

Reception home learning pack

Week beginning

25.01.21

Please use the **PowerPoint** and suggested **Timetable together** with this pack as it will support their understanding.

DO NOT use the pack on its own without watching the PowerPoint!

Please email photos or **short** video clips of your child's learning throughout the week at

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Monday - story for parents reference.

The Sweet - Talking Potato

Once upon a time there was a farmer. One day he was very, very, hungry so he went out into his fields and he picked a potato. To his amazement the potato spoke to him. "Hands off!!" The potato yelled. The farmer looked at his dog. "Did you say that?" the farmer asked. "No, it wasn't me," said the dog. "It was the potato!" "Ahhh!" screamed the farmer and he ran away as fast as his legs could carry him. He ran and he ran and he ran until he reached the market. There he met a man, who was selling chickens. The man asked the farmer "Why are you running so fast, when the day is so hot?" The farmer said to the man "First, a potato spoke to me, then my dog spoke to me."

"That's impossible!" said the man. "Oh no, it's not," said the chicken. "Ahhh!!" screamed the farmer and he ran away as fast as his legs could carry him. He ran and he ran and he ran, until he came to a shop where he met a Baker, who was making loads of bread. The baker stopped the man and asked him "Why are you running so fast, when the day is so hot?" The farmer said to the Baker "First my potato spoke to me, then my dog spoke to me and after that a chicken spoke to me."

"That's impossible," said the Baker. "Oh no it's not," said one of the loaves of bread. "Ahhh!!" screamed the farmer and he ran away as fast as his legs could carry him. He ran and he ran and he ran, until he came to the town. Where he met the king sitting on his throne. The King asked the farmer "Why are you running so fast, when the day is so hot?" The farmer said to the king "First my potatoes spoke to me, then a dog spoke to me and then a chicken spoke to me and now a loaf of bread has spoken to me."

"Get out, you foolish man," said the king. The farmer left, feeling very, very, foolish. The king said to himself "How silly to imagine that those things could talk." There was a long silence and then the throne spoke to the king. "Who ever heard of a talking potato?"

Monday - sight words

Remember when you are reading sight words you '**see it and say it**'. Cut out the sight words from this week and play matching games with someone at home. Keep the sight words to use again.

me

you

away

are

me

you

away

are

Practice spelling sight words verbally, remember to say letter names and not phonic sounds.

Cut out the individual letters in each sight word, muddle them up and then make up the word again. Stick in your remote learning books. You may write the letters on pegs/stick on lego and then the children put in the correct letter order.

m

e

y

o

u



a

w

a

y

a

r

e

Challenge – write a sentence using the above sight words, in your remote learning book.

Practice sight words

If your child is struggling, then practice learning sight words from previous weeks. Cut out the letters and put your sight words in the correct order. Stick and write your sight words in your remote learning books.

a n d

t h e

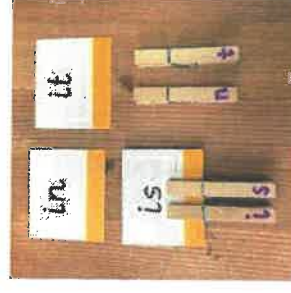
h e

s

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t o

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Monday Monday

Practice reading and writing sight words. Use cursive writing.

me

you

away

are

Monday Phonics – y

Read the following words and sentences– look at all the letters, make the sounds and blend the sounds together.

yes yet yell

yum-yum

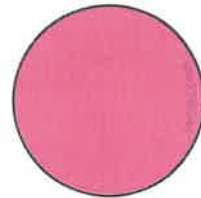
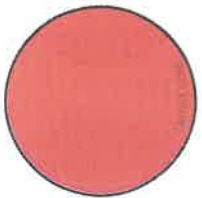
Do not yell at the lemon.

The jam was so yum-yum.

Practice writing the ‘y’ sound using your cursive handwriting. Remember ‘y’ is a descender, it goes under the line.

y y y y

1	6	11	16
2	7	12	17
3	8	13	18
4	9	14	19
5	10	15	20



You can cut these out and use as counters.

Handwriting - Monday

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g o c k ck e u r

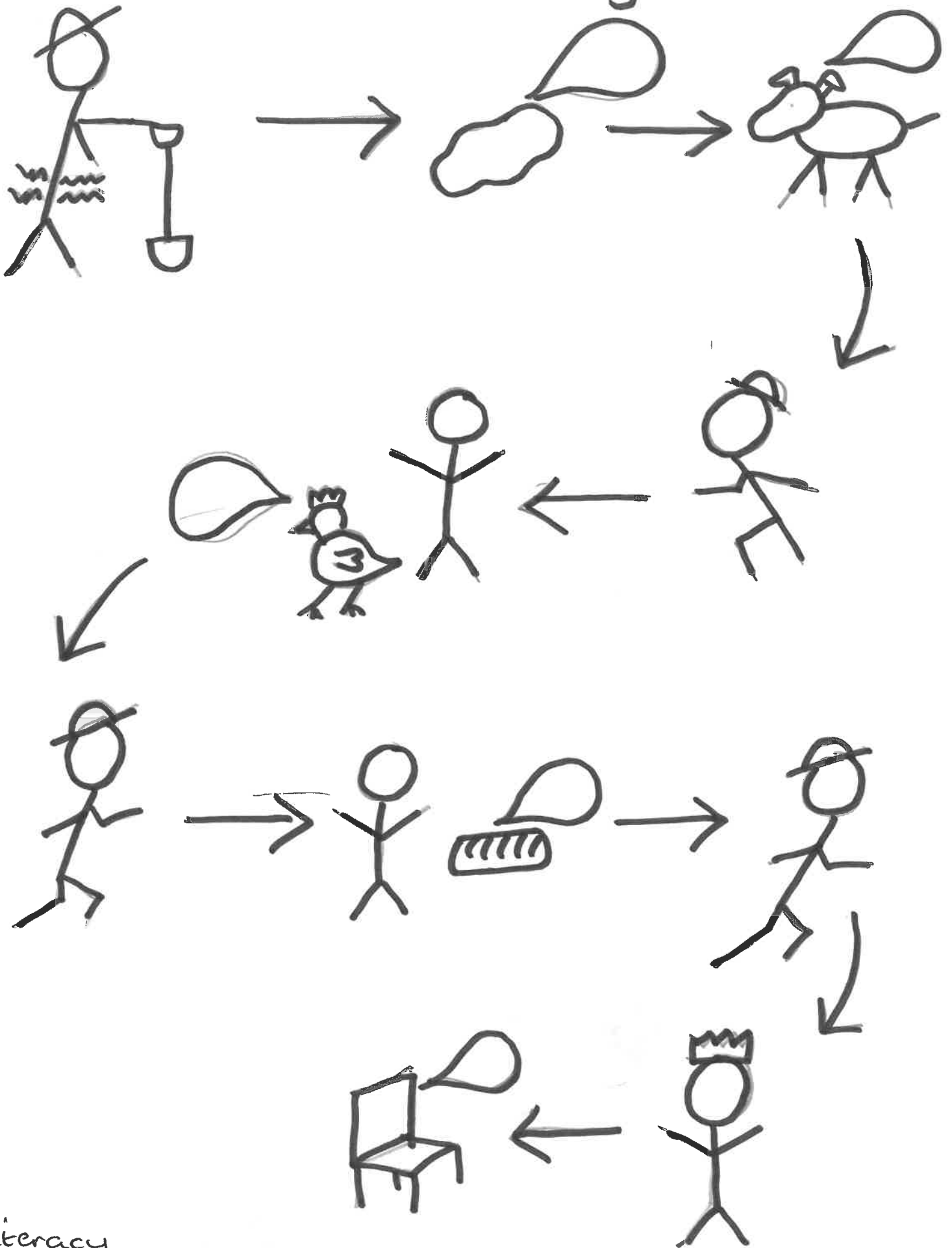
h b f l ff ll ss j

v x w y z zz | qu

Now practice the sounds in your remote learning book.

Practice writing your name using cursive writing.

The Sweet-Talking Potato



Literacy

Tuesday and Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Tuesday Phonics – z

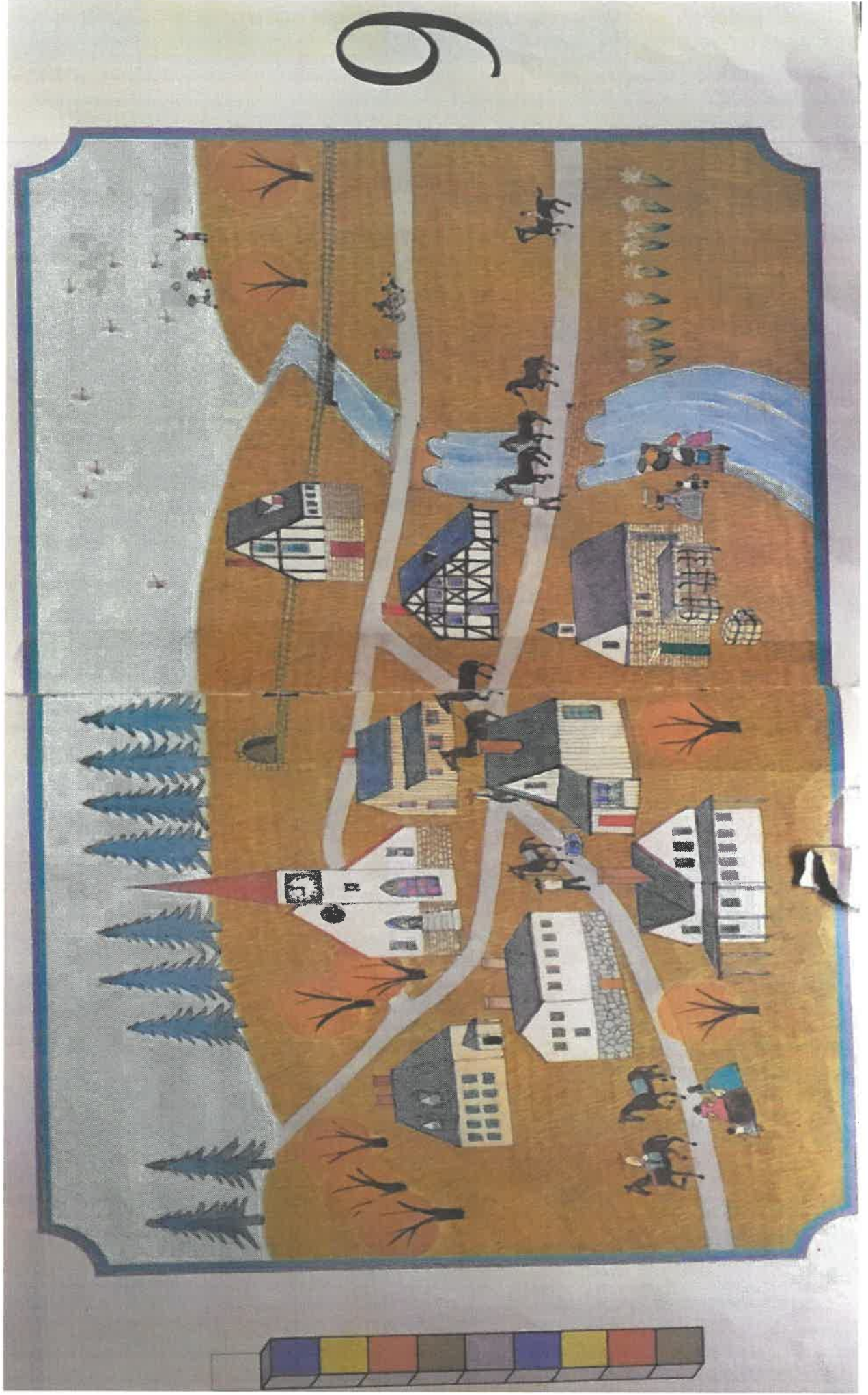
Practice writing the 'z' words and sentences from the video.

Remember – say the word, robot the word and write the word.

Practice writing the sound 'z' sound using your cursive handwriting. Remember 'z' sits on the line.

z z z z

Tuesday - Number 9 picture sheet



Wednesday - Sing - 1 sweet potato (to the tune of 3 blind mice)

1 sweet potato, 1 sweet potato.

Said hands off, said hands off.

The farmer screamed and he ran away,
the farmer screamed and he ran away.

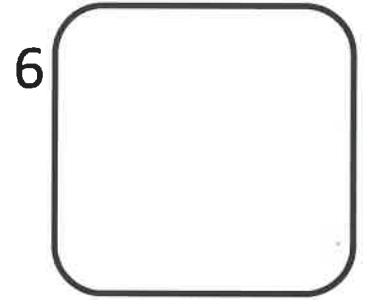
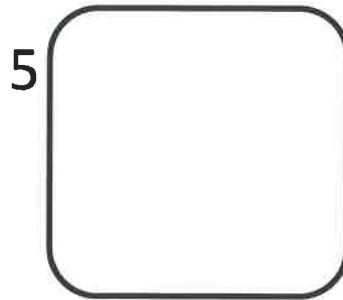
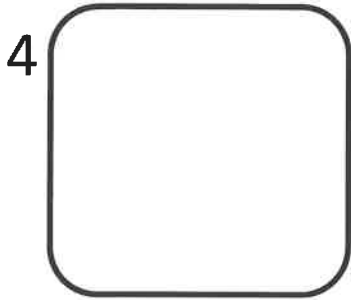
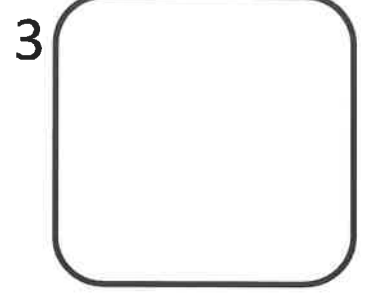
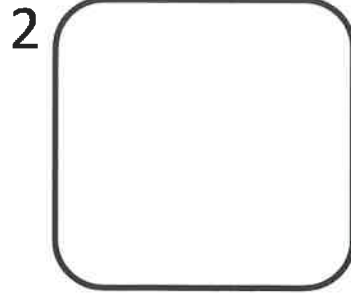
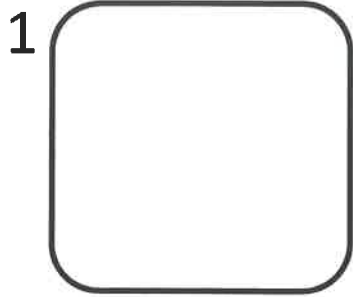
He ran and he ran, on such a hot day.
He ran and he ran, on such a hot day.

Until he came to the market place,
until he came to the market place.

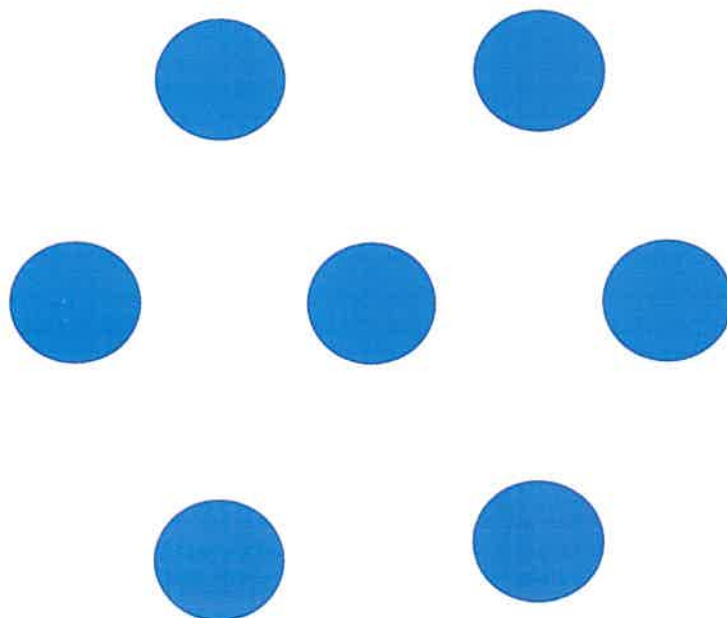
1 sweet potato, 1 sweet potato.

Wednesday

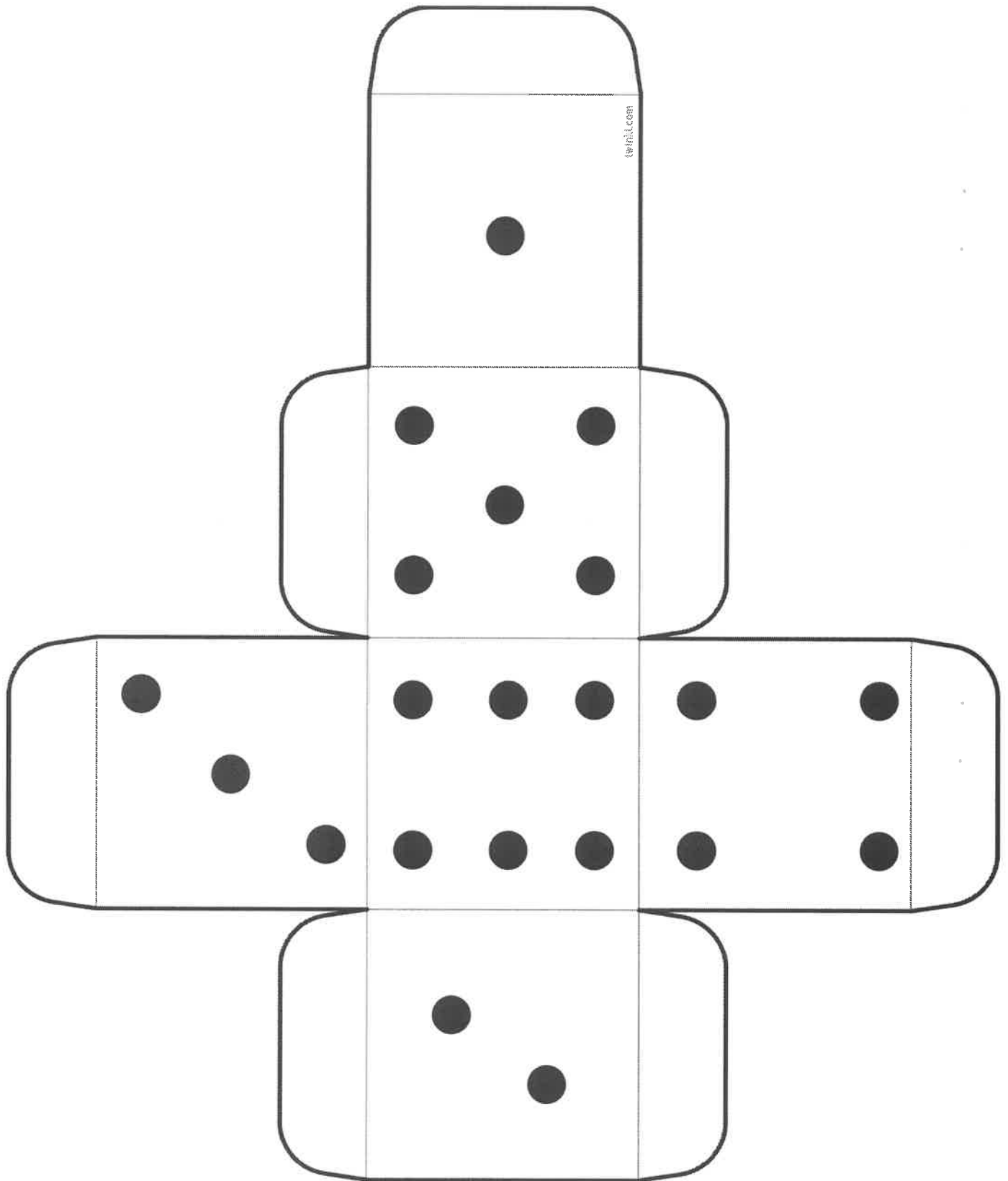
Dice Patterns



Look at the image below- How many different ways can you see 7

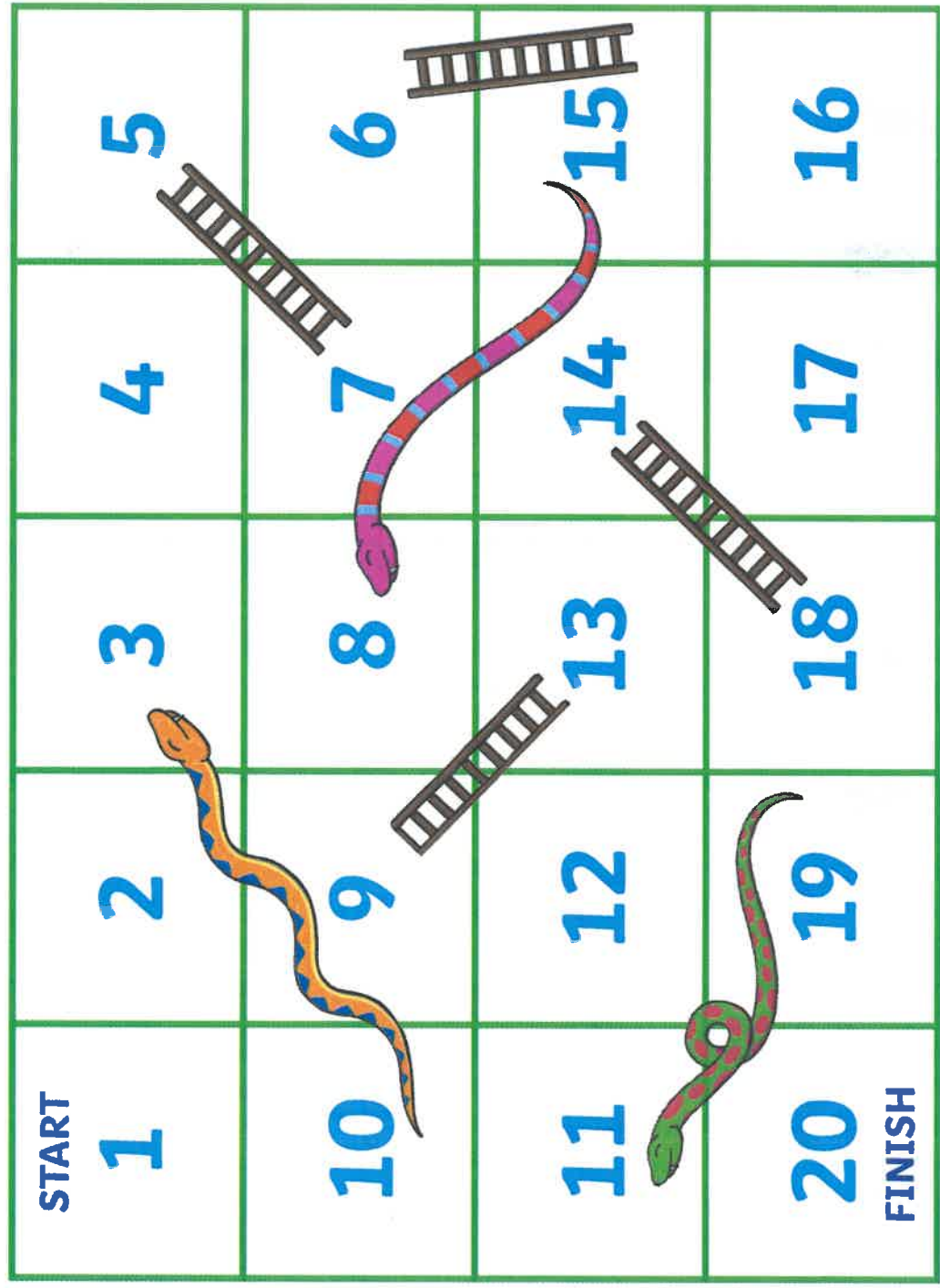


Wednesday



Wednesday

Snakes and Ladders



Wednesday Phonics – zz

Read the following words and sentences– look at all the letters, make the sounds and blend the sounds together.

jazz buzz

fizz

I can see it buzzing.

It did not fizz.

Practice writing the sound ‘zz’ sound using your cursive handwriting. Remember ‘zz’ sits on the line.

zz

zz

zz

zz

Thursday Phonics – qu

Practice writing the 'qu' words and sentences from the PowerPoint. The 'q' goes under the line.

qu qu qu qu

Read the words.

quick quack

quizz

Write the sentence using the picture from the PowerPoint.

Remember – say the word, robot the word and write the word.

Sight word challenge!

Choose four coloured pencils for each of the sight words.
Look for me you away are in 'The Sweet - Talking Potato' story.
Colour the sight words in.

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Friday Phonics – Revision – y z zz qu

Practice writing all the sounds learnt this week.

Read the sentences from the PowerPoint.

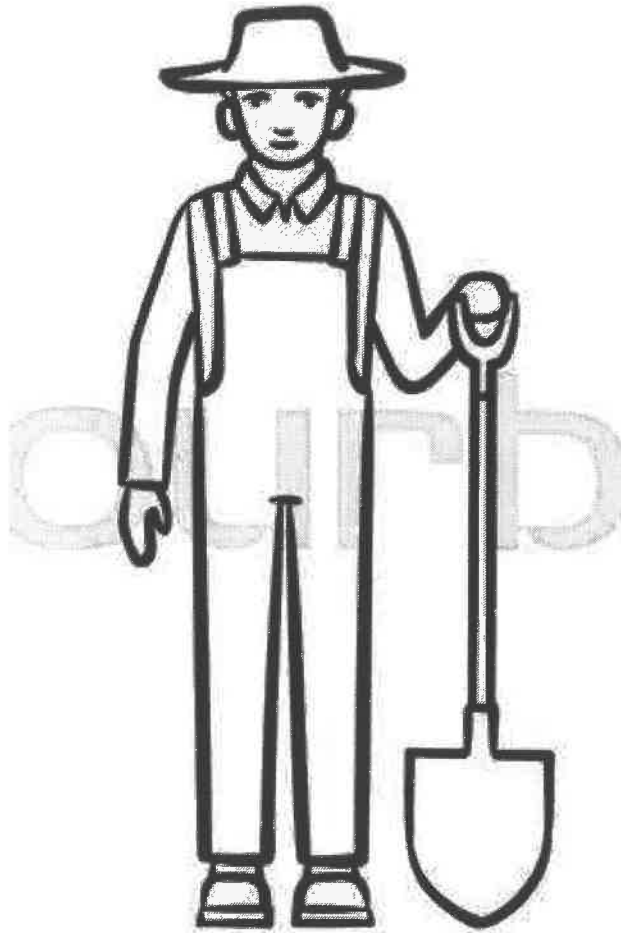
Now write the sentence using the picture from the PowerPoint.

Remember – say the word, robot the word and write the word.

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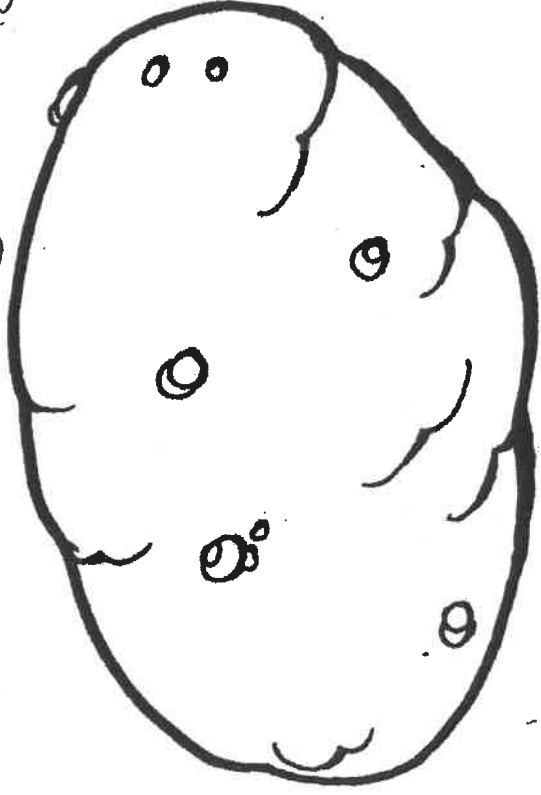
Friday - The Sweet-Talking Potato Puppets

Colour, cut and stick on lollipop sticks or straw. Use the pictures to help retell the story.

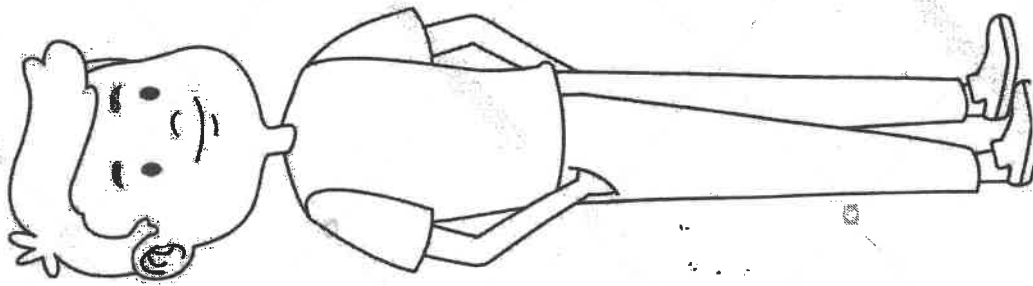


farmer

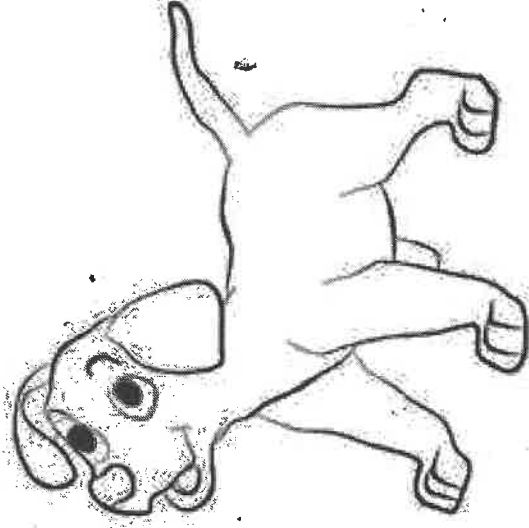
use as puppets.
to act out the
story.



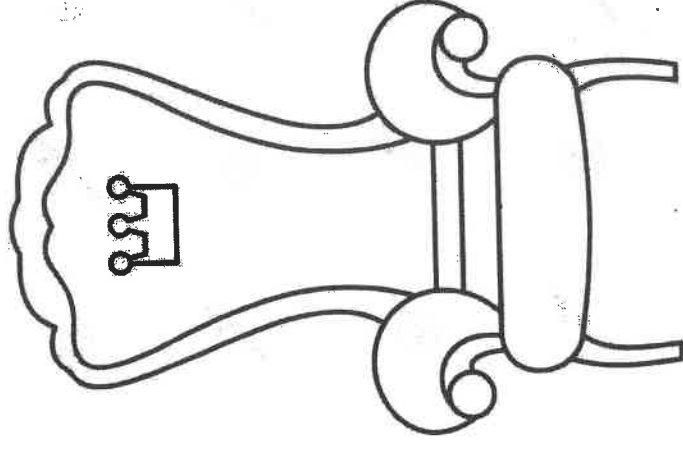
potato



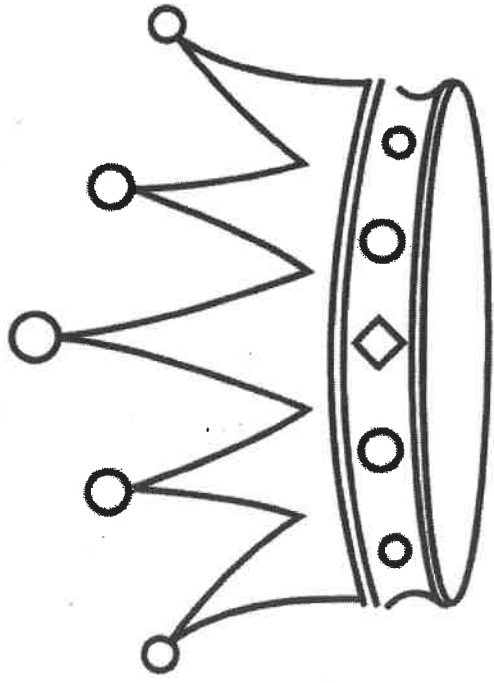
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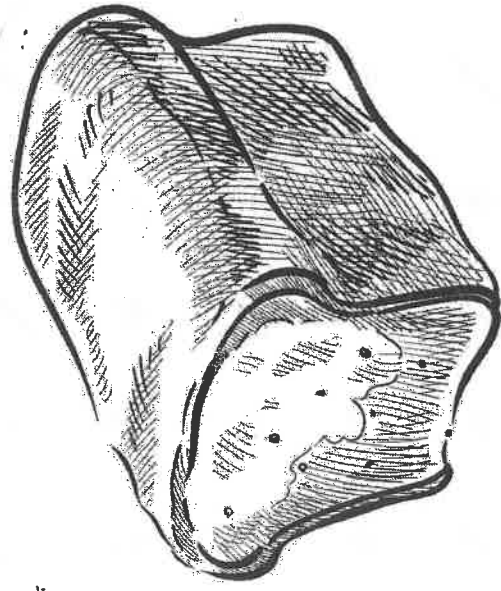
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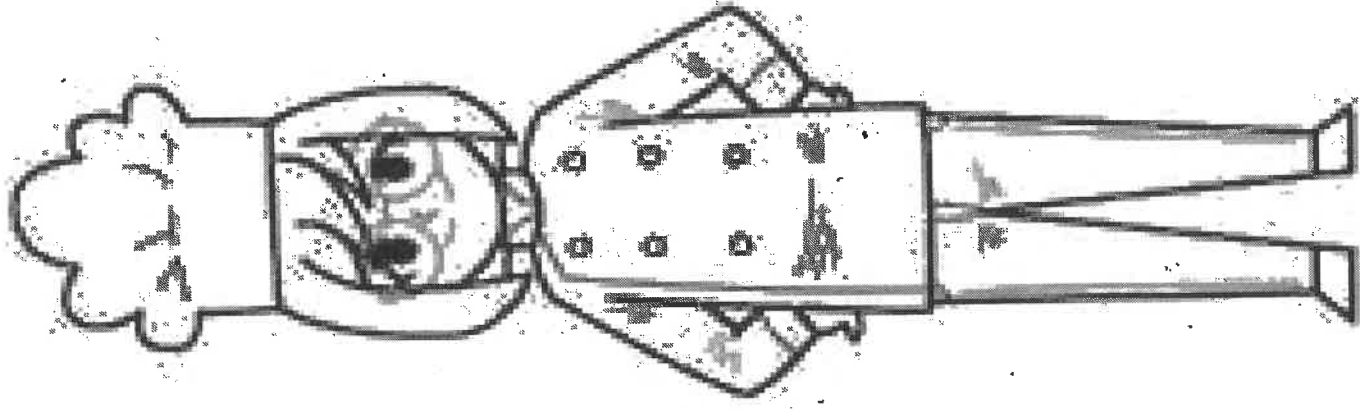
a throne



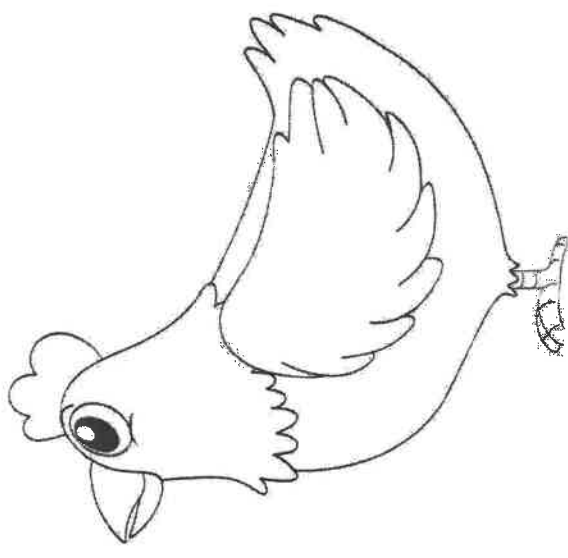
king



a loaf of bread



a baker



chicken