Letter and Sound Picture Match

26 lowercase letter cards and 26 picture cards. Match each letter to its sound.

Get ready

1. Print on thick paper and cut on the dotted lines.
2. Start small: use 6 to 8 letters your child knows, with their pictures.
3. The vowels use short vowel pictures: apple, egg, igloo, octopus, umbrella.

Match it

1. Lay the letter cards face up in a row.
2. Pick up a picture card. Say the word, then its first sound: "sun, /s/".
3. Put the picture on the letter that makes that sound.

Memory

1. Mix the letter cards and the picture cards. Lay them face down in rows.
2. Turn over two cards. Say the letter sound or the picture's first sound.
3. A letter and its picture make a pair. Keep the pair and go again.
4. No pair? Turn them back over. The next player has a turn.

Go Fish

1. Deal 5 cards each. Put the rest face down in a pile: the pond.
2. Ask for the match by its sound: "Do you have the /m/ picture?" or "Do you have the letter for /m/?"
3. No match? "Go fish!" Take a card from the pond. Most pairs wins.

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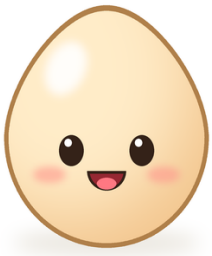
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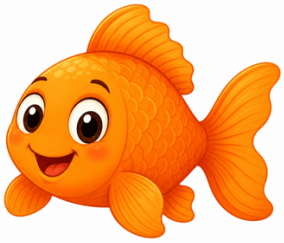
















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Picture card answers

Each picture, its word and the letter that makes its first sound.


A a apple


B b ball


C c cat


D d dog


E e egg


F f fish


G g goat


H h hat


I i igloo


J j jar


K k kite


L l lamp


M m mug


N n nest


O o octopus


P p pig


Q q queen


R r rainbow


S s sun


T t tiger


U u umbrella


V v violin


W w watch


X x x-ray


Y y yo-yo


Z z zebra

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