I'm Very Happy to be Me

_____ is my hair,
_____ are my eyes.
I'm _____ years old,
I'm just the right size.
My name is _____
And as you can see,
I'm very happy to be me!

Back To School



Today I hurry off to school,

To work and learn and play.

I'm in a brand new grade this year.

What a happy day!

What do you like to do at school?









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Yellow is a pear,



Green is the grass,

And *brown* is a bear,

Purple is a plum,



Blue is the sky,



Black is a witch's hat,



And red is cherry pie.



(Can be sung to "Itsy Bitsy Spider")

Ways to Remember

Which one is my left hand?

It's sometimes hard to know.

But I have a special way

That I will share and show.

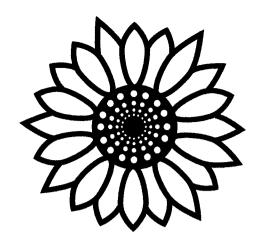
Put both hands out in front of you.

Then it is easy to tell.

'Cause when you straighten out your thumbs

The left hand makes an "L".

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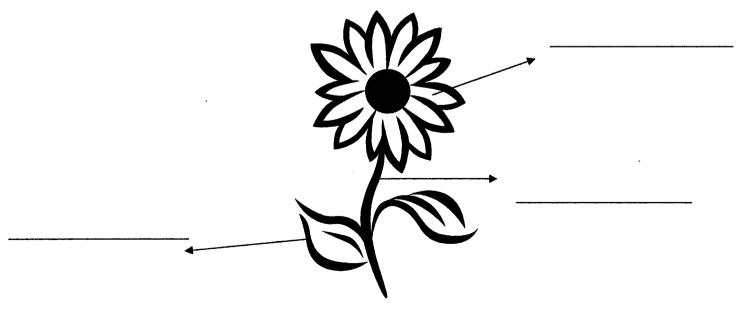
you're the tallest flower of them all!

Sunflower, sunflower,

when your seeds fall to the ground,

Sunflower, sunflower,

by the squirrels they will be found!



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Applesauce

(to the tune of "Yankee Doodle")

Peel an apple,
cut it up,
cook it in a pot.
When you taste it
you will find
it's applesauce you've got.

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I Have a Little Frog

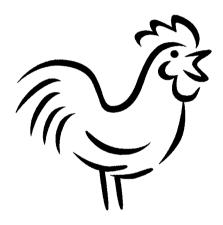
His name is Tiny Tim,
I put him in the bathtub,
To see if he could swim,
He drank up all the water,
And gobbled up the soap!
And when he tried to talk
He had a BUBBLE in his throat!

| Can you find two words that rhyme? |
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The farm is in a flurry. The rooster caught the flu. His cock-a-doodle-do Has changed to cock-a-doodle choo!



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A Little Elf

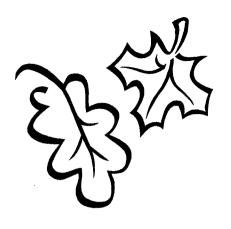
A little elf
Sat in a tree
Painting leaves
To throw at me.

Leaves of yellow

And leaves of red

Came tumbling down

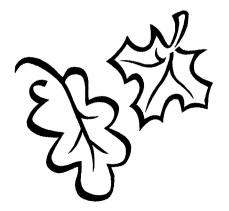
About my head.













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The Spider

Watch the busy spider.



Eating insects all day long,

Now they won't bite me.





WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

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Pumpkin

Pumpkin pumpkin
big and round,
I'm glad you grow
upon the ground.
I'm glad you don't
grow in a tree
for then you might
fall down on me.

Put these steps in the right order.







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Put on Your Coat

Stuff an arm
into each sleeve,
put on your coat
before you leave.
Zip the zipper
right to the top,
and cover your head
whenever rain drops.



James Hörner

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| What is the weather like during the fall? | |
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Owl



An owl sat watching in a tree, Just as wise as he could be,

Watching tricksters from door to door run, Trick or treating and having fun.

After he had watched the whole scene, He said, "Whoo, it's Owl-o-ween!"

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- 1. An _____ is a nocturnal animal.
- 2. Owls sleep during the ______.
- 3. An owl lives in a _____.
- 4. Owls are birds that have _____.

The Squirrel Gathers Nuts

This is the tall tree bare and brown,
And these are the brown leaves fluttering down.
This is the squirrel with eyes so bright,
Hunting for nuts with all her might.
This is the hole where day by day,
Nut after nut she stores away.
When winter comes with its cold and storm,
She'll sleep all curled up all snug and warm.

Fill in the missing letters.

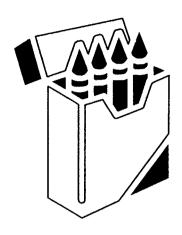
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I had a box of crayons,
All shiny, straight and new.
I lent a friend one crayon,
And--oops--it broke in two!

My friend said she was sorry, But I said "I don't care,

'cause now we both can color with one crayon--we can share!"

Draw a picture of you sharing with your friend.

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Turkey

Let's talk turkey,
What a walk it's got!
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Do the turkey trot!

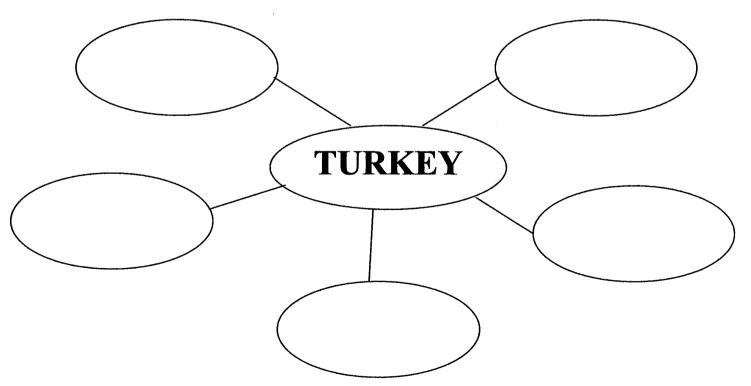
Let's talk turkey,
What a shaky wobble!
Strut about, strut about,
Gobble, gobble, gobble!





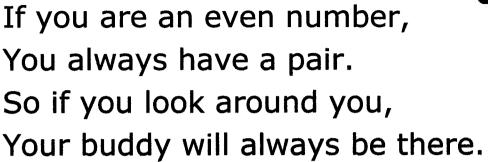


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Odd and Even





If you are an odd number,
There's always a lonely one.
He looks around to find his buddy,
But he's the only one.

Marg Wadsworth

Shade in the boxes using the color code.

Odd number = red

Even number = blue

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Now That I Can Read

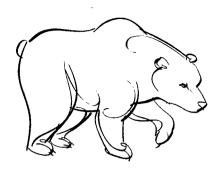
I used to need somebody
To sit and read to me.
I'd look at every page they read
And listen carefully.

But now that I am in first grade, I'm filling up a shelf With stories, poems, and other books That I can read myself.

Draw a picture of a book you like to read.

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Big paws, Big black nose, Stubby tail, And growl he goes.



What is he?
Well, who knows?
He sleeps all winter
When it snows.

Can you think of four more animals that *hibernate* for the winter? Draw them!

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Homemade Gingerbread

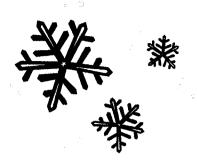
Stir a bowl of gingerbread, Smooth and spicy brown. Roll it with a rolling pin, Up and up and down. With a cookie cutter, Make some little men. Put them in the oven, Till half past ten.



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January

January sparkles.
January's bold.
January huffs and puffs.
January's cold.



How would you describe January?

January _____.
January's _____.

January _____ and _____.

January's ______



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A Chubby Little Snowman

A chubby little snowman

Had a carrot nose

Along came a rabbit

And what do you suppose?

That hungry little bunny,

Looking for his lunch,

ATE the snowman's carrot nose...

Nibble, nibble, CRUNCH!

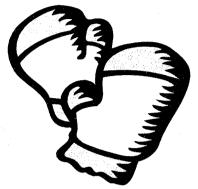


Draw and decorate

Warm Mittens

I wiggle my left hand, I wiggle my right, inside of my mittens, so warm and so tight.

I wiggle my pinkie.
I wiggle my thumb,
so when I make snowballs,
my hands don't get numb.



What do your mittens look like?

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I'm a Little Penguin

(to the tune of "I'm a Little Teapot")

I'm a little penguin
Black and white,
Short and wobbly
An adorable sight.
I can't fly at all
But I love to swim,
So I'll waddle to the water

How many adjectives do you see in this poem?
Circle the adjectives with a green crayon.

And dive right in!

Write two complete sentences about penguins.

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Mr. Groundhog's Day

On February second
The groundhog looked about
The sun was shining brightly
But his shadow wasn't out.



Mr. Woolly Bear was watching
The groundhog search around
"Mr. Groundhog look behind you
Your shadow's on the ground."

"Hooray", the groundhog shouted "For once we both agree Six more weeks of winter weather Six more weeks of sleep for me."

Did the groundhog see his shadow? _______

Is it time for spring? ______

Zoom, Zoom, Zoom

Zoom, zoom, zoom, I'm going to the moon. Zoom, zoom, zoom, I'll get there very soon.

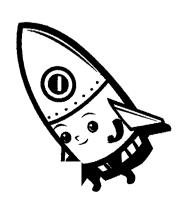
How many words in this poem make the "oo" sound? Underline them with a red crayon.

If you want to take a trip, Climb aboard my rocket ship. Zoom, zoom, I'm going to the moon!



Does the moon give off its own light?

Does the moon change size and shape?



My Tooth

My tooth fell out and left a space
So big my tongue can touch my face.
And every time I smile I show
The place where something used to grow.
I miss my tooth as you can guess
But now I have to brush one less!

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My friend has lost _____ teeth.

Our class has lost _____ teeth all together.



| Make | these | words | show | more | than | one. |
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- 1. one tooth, two _____
- 2. one goose, two ______
- 3. one mouse, two
- 4. one foot, two _____

100 Is a Lot

100 dogs, 100 cats, 100 heads for 100 hats. 100 women, 100 men, 100's more than 5 or 10. 100 buttons, 100 coats, 100 sails for 100 boats. 100 cookies, 100 cakes 100 kids with bellyaches! 100 shoes, 100 socks, 100 keys for 100 locks. 100 puddles mighty dirty, 100's even more than 30. 100 daughters, 100 sons, 100 franks on 100 buns. 100 trees, 100 plants, 100 picnics, 100 ants! 100 is a lot to count, 100 is a LARGE AMOUNT! 100 kisses, 100 hugs, 100 bats, 100 bugs. 100 bees, 100 birds, This poem has 100 words! Meish Goldish

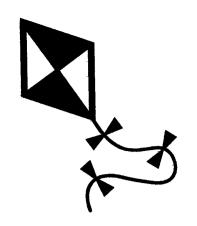
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Kites

The March wind is calling,
"Come fly your kite!"
The wind is blowing
With all its might.

The kites are tossing In the sky.
The wind is calling,
"Come fly up high."



Circle all the words that have a *long i* sound.

Design your own kites that show the following fractions:

| Two-thirds (2/3) | One-fourth (1/4) | One-half (1/2) |
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Springtime

A small green frog
On a big brown log;
A black and yellow bee
In a little green tree;
A red and yellow snake
By a blue-green lake,
All sat and listened
To a red bird sing,
"Wake up, everybody,
It's spring! It's spring!"







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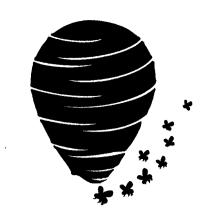
Springtime Wordsearch

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Bee

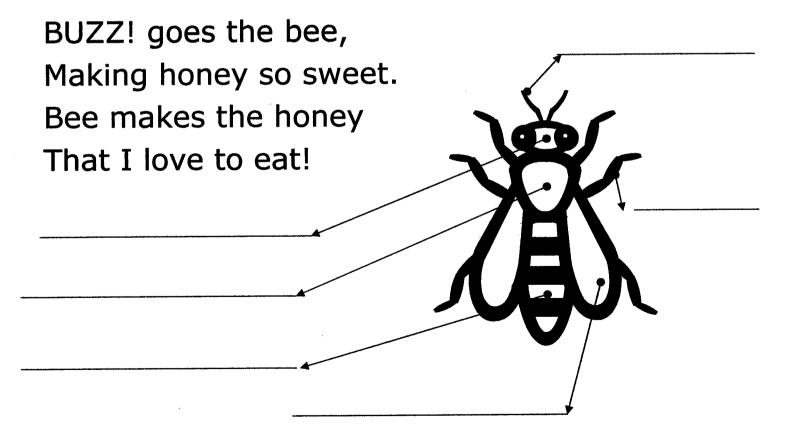
BUZZ! goes the bee, Hour after hour. BUZZ! goes the bee From flower to flower.

Sucking out the nectar Flying it home. Storing up the nectar In the honeycomb.



Label the bee. Remember: A bee is an insect!

head thorax abdomen leg wing antennae



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The Faces Of The Clock

The Big Hand is busy,
But the Small Hand has power.
The large one counts the minutes,
But the Little One names the hour.



When both Hands stand at the top together, It's sure to be Twelve O'clock. But whether That's twelve at noon or twelve at night, Depends on if it's dark or light.

| 1. | Which hand moves the most? |
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| 2. | Which hand counts the minutes? |
| 3. | What does the little hand name? |
| 4. | What time is it when both hands are at the top |
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| 5. | How do you know if it is twelve at noon or twelve |
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6. What time does the clock on this page say? _____

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Bird's Nest

Among the trees
Is a bird's nest,
And in the nest
Her three eggs rest.



And in each egg-Hush, you'll be heard!-There lies asleep
A tiny bird.

H.N. Bialik

Name 5 facts you have learned about birds.

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Little Raindrops

This is the sun, high up in the sky.

A dark cloud suddenly comes sailing by.

These are the raindrops,

Pitter, pattering down.

Watering the flower seeds

That grow under the ground.

Draw 3 things that need water to live and grow.



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Here's a Rabbit

Oh, here's a fluffy rabbit
With two ears so very long
See him hop, hop, hop about
On legs so very strong.
He nibbles, nibbles carrots
For his dinner every day
And as soon as he has had enough
He hops, hops, hops away.

| Where do you think the rabbit will go next? | | | | |
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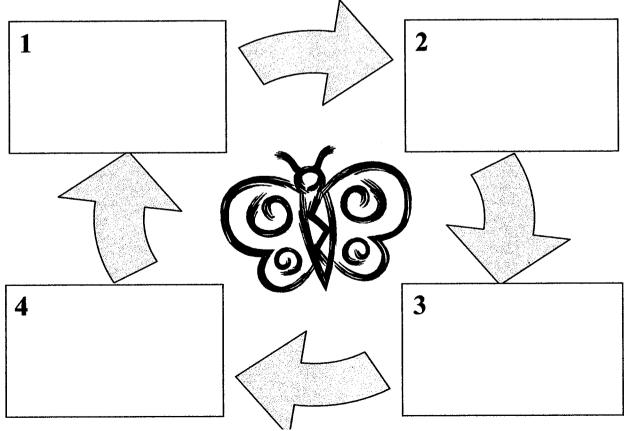
Caterpillar

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I started as a tiny egg
Upon a leaf of green.
And now I stay upon the leaf
So I will not be seen.

Soon I'll build a chrysalis
Upon a limb up high.
I'll stay a while and then come out
And be a butterfly.

Draw and label the stages of a butterfly.

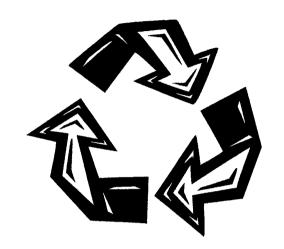


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Reduce Reuse Recycle

(to the tune of "The More We Get Together")

Reduce Reuse Recycle
Recycle... recycle
Reduce Reuse Recycle
It's easy to do
Cause your trash
And my trash
Make up way
Too much trash
Reduce, Reuse, Recycle
Its easy to do!



Think of how you can make your trash into treasure and illustrate it below.

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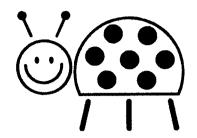
Ladybug

The ladybug's a beetle.

It's shaped like a pea.

Its color is a bright red

With lots of spots to see.

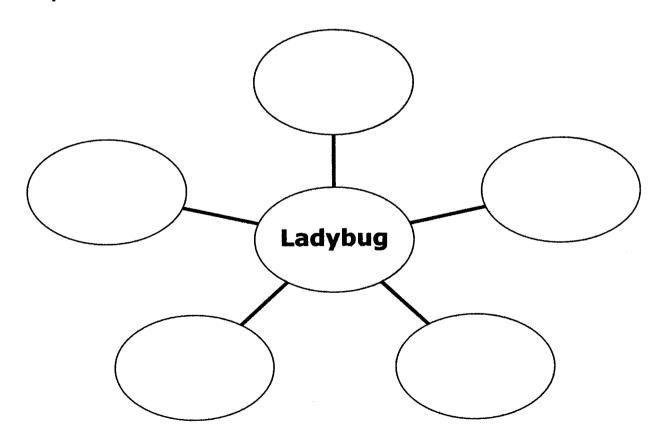


Although the name is "ladybug"

Some ladybugs are "men."

So why don't we say "gentleman bug"

Every now and then?



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I'm a Yellow Helicopter

I'm a yellow helicopter
Sitting on the ground.
These are my rotor-blades
Slowly turning round.



Faster now, and faster...
They're spinning like a top.
Take off...

Turn around Touch down...
Stop.

Brian Thompson

| What is your favorite form of transportation? Why? | | | | | |
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Sea Animals

What do you see in the sea?
Animals moving free!
Snails and whales
Using their tails.
Seals and eels
Looking for meals.
Catfish, flatfish
Chasing fat fish.
What do you see in the sea?
Animals moving free!



Meish Goldish

See You Later

See you later, alligator, Bye bye, butterfly, Give a hug, ladybug, Be sweet, parakeet, Blow a kiss, goldfish, See you soon, raccoon, Take care, polar bear, Out the door, dinosaur!



Can you say goodbye in other languages?