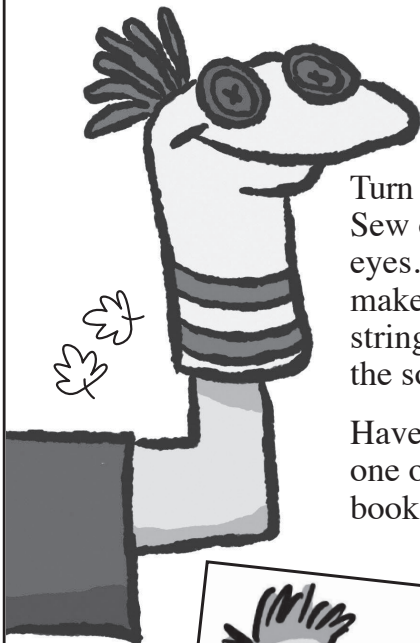




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Free Fun!

Do you hear people around you worrying about money? You can help by finding ways to have fun without spending any money. There are lots of **FREE** things you can do each and every day! Try some of the fun activities on this page—some might be more fun than playing with expensive toys and games!



Make a Sock Puppet!

Turn a sock into a puppet. Sew on buttons for eyes. Use markers to make a mouth. Thread string or yarn through the sock to make hair.

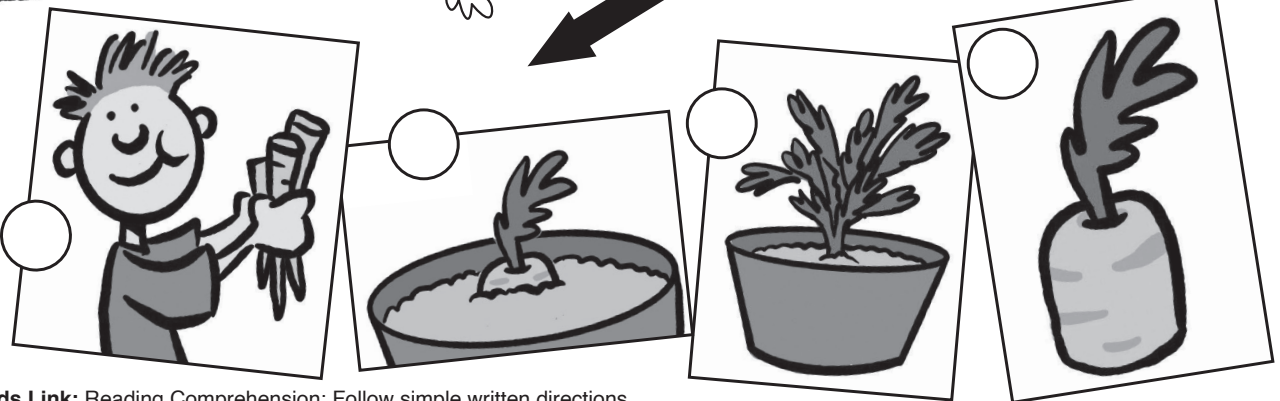
Have your puppet read one of your favorite books aloud!

Grow a Little Garden

Next time you eat a carrot, cut off the top and use it to start a plant. Use several carrot tops and you can start a garden.

1. Cut the carrot tops off so they are about one inch long. It works best if there is a little bit of growth at the end of the carrot.
2. Eat the rest of the carrots!
3. Plant the carrot tops in a container filled with dirt. Be sure a little of each orange top peeks above the dirt. Keep the soil moist, but not soggy. Be sure your container has a hole for drainage. Place the container by a sunny window.
4. Watch your carrot plants grow! When you plant carrots this way, your plants won't make new carrots. But they will have pretty leaves to decorate your home.

Number the pictures in order.

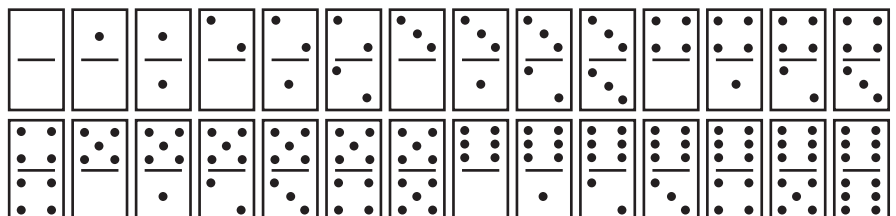


Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Make Your Own Dominoes



Start by taking a walk around your neighborhood. Collect 28 flat light gray stones that are about the same size. Use a black marker or paint to draw dots and lines so that the stones look like the set of dominoes at right.





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Put on some music and DANCE, DANCE, DANCE!

Look carefully: Can you find the two identical dancers?



Go to the Library

Imagine a room with all kinds of **free books** that you can take home! That's a library! Visit your local library and check out fun books to read. Ask the librarian to help you find books that interest you.

Reading Riddle

Gabriella loves nothing more than listening to the rain at night as it patters against the window panes. She has never read this book. And she will never finish it. Use the code to find out why!

A=14	E=11	R=4
B=2	G=9	S=10
C=7	I=6	T=17
D=19	L=13	U=15

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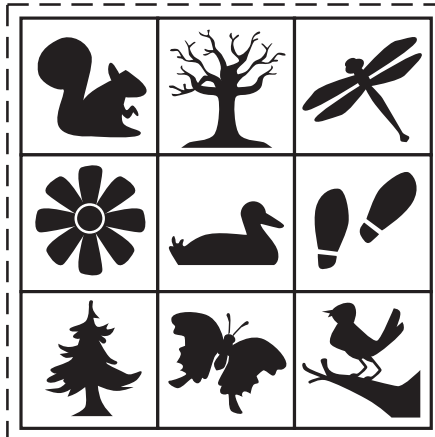
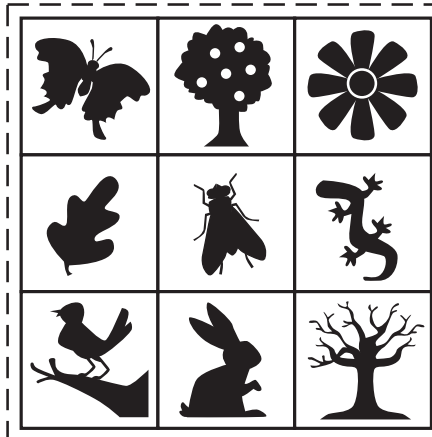
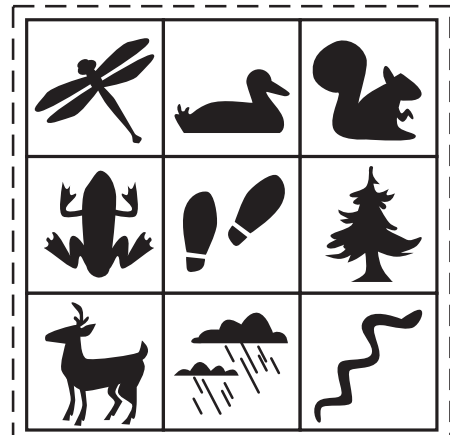
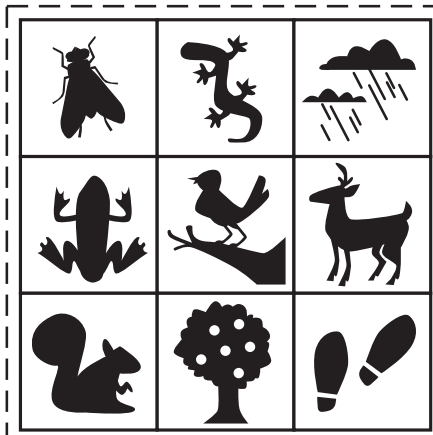


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Nature Walk Bingo

Go for a nature walk with some friends. Each of you select one of the bingo cards below. When you see one of the things shown on the card, cross out that space. The first person to black out their card wins!



Standards Links: Physical Education: Understand the benefits associated with participation in physical activities.

Fun Search

Look through your local newspaper for information about festivals, museum exhibits and other free fun. Share what you find with your family and see if you can attend together.

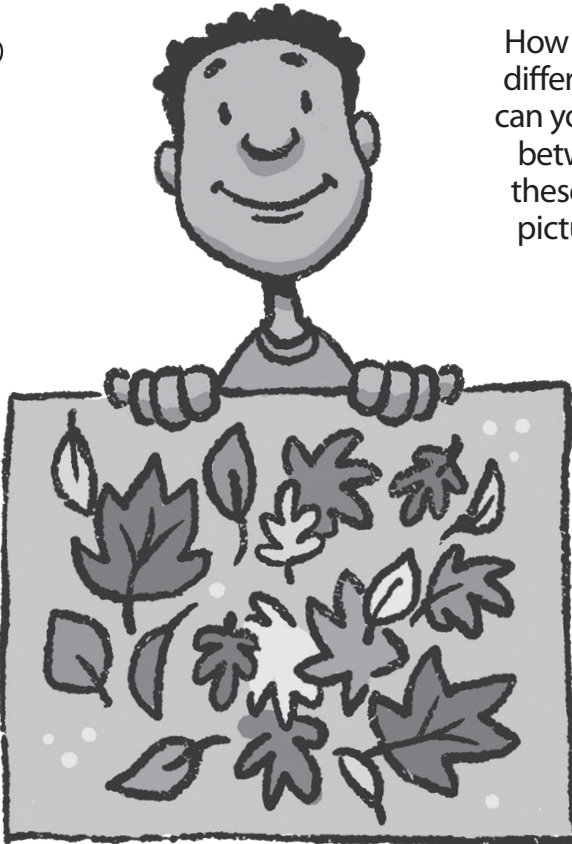
Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Use the newspaper to locate information.



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Puzzler

Making a collage of fall leaves is a fun, free project.



How many differences can you find between these two pictures?



VOCABULARY BUILDERS



ARTICLE

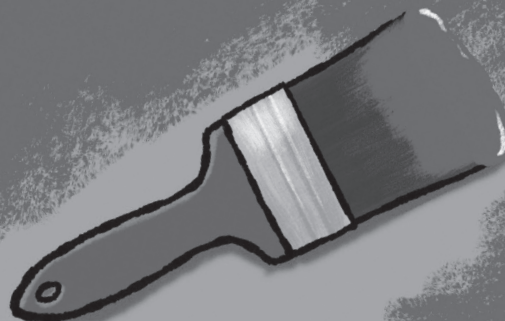
The noun **article** is a piece of writing that appears in a newspaper, magazine, or book.

Today's newspaper has an interesting **article** about a new park for kids.

Try to use the word **article** in a sentence today when talking with your friends and family members.



What is red and smells like green paint?



ANSWER: Red paint.



Write On!



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Standards Link: Math: Express numbers in percent, decimal, and fraction equivalent forms.

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Kid Scoop Jumbo Word Search

Find the words by looking up, down, backwards, forwards and diagonally.
Then look for them in these *Kid Scoop* activity pages.

BOOKS

CARROT



DANCE

DRAW

FREE

FUN



INCH

LIBRARY

MONEY

PATTERS



PUPPET

READ



SOGGY

SUNNY

YARN

R	Y	K	H	C	N	I	D	S	L
N	N	T	B	N	U	F	O	W	K
P	N	R	O	X	D	G	N	A	P
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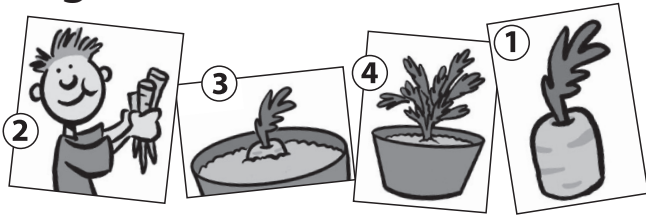
Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words.
Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.



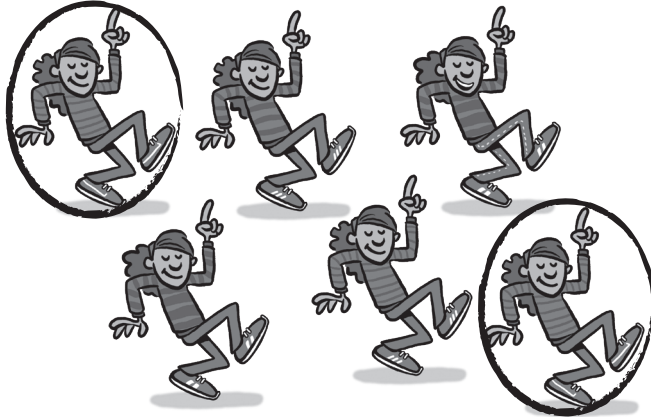
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Answers

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Because Gabriella is a cat

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