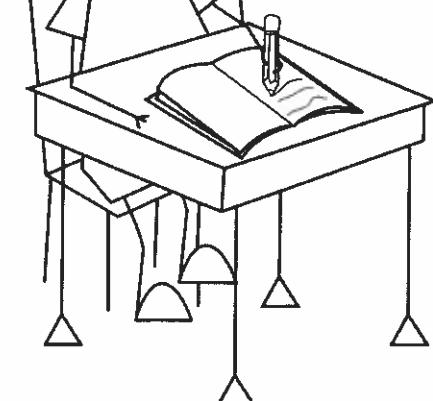


Kindergarten Readiness Packet



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Language/Reading

Below are a list of skills that your child should know/be familiar with upon entering Kindergarten to ensure their success.

- Answer general questions about books that are read to them
- Retell familiar stories (The Three Little Pigs, Nursery Rhymes)
- Recognize environmental print (McDonald's "M", Disney logo, etc...)
- Be familiar with a variety of books (Nursery Rhymes, Dr. Seuss books, Eric Carle, Books with repetition, etc.)
- Know that the author writes the book and an illustrator draws the pictures
- Be familiar with the parts of a book (front cover, back cover, etc...)
- Recognize the difference between uppercase and lowercase letters

Language/Reading

Below are a list of skills that your child should know/be familiar with upon entering Kindergarten to ensure their success.

- Can write their name (Beginning with a capital letter and spelled correctly)
- Know that you read from left to right, top to bottom, and page by page
- Understand that letters make words and words make sentences separated by spaces
- Know that each letter makes a different sound
- Recognize common sight words (the, a, I, am)
- Sing the ABC's

How to make sure your child loves to read...

Read, Read, Read! Read as much to your child as possible. Try different stories so that he/she may find a favorite type of book

Even if your child is not reading the correct words, praise them for attempting to read!

Ask simple questions after a story has been read.
(What was the story about? Who was in the story?)



Let your child follow the words that you read with their finger.

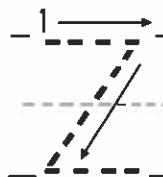
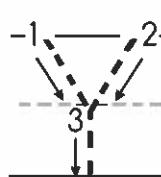
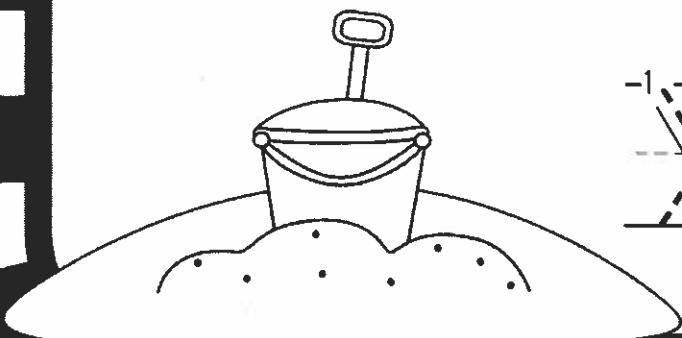
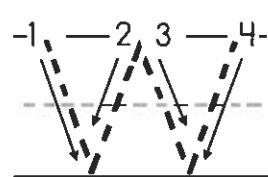
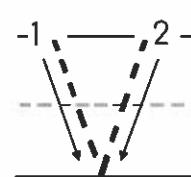
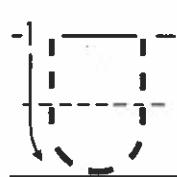
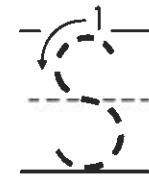
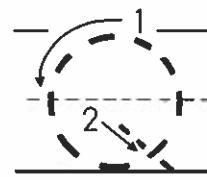
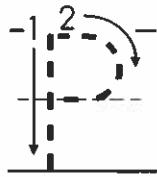
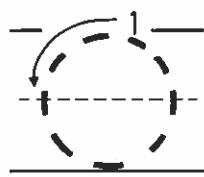
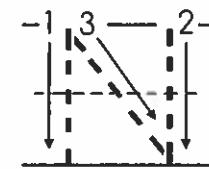
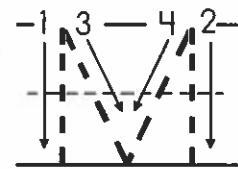
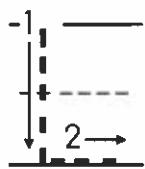
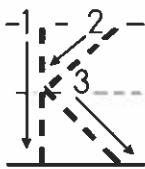
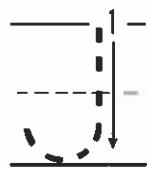
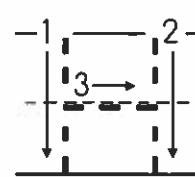
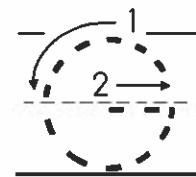
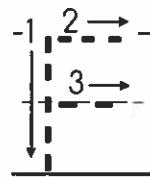
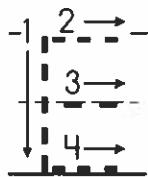
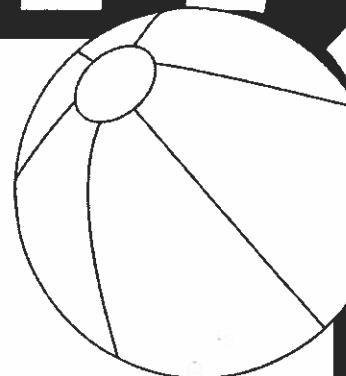
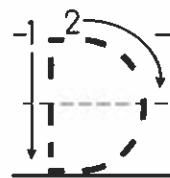
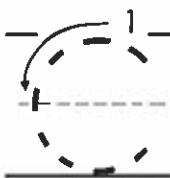
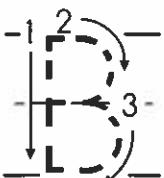
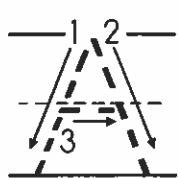
Don't force them to read words that are too hard. Help by modeling how to sound a word out.

More Skills to Help your Child become the **BEST** Kindergartener

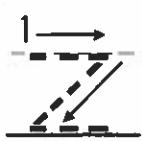
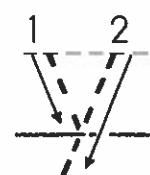
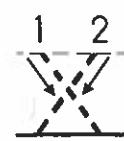
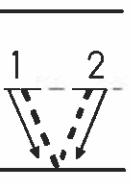
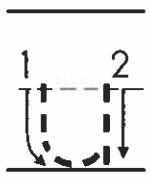
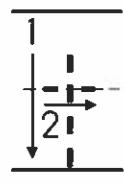
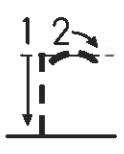
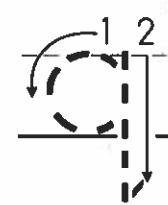
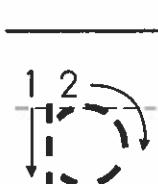
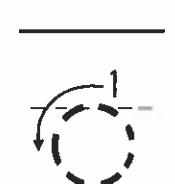
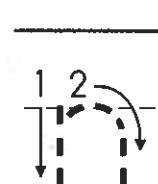
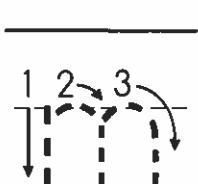
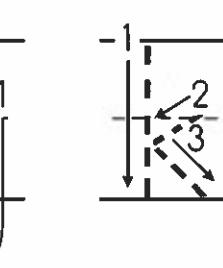
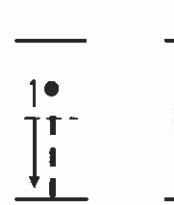
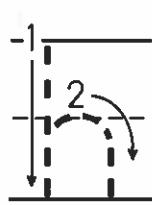
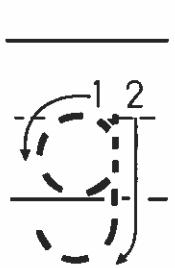
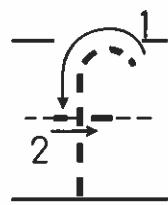
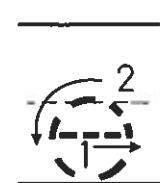
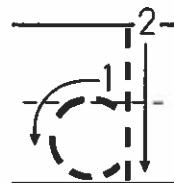
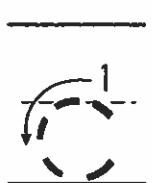
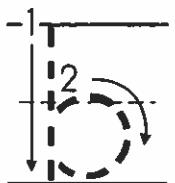
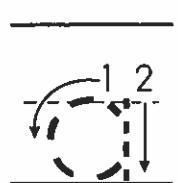
The skills listed below are for your child if he/she has mastered everything in this packet and you would like more advanced skills to practice...

Skill	Example:
Rhyming Words	Cat, hat, bat
Consonants	Any letter that is not a vowel
Vowels	a, e, I, o, u
Punctuation	Period Question Mark Exclamation Mark
Sentence Features	Every sentence begins with a capital letter and ending with a punctuation mark
Noun	Person, place, animal, or thing (mom, park, dog, pen)
Verb	Action words (hop, jump, sit, stand)
Beginning, Middle, and Ending Sounds	Only 3 letter words: Dog, cat, mop, gum
Recognize number	Write from 1-100
Skip Count	Count by 5's and 10's to 100
Simple number sentences	Know that + means to add Know that - means to take away

Trace the letters.



Trace the letters.



Trace and copy the letters.



A A B B

C C D D E E

F F G G H H

I I J J K K

L L M M N N

O O P P Q Q

R R S S T T

U U V V W W

X X Y Y Z Z

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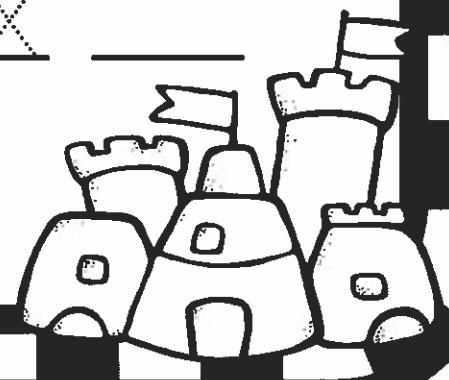
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Write your name.

Color the letters in your name.

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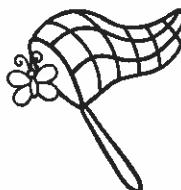
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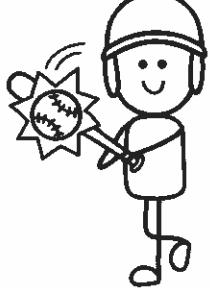
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Draw a line to the words that rhyme.

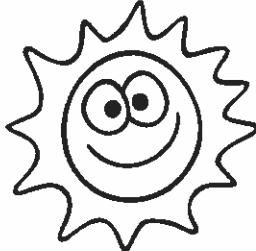
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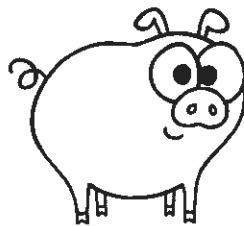
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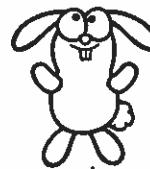
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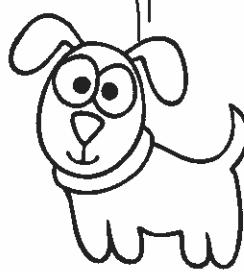
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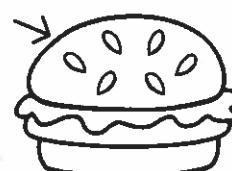
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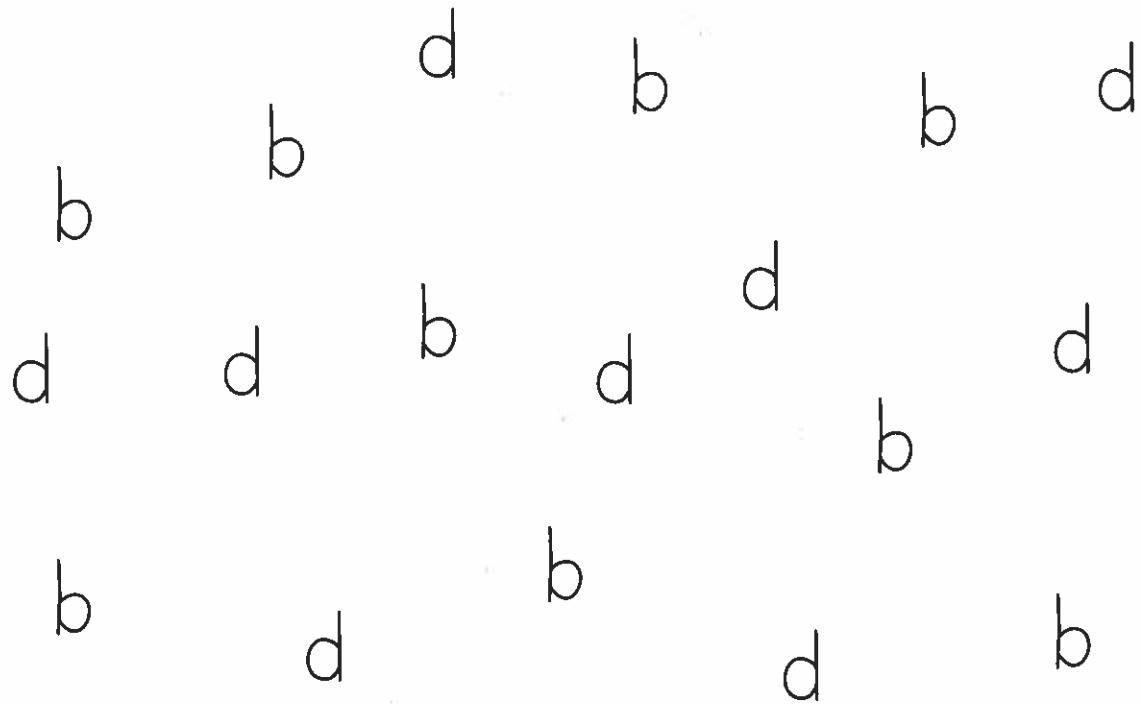


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Ask your child to identify each lowercase letter.

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

Color the b's green. Color the d's yellow.



Ask your child to identify each uppercase letter.

S	M	E	P	L
Q	B	H	F	C
W	R	A	U	Y
G	V	T	K	N
X	D	O	I	Z
J				

Ask your child to identify each letter sound.

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

Match the uppercase letter to the lowercase letter.

A

k

D

f

K

p

F

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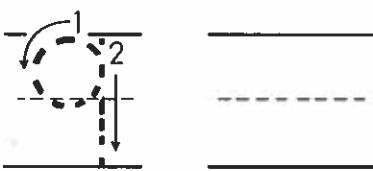
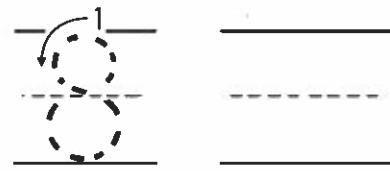
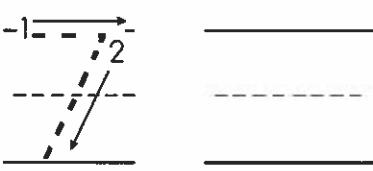
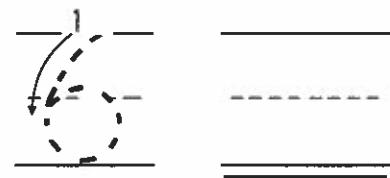
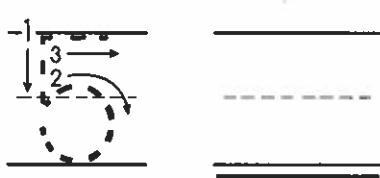
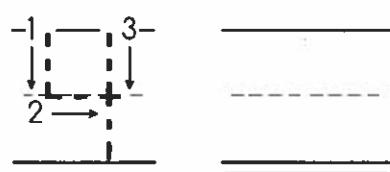
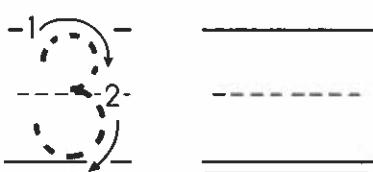
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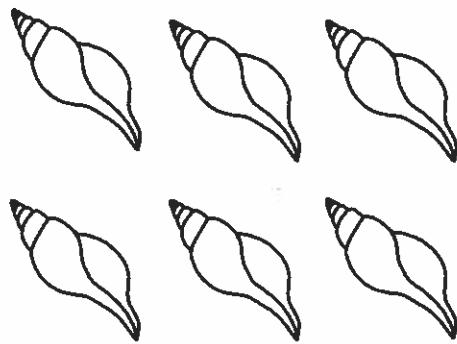
Below are a list of skills that your child should know/be familiar with upon entering Kindergarten to ensure their success.

- Count from 0 to 30 in the correct order
- Recognize numerals 0-10
- Count objects up to 5
- Recognize simple patterns
- Understand measurement (when given a picture of a giraffe and a dog, your child should be able to tell you that the giraffe is taller than the dog)
- Recognize circle, triangle, and square
- Make simple drawings with shapes (use a square and a triangle on top to create a house)

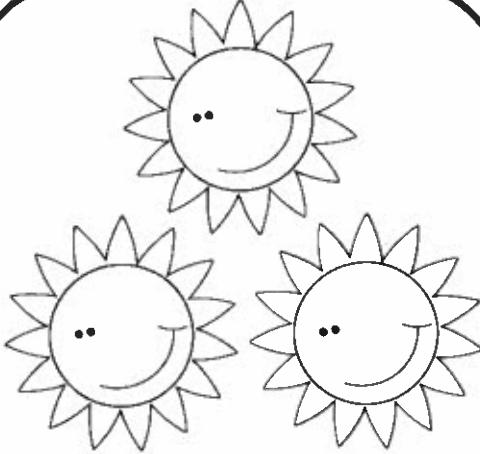
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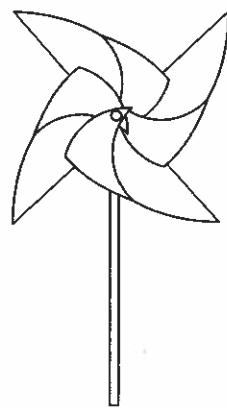
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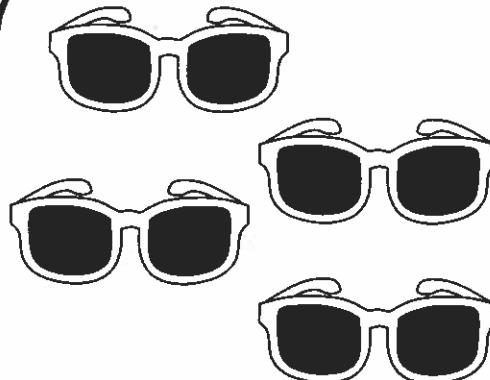
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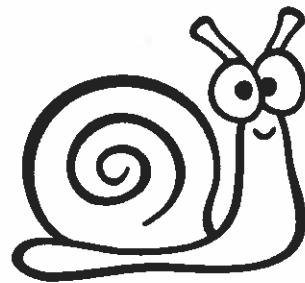
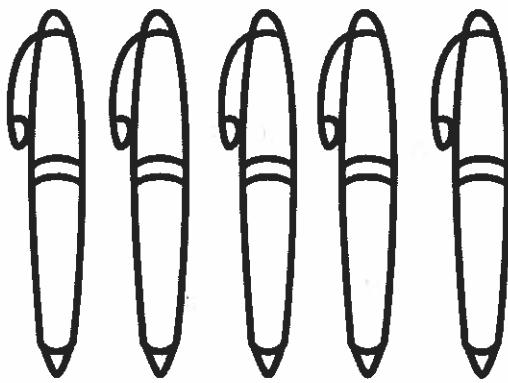
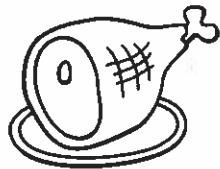
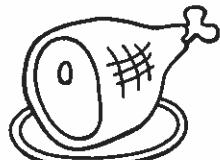
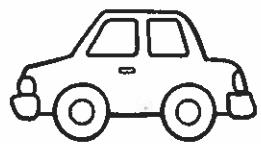


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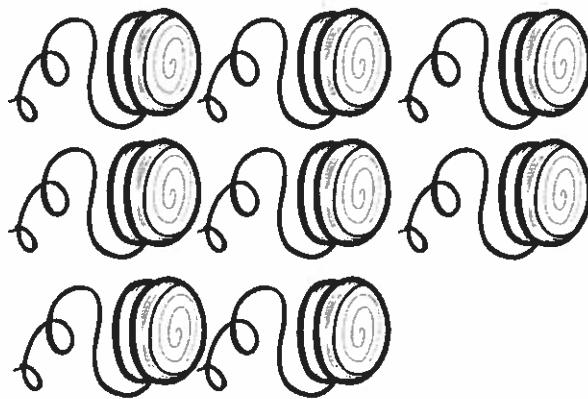
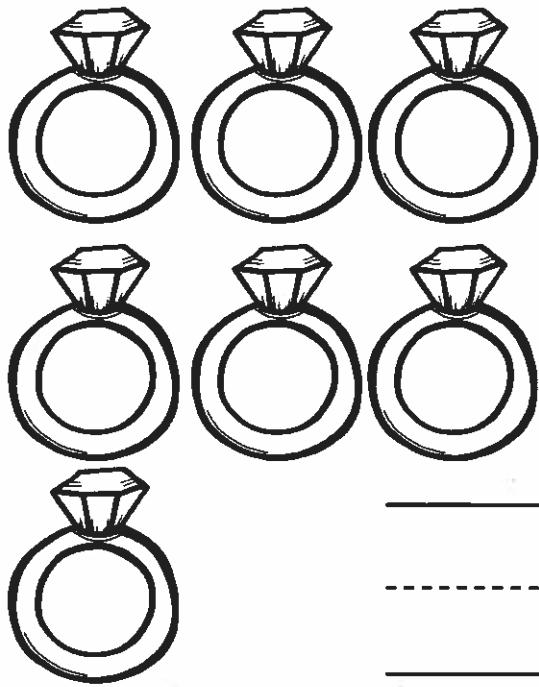
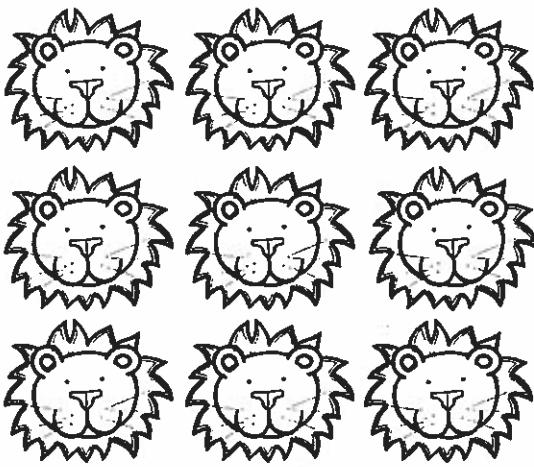
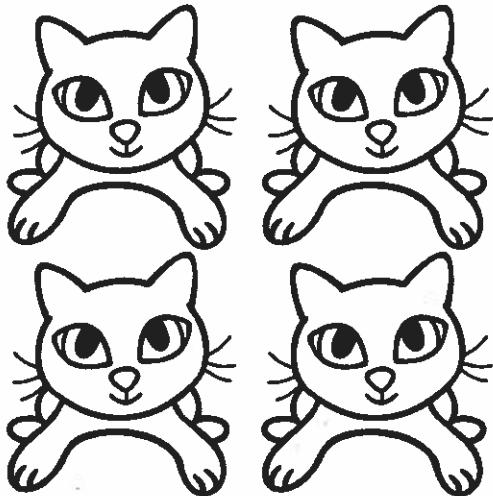


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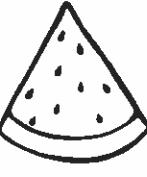
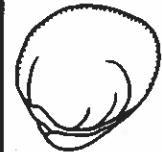
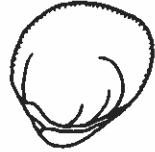
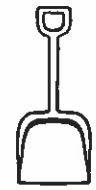
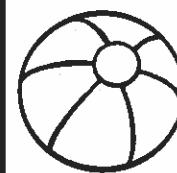
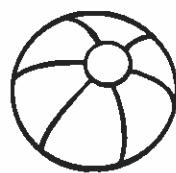
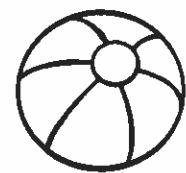
Count how many pictures and write it on the line.



Count how many pictures and write it on the line.



Color the next picture in the pattern.



Color the box with the color that is written.

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green

yellow

red

brown

pink

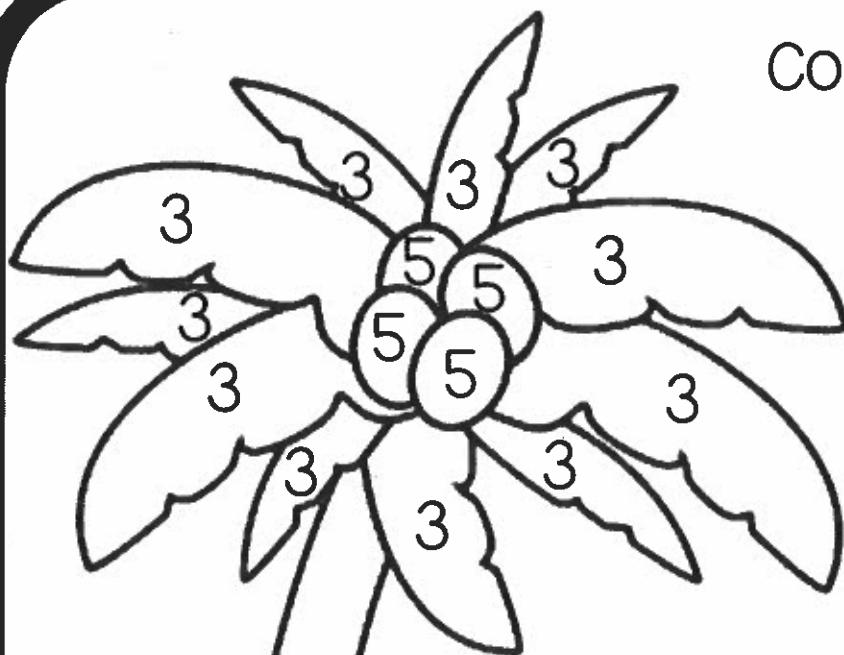
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purple

black

Color by number.

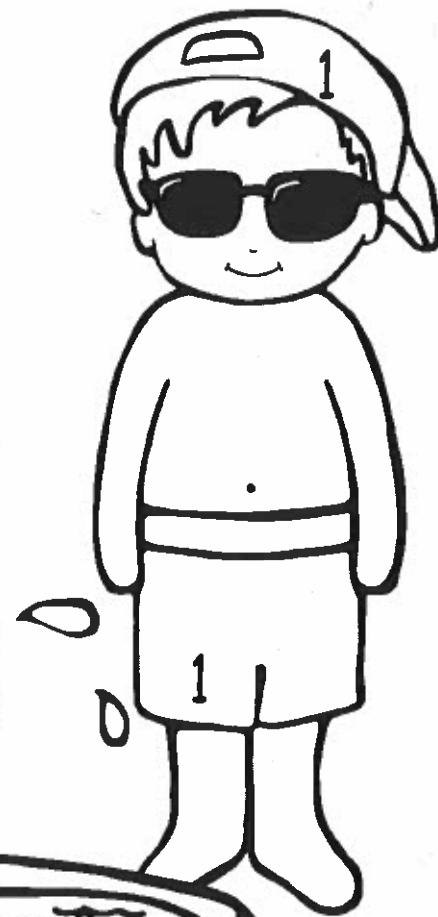
- 1-red
- 2-blue
- 3-green
- 4-yellow
- 5-brown



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