Rhyming and hearing sounds

Name _____

LetterSchool worksheet pack · free to print and share

Your child cannot tell which words rhyme, or which sound a word starts with. Hearing the sounds inside words (phonological awareness) is a key step before reading, and it can be taught.

How to use this pack

1. **Rhyme: Which pictures rhyme?**
2. **Syllables: Clap and count.**
3. **First and last sounds: Hear the first and the last sound.**
4. **Every sound: Push a counter for each sound.**

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Print the whole pack or only the pages you need. Every sheet is also on letterschool.com with tips and other handwriting styles.

Rhyme time

Name _____

Phonics · Rhyming · Sheet 1

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














Rhyme time

Name _____

Phonics · Rhyming · Sheet 2

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



Rhyme time

Name _____

Phonics · Rhyming · Sheet 3

1 **Say the name of each picture. Draw a line to the picture that rhymes.**











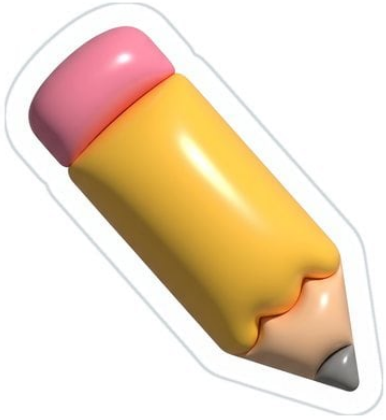



Clap and count

Name _____

Phonics · Syllables · Sheet 1

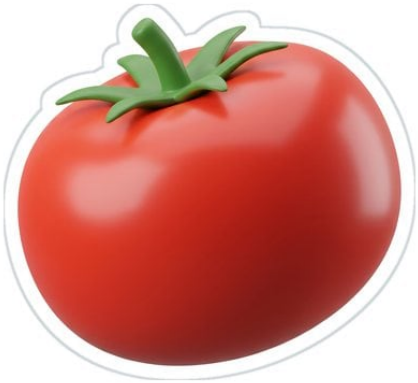
1 **Say the name of each picture and clap the parts (syllables). Color one circle for each clap.**



1 2 3



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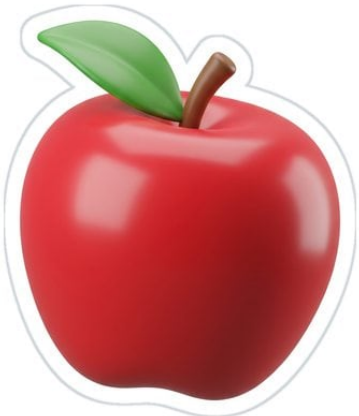
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Clap and count

Name _____

Phonics · Syllables · Sheet 2

1 **Say the name of each picture and clap the parts (syllables). Color one circle for each clap.**



1 2 3



1 2 3



1 2 3



1 2 3



1 2 3



1 2 3



1 2 3



1 2 3



1 2 3

Beginning sound Ss

Name _____

Phonics · Pre-K – Kindergarten

1 Trace the letter Ss. Start at the black dot.

S s

S S S S

S S S S S

2 Say the name of each picture. Circle the pictures that start with the /s/ sound.



3 Trace the words.

sun

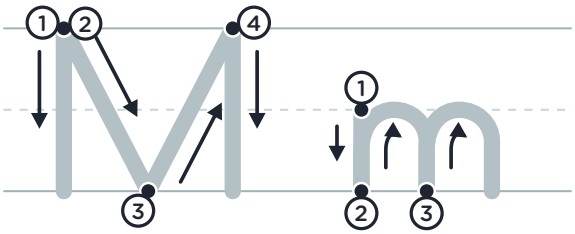
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Beginning sound Mm

Name _____

Phonics · Pre-K – Kindergarten

1 Trace the letter Mm. Start at the black dot.



M M M M

m m m m m

2 Say the name of each picture. Circle the pictures that start with the /m/ sound.



3 Trace the words.

moon

mouse

Ending sounds

Phonics · Kindergarten · Sheet 1

Name _____

1 Say the name of the picture. Write the last letter in the box.

Use these: b x g t g s n d



ca□



do□



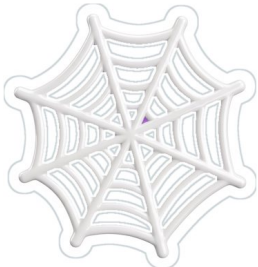
su□



pi□



be□



we□



fo□



bu□

Sound boxes

Name _____

Phonics · Short a

1 **Say the word slowly. Tap a dot for each sound. Write one sound in each box, then write the whole word.**











