

FAMILY LITERACY PACKET

MARCH 2011

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY
HEAD START



READ TO YOUR CHILD EVERYDAY!

Let them pretend to read and write.

Talk to your child about why you use a:

- newspaper
- T.V. guide or schedule
- calendar
- cook book
- phone book
- story book
- letter
- shopping list

Your child should know the meaning of these:

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| biggest | smallest |
| tallest | shortest |
| fattest | thinnest |
| more | less |
| full | empty |
| fast | slow |
| hot | cold |
| widest | fewest |

Self-help skills

- Put shoes on the right feet.
- Lace / tie shoes.
- Button, zip, or snap clothes.
- Toileting needs.
- Blowing and wiping nose.

Use these words to compare items:

- | | |
|-------|-----------|
| near | far |
| same | different |
| few | many |
| more | less |
| fat | thin |
| large | small |

Use position words to give simple directions.

- | | |
|---------|----------|
| over | under |
| first | last |
| in | out |
| on | under |
| up | down |
| front | back |
| next to | behind |
| middle | end |
| between | beside |
| above | below |
| top | bottom |
| left | right |
| around | corner |
| forward | backward |

Don't forget those nursery rhymes.

Count aloud to 20
(count fingers and toes)

Help your child learn his / her birthday, address, and phone number.

How much does your child know about a book? Can your child show you:

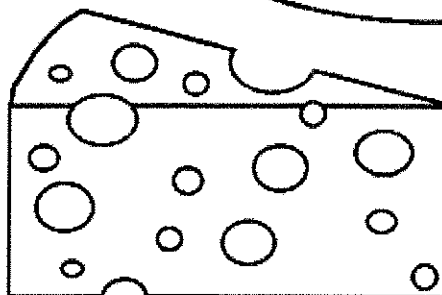
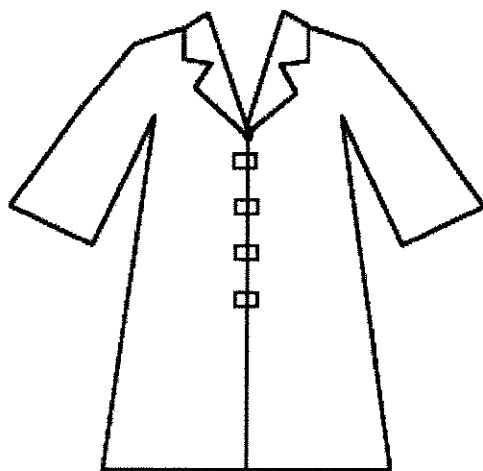
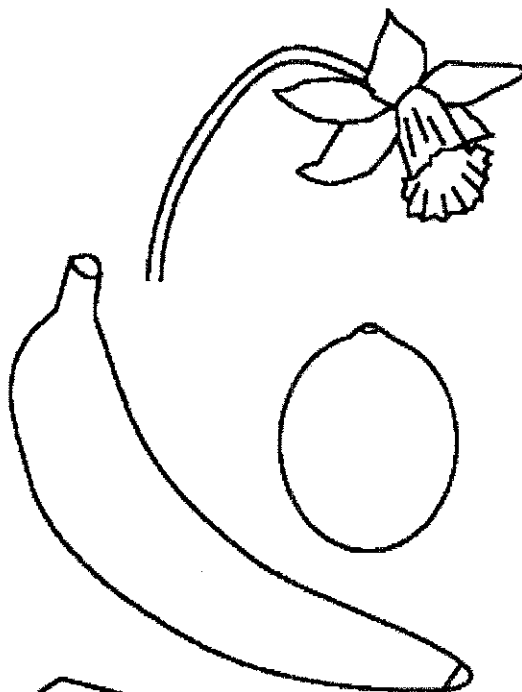
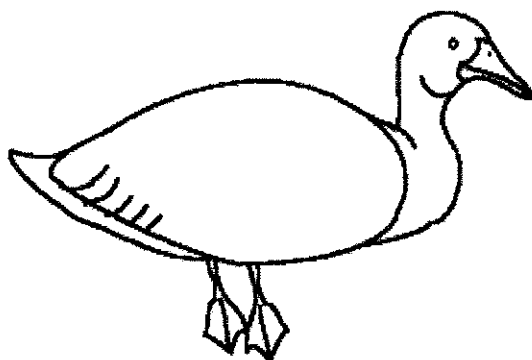
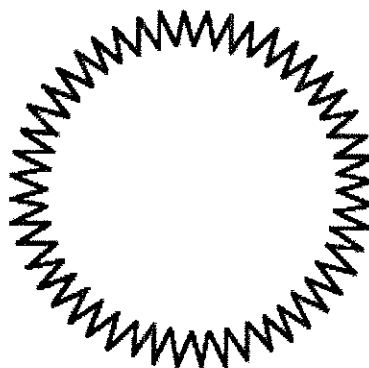
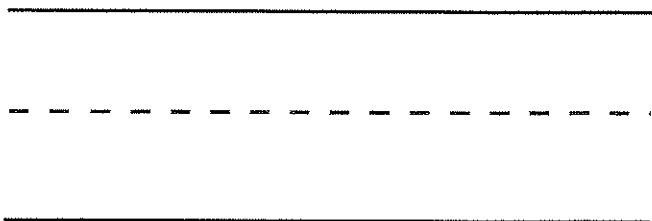
- cover of the book?
- front of the book?
- back of the book?
- title?
- print (words)?
- pictures?
- where to start reading?
- which direction to read?
- how to read from left to right and return to the beginning of the next line?

Your child should be able to pronounce his / her first and last name. Also, your child should be able to write his / her first name using a capital then small letters.

ex. **J**ohn not **JOHN**

Yellow

Name _____

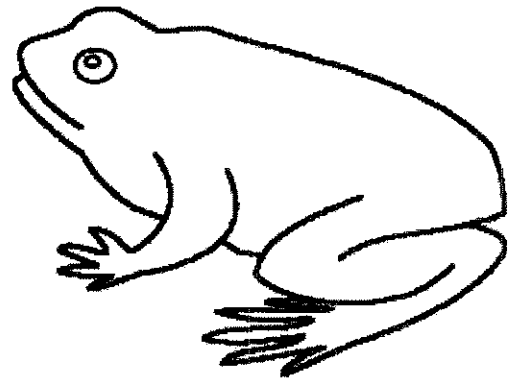
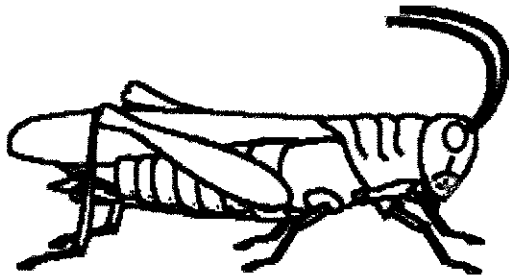
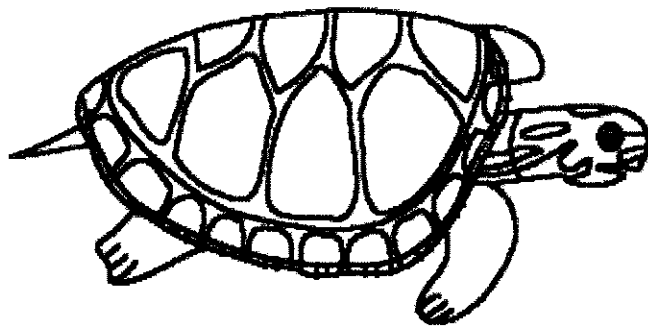
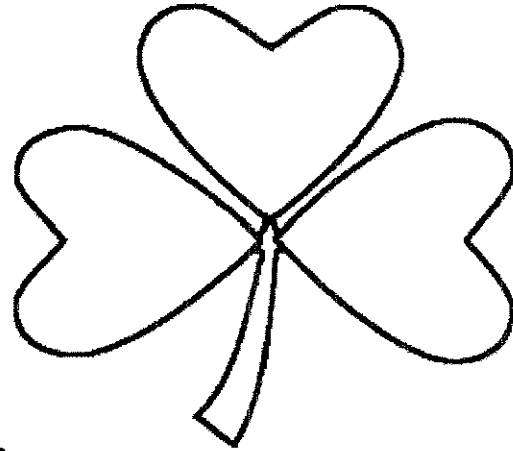


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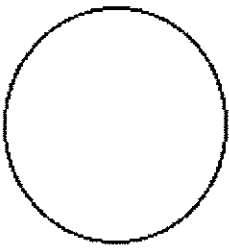


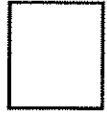

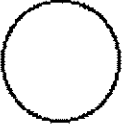

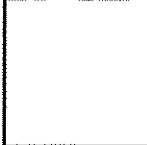
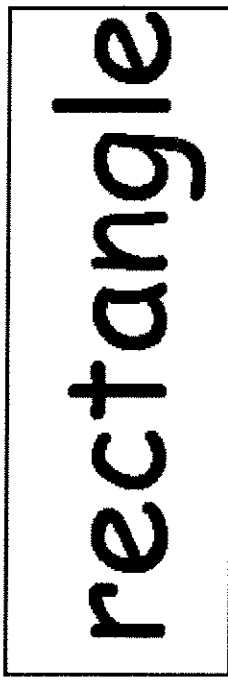
Green

Name _____

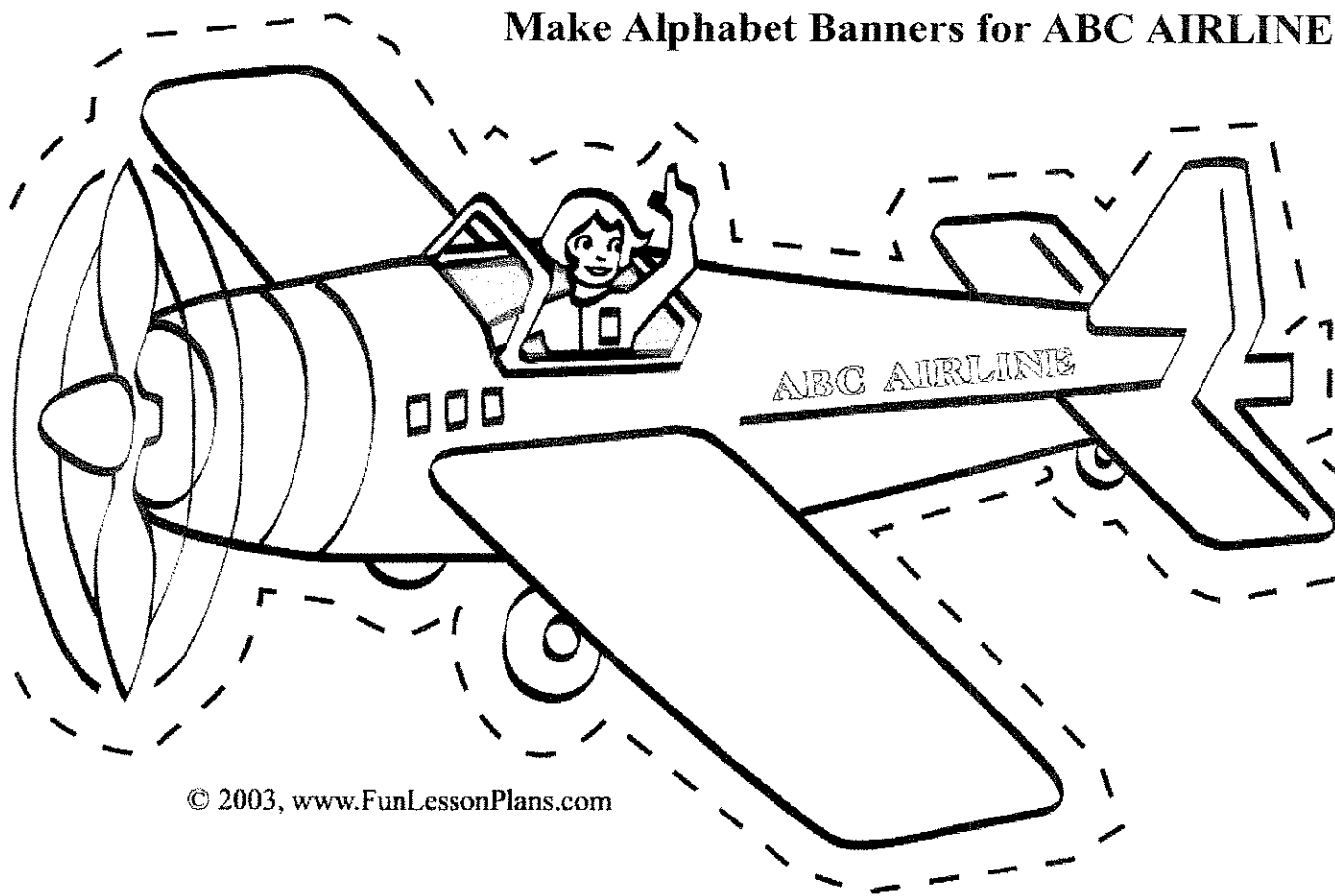




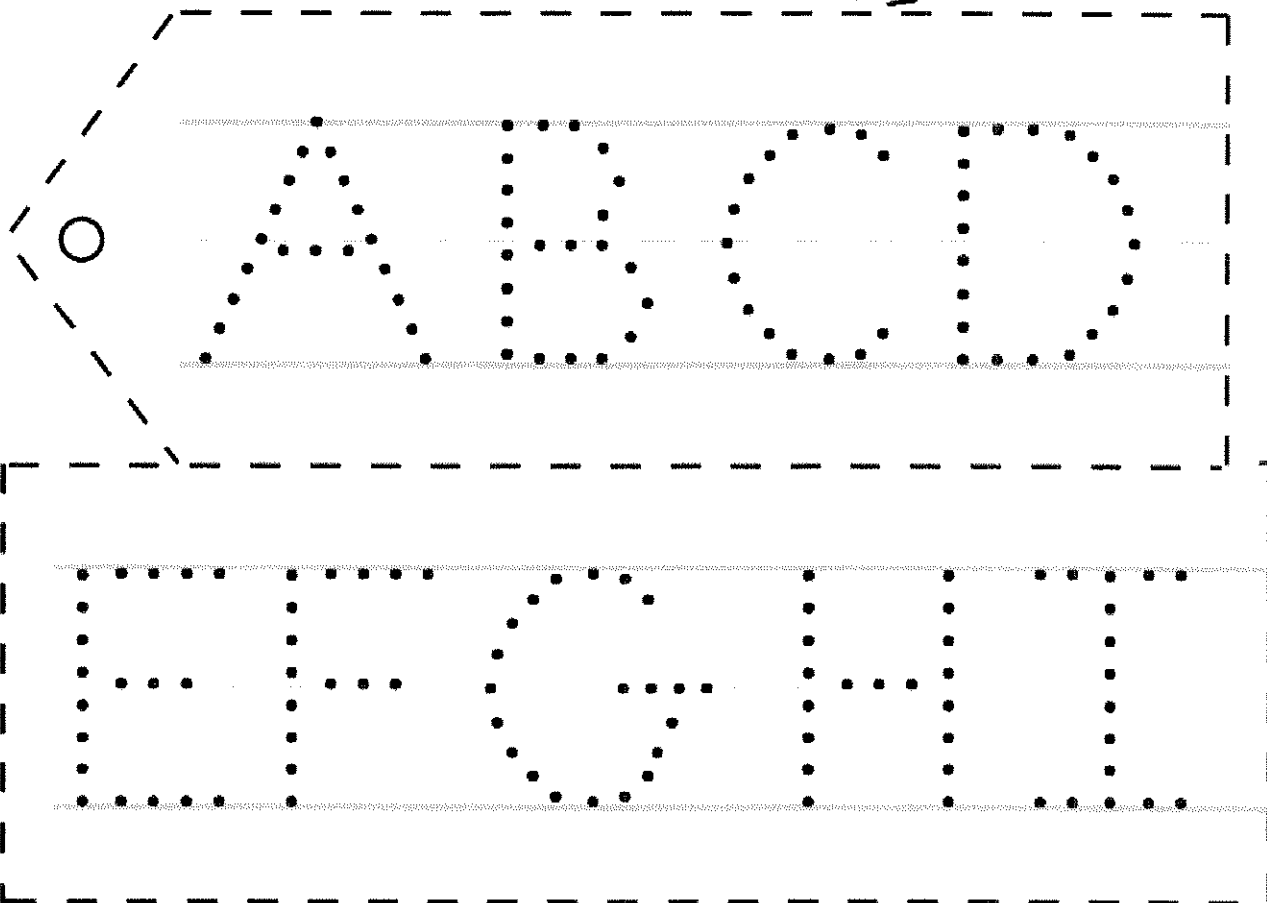
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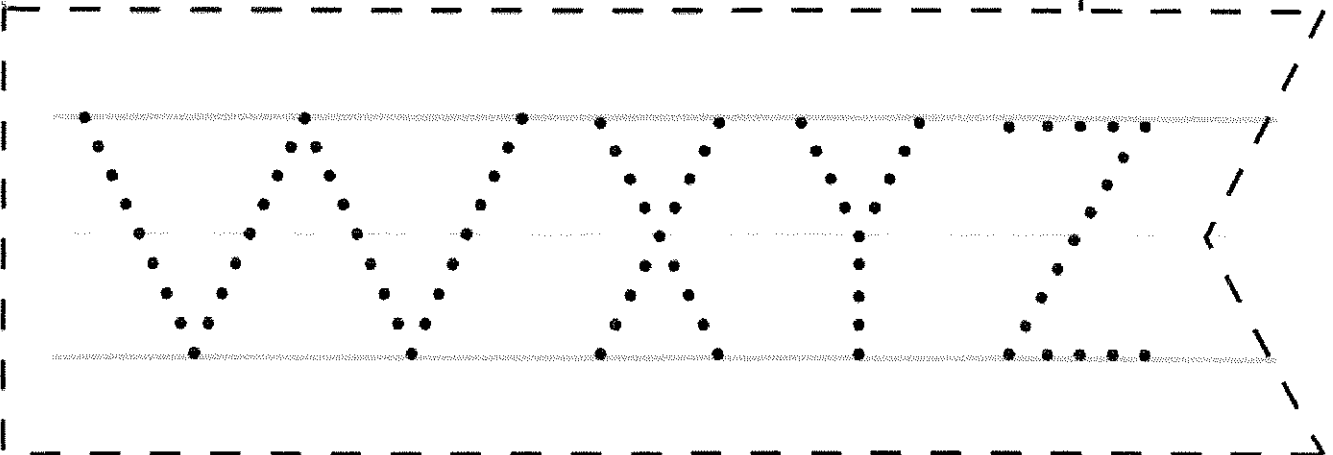
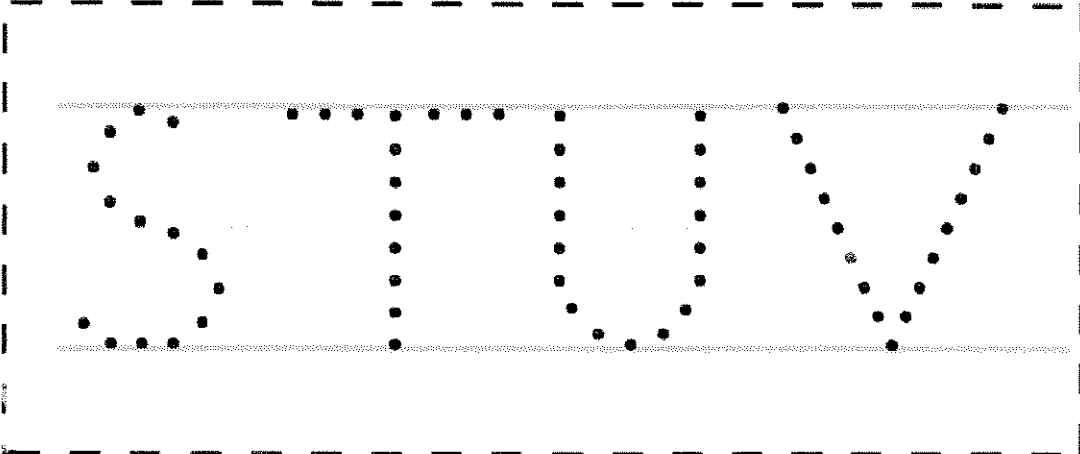
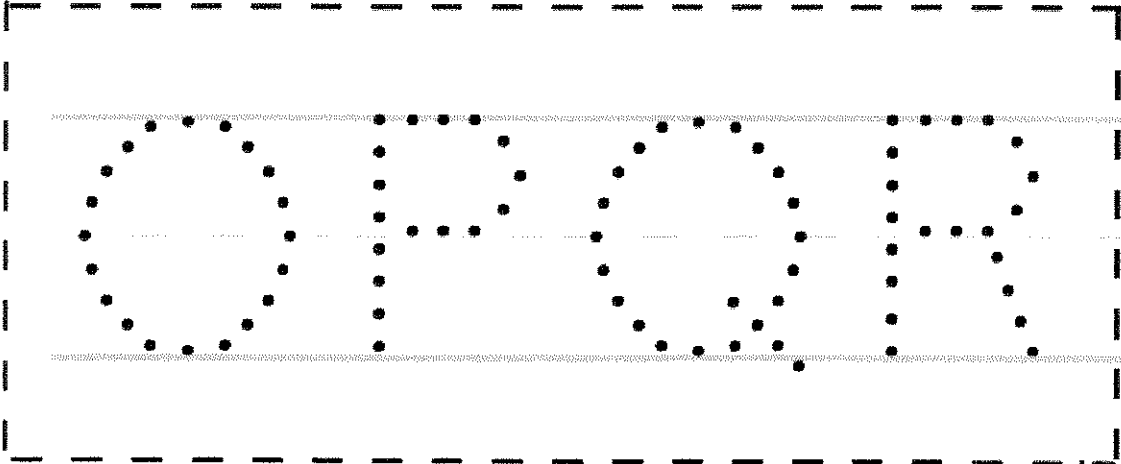
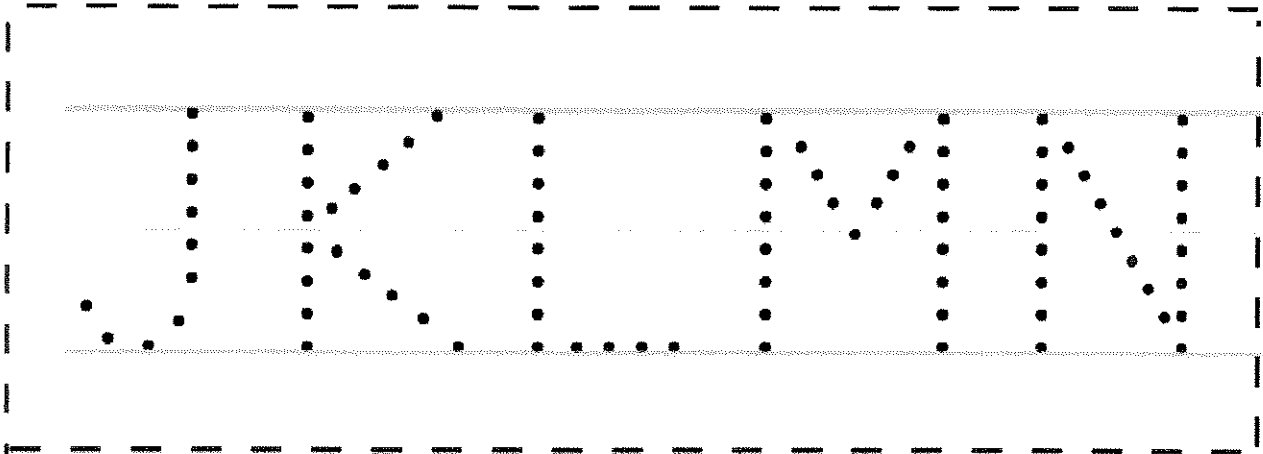
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Make Alphabet Banners for ABC AIRLINE



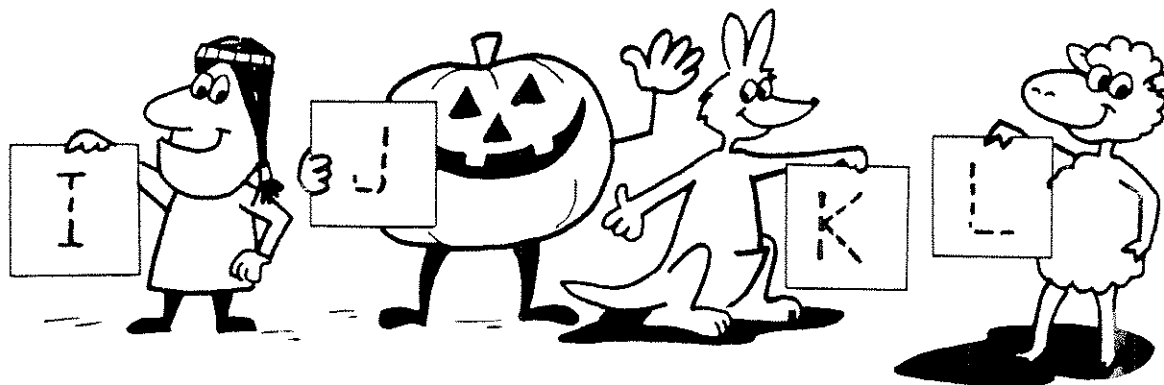
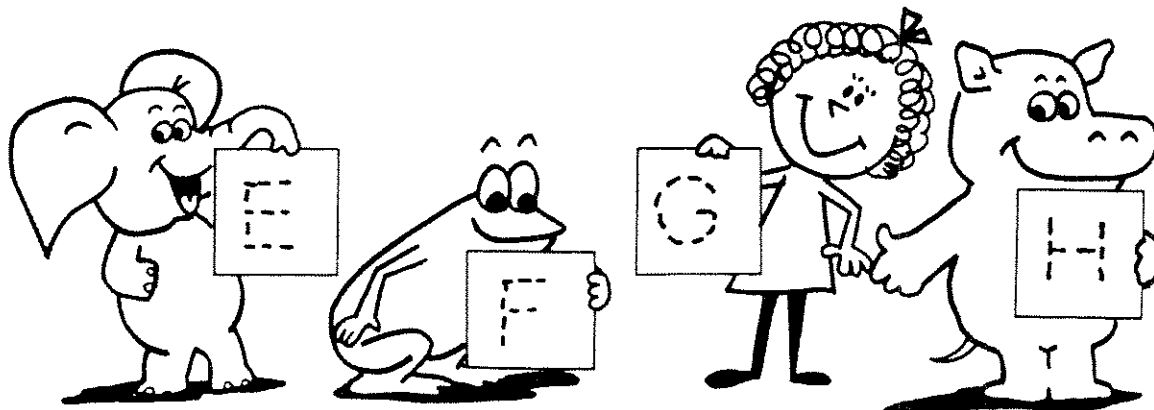
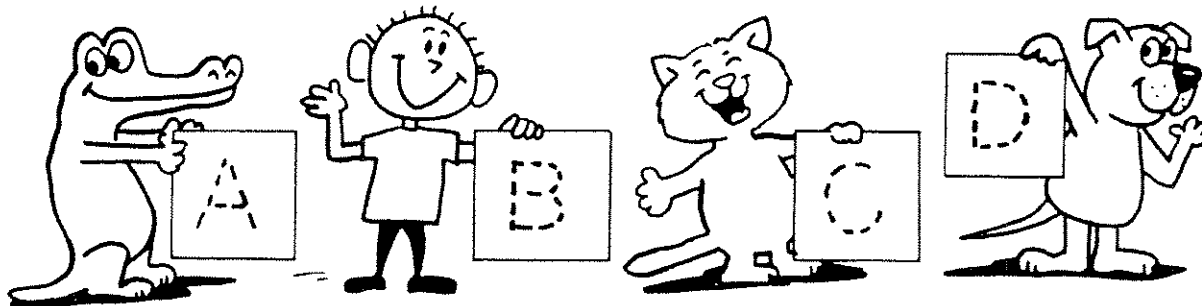
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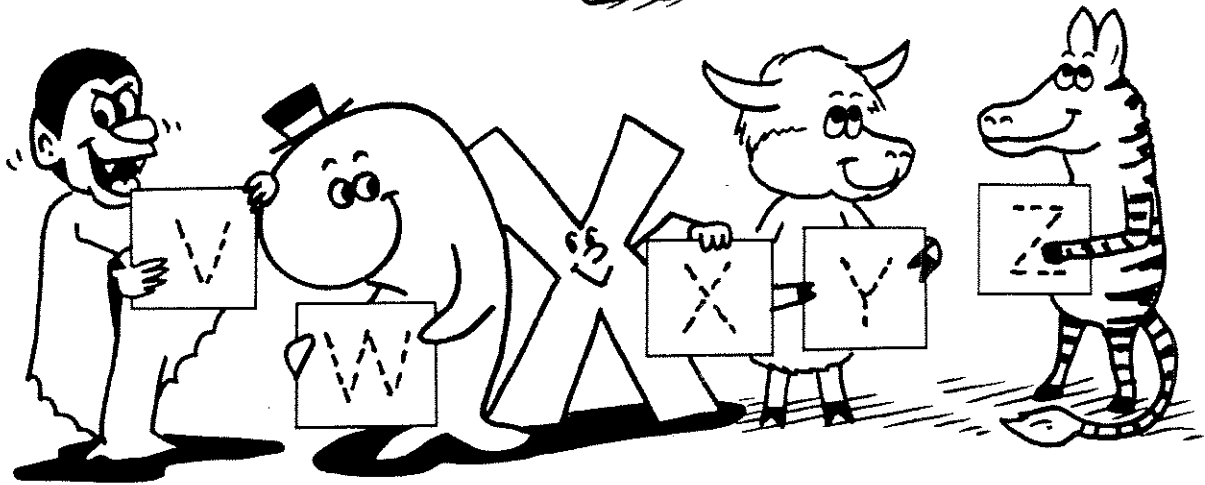
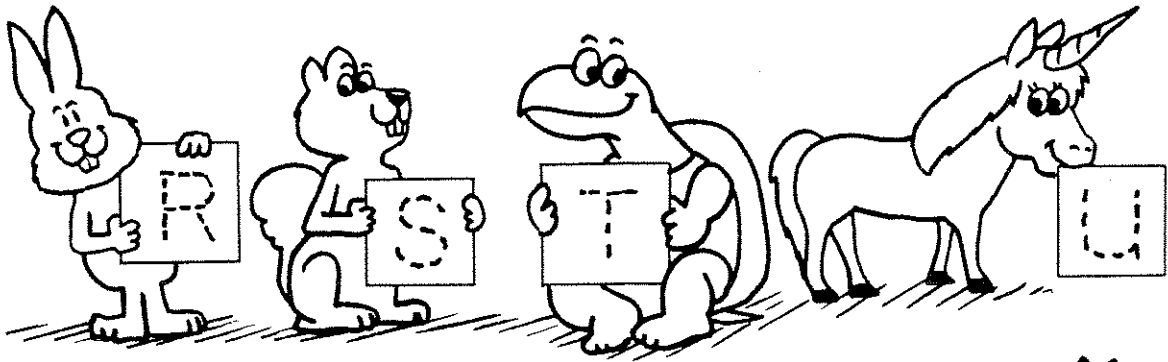
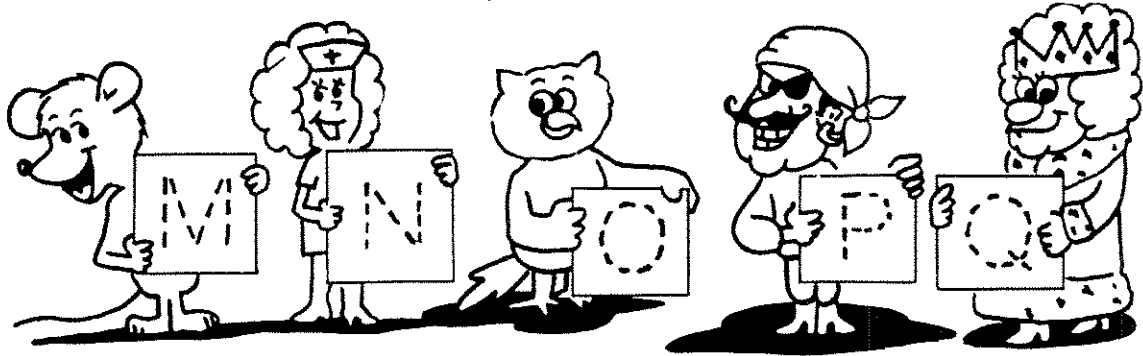
Trace the letters. Then cut out the letters at the bottom and paste them in the correct spaces.



J	H	C	A	K	E
B	F	I	L	D	G

Name _____

Trace the letters. Then cut out the letters at the bottom and paste them in the correct spaces.



T	U	Q	P	Y	V	M
X	Z	N	W	S	O	R

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

