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Let's Play Money
Preschool/Kindergarten (PK)

The Let's Play Money printable packet is designed to inspire kids' interest in financial literacy, build money knowledge and habits, and serve as a tool to spark conversations about financial topics.

Each grade-level packet is full of skill-building games, puzzles, and other interactive activities based on financial literacy standards set forth by the National Financial Educators Council, the Washington State Financial Literacy Standards, and the National Content Standards for Entrepreneurship Education.

Learning about money fosters literacy (financial literacy is tied directly to strong reading literacy), numeracy (working with numbers), and sound practices (forming good habits, planning, and strategizing). To that end, each packet offers integrated opportunities to build reading and math skills while developing financial competencies.

According to the National Financial Educators Council, kids' financial habits are set by ages 7-9. It's never too soon to talk to kids about money, and the Let's Play Money packets are here to help you start those conversations with your kids. Now is the time!

Congratulations on taking this important step!

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR ORDER!

This is the November **Let's Play Money printable packet for **Preschool/Kindergarten (PK)**.**

GET STARTED

- Set up a regular schedule for Let's Play Money to build regular engagement.
- Print the Let's Play Money pages.
- Share the entire packet or offer individual pages for your kid to complete.
- Build opportunities to engage in real-life, money-oriented activities and conversations during the month.
- Go over your kid's work with them and check the answer key at the end of the packet.

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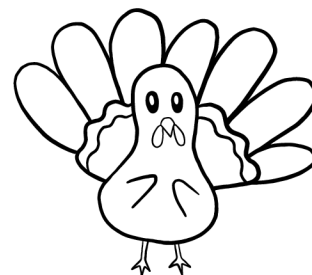
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LET'S PLAY MONEY

HAPPY THANKGIVING

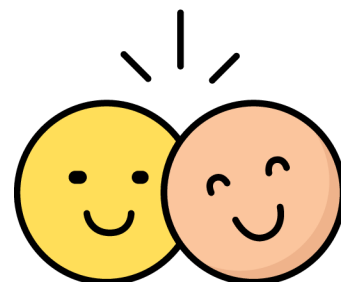
Thanksgiving is a special holiday when families and friends come together to celebrate and share a big meal. People usually eat delicious food like turkey, mashed potatoes, and pumpkin pie.



It's a time to say thank you for all the good things in our lives, like family, friends, and good food. Many people also like to help others by giving food or helping those in need. Thanksgiving reminds us to be grateful and to enjoy time with the people we love!

A TIME FOR GRATITUDE

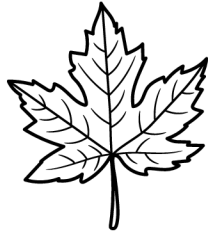
Gratitude means being thankful for the good things in our lives. It's important to show gratitude because it helps us appreciate what we have and feel happy.



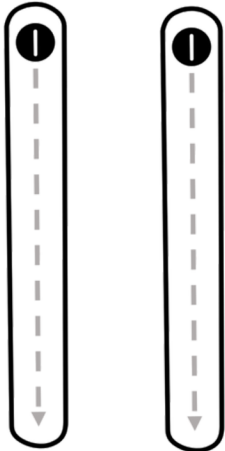
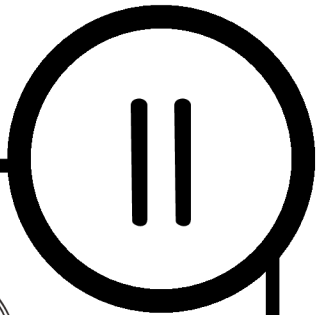
When we say thank you to our family and friends, it makes them feel good, too. Being grateful helps us remember all the nice things around us, like our toys, our home, and the people who care for us.

COUNT

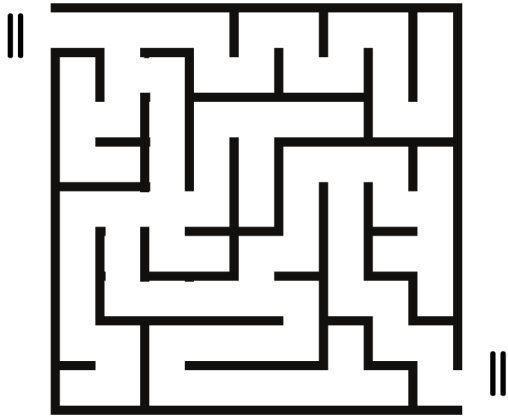
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NUMBERS PAGE



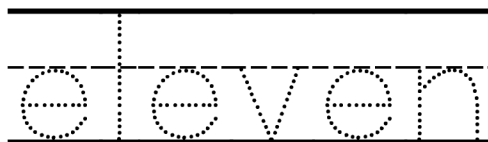
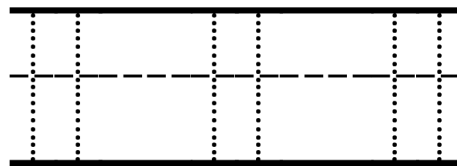
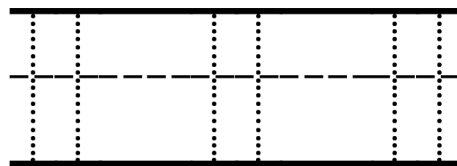
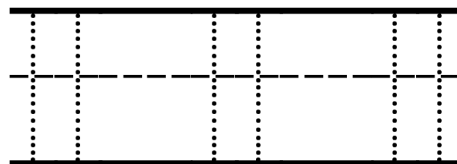
Join the numbers!



Color all the boxes with the number 11.

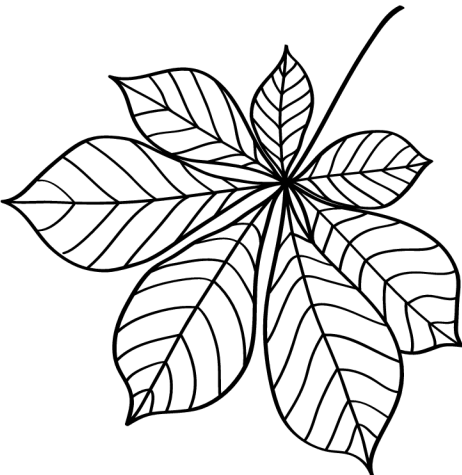
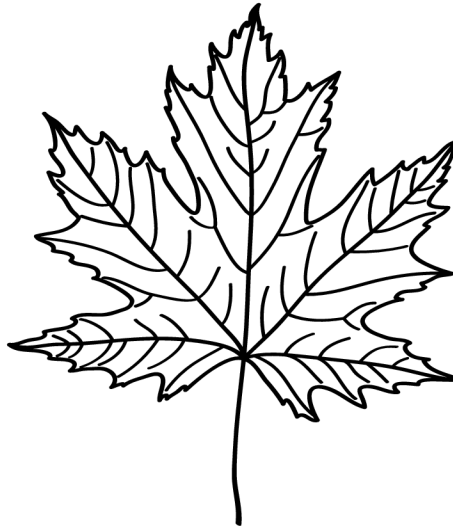
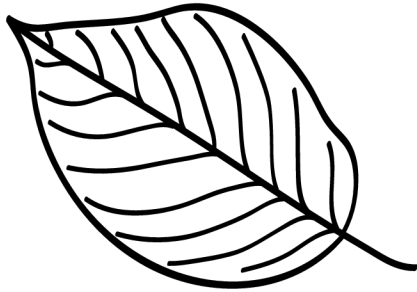
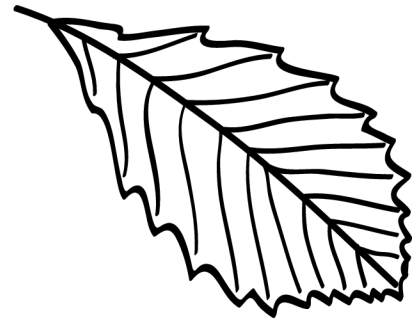
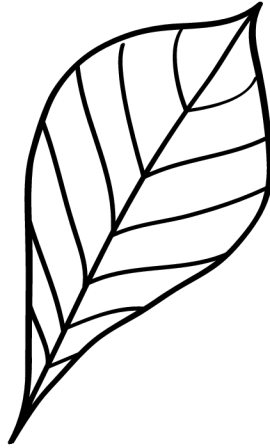
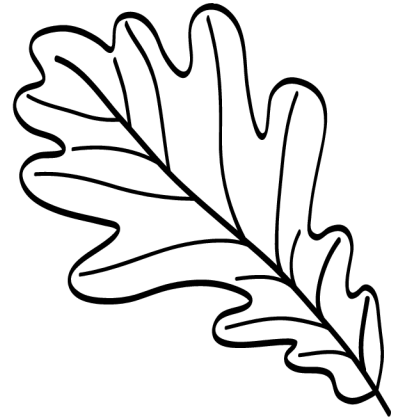
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11	10	11
12	5	8

Trace



COLOR

Color the leaves and cut them out. Use them to decorate your table!



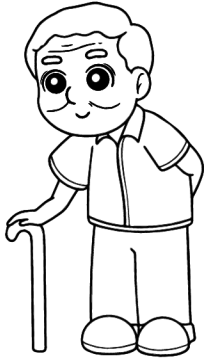
LIFE ACTIVITY



What Do They Want?

People want different things based on how old they are, where they live, and what time of year it is.

Match the items to the people to help them get what they want.



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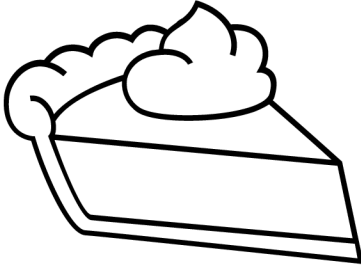
Thankful

Draw or write 4 things you are thankful for.

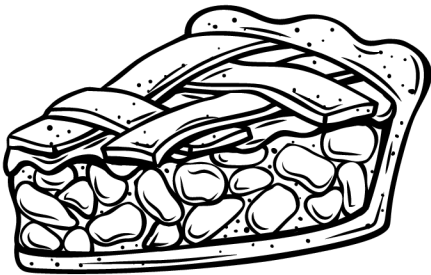
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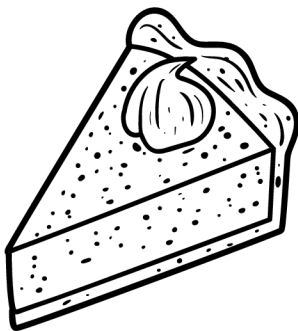
Add up the coins to pay for each slice of pie.



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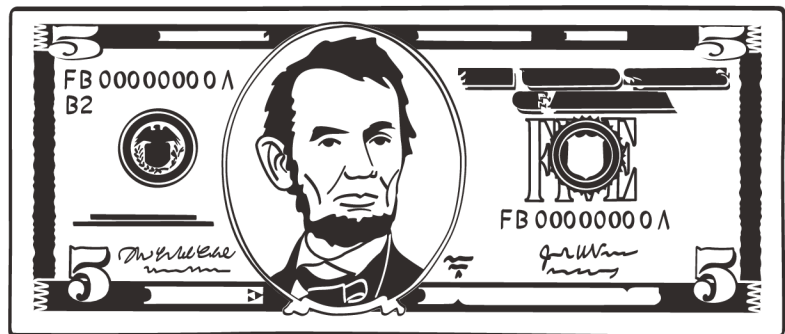
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CASH CORNER

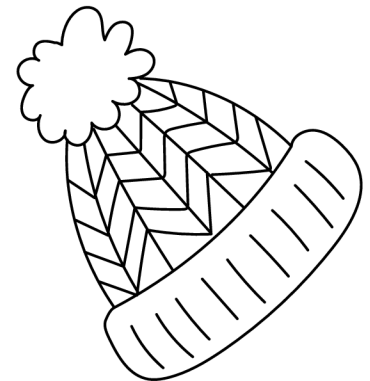
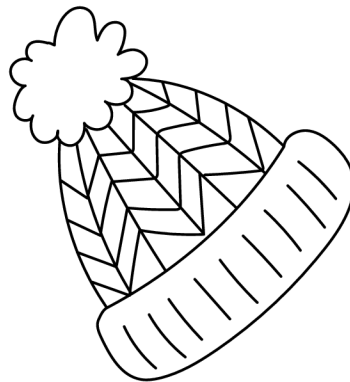
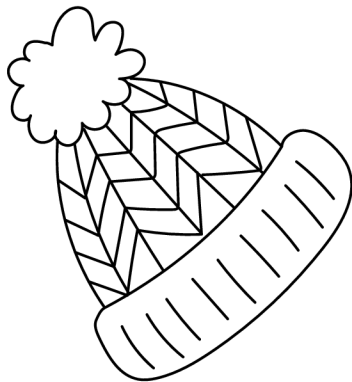
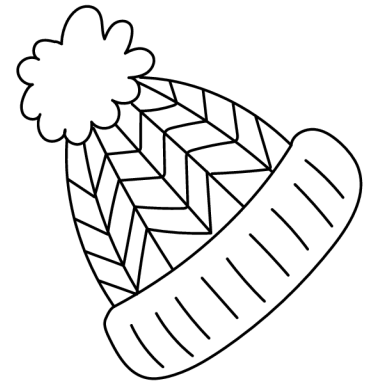
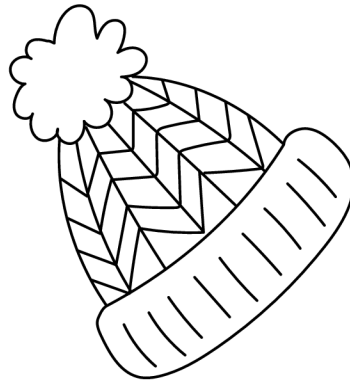
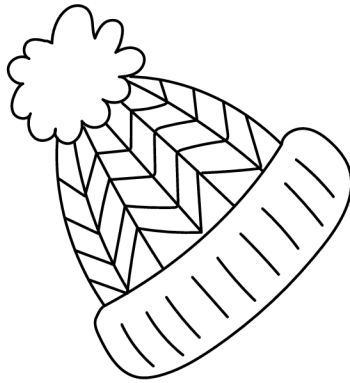
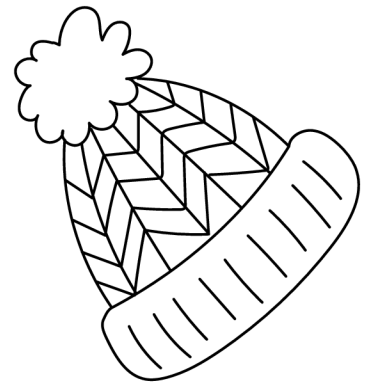
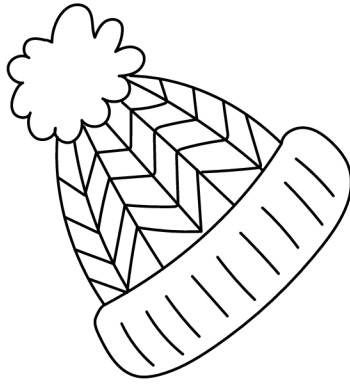
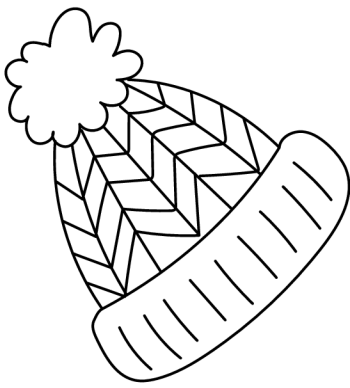
Color and cut the cash.
Use the cash on the next page for a pretend Pop-up Shop.



POP-UP SHOP

Start a Pop-up Shop. Color and cut out the items on this page and sell the items in your stand. Decide how much each item costs. Make more products by printing extra pages or designing your own. Give some money to your customer to spend. (Use the cash on the previous page.) Keep some money in an envelope or cash register to give back change.

WINTER HATS



BUSINESS STORY



Excerpt from "Maria Martinez Turns Art Into Income"



"Are you ready to do my face makeup?" asked Rosa after lunch.

I was doing all of our calavera face painting for tonight's event. Rosa wanted the regular skull makeup tonight. I would create a simpler butterfly theme over her eyes for her Quinceañera next Saturday.

"Sit down on that stool by the mirror," I said as I grabbed my white base paint. I used my special face paint brush and covered her whole face, from her forehead to both cheeks and down to her chin, with white face paint.



As I filled in big black circles around her eyes, I asked, "What colors do you want for the decorations on your face?"

"I'm wearing my purple, blue, and yellow flower crown," she said. "Let's stick with those colors."

I used the bright purple paint to create flower petals around her eyes. Then I made a yellow flower in the center of her forehead, surrounded by blue and purple petals.

I drew a black skeleton mouth on her lips and extended it on both sides toward her cheeks, then filled in her chin with blue, yellow, and purple flowers. I worked quickly but carefully, and in less than twenty minutes, she was heading to her room to put on her purple and yellow dress.

My mom sat down next, and by the time we were heading for the car, my entire family, including my dad and me, had completely transformed into skeletons ready to dance and celebrate.



Calavera skull makeup is face paint people wear on Day of the Dead. It looks like a colorful skull with flowers and designs to celebrate and remember loved ones.

BUSINESS EXERCISE



Color

Day of the Dead is a happy holiday where families remember loved ones who have died. People celebrate with flowers, food, music, and colorful decorations.

*Color this calavera skull with bright colors.
Add flowers, hearts, or other designs to make it your own!*

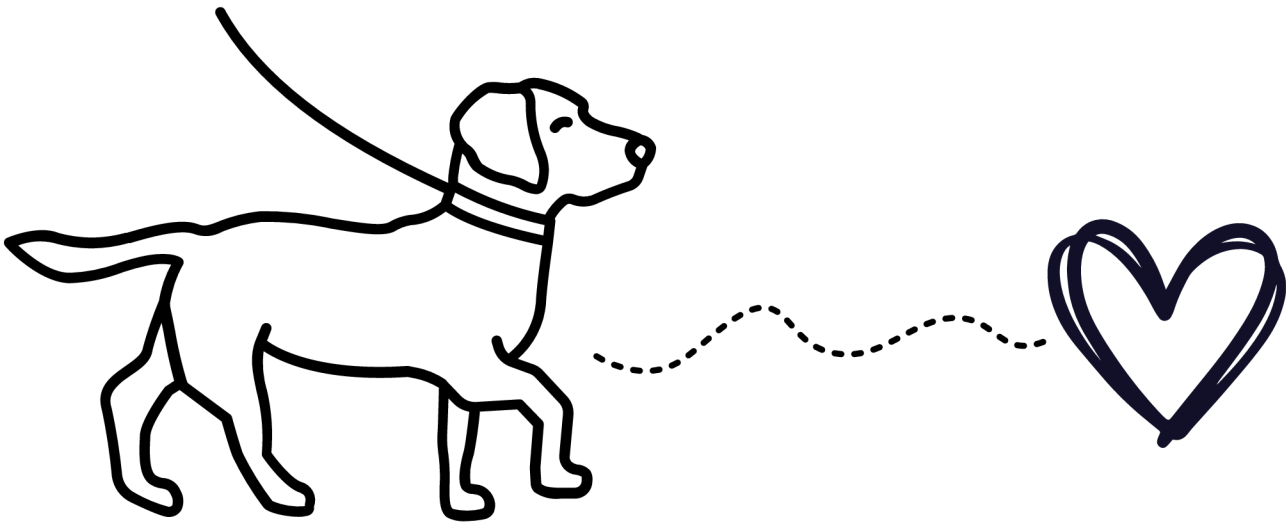
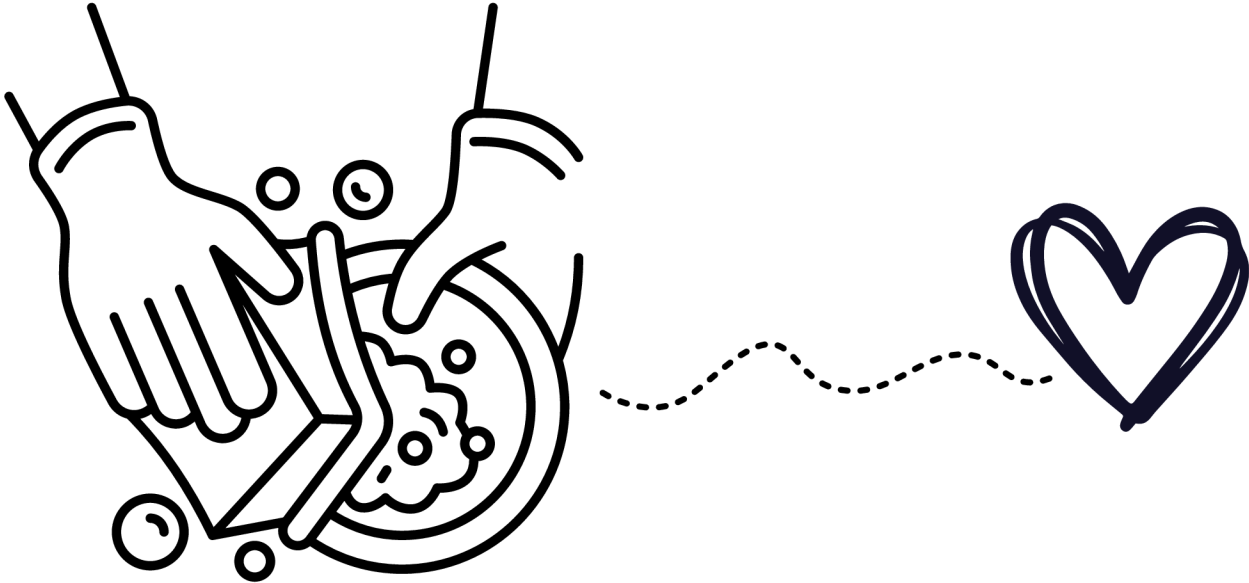


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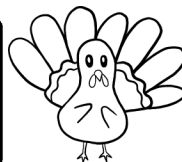
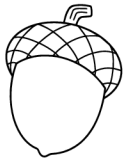
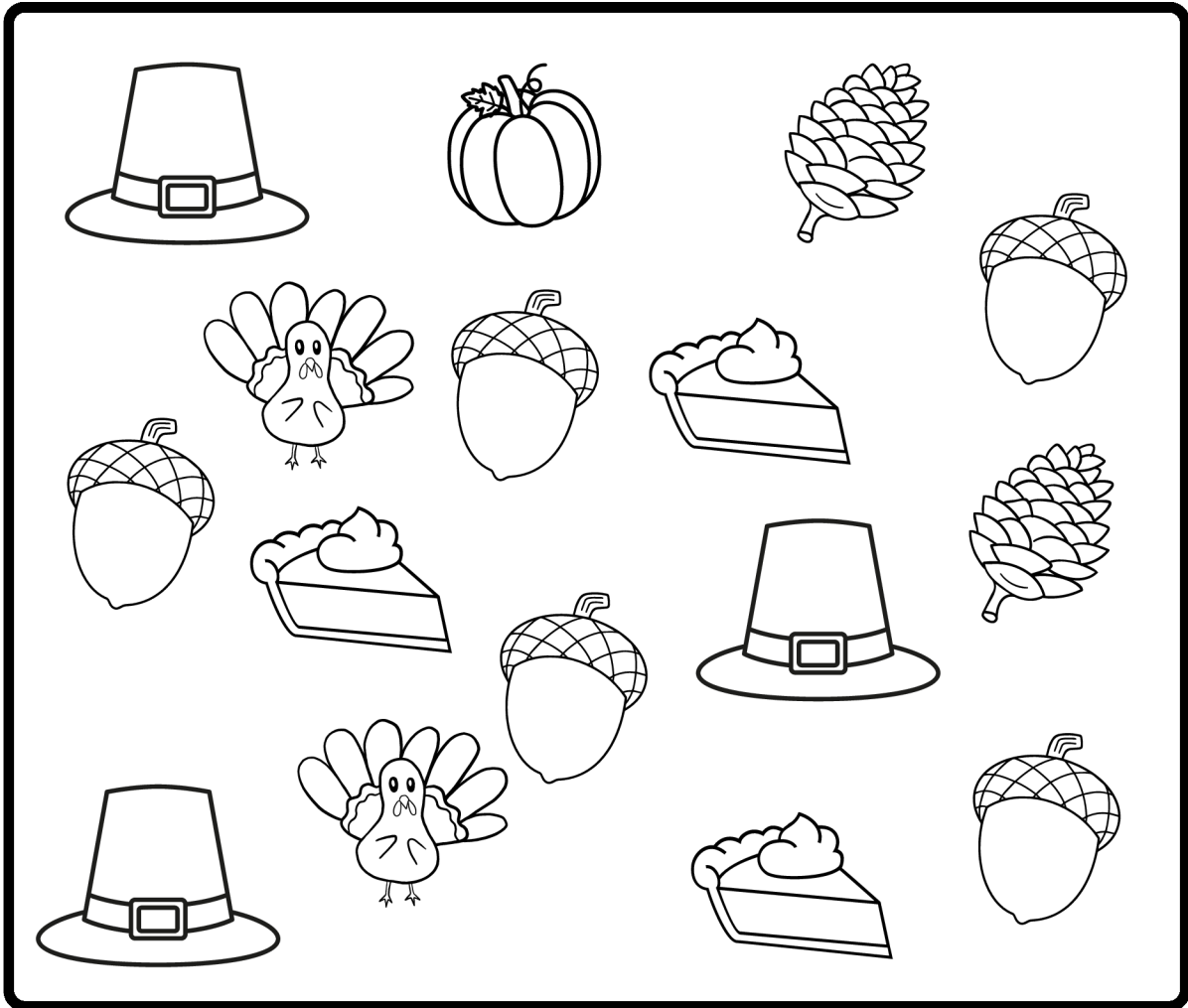
Promises

Maria promised to help her mom wash the dishes and walk the dog. Color in each chore then draw a line to the heart when the promise is complete.



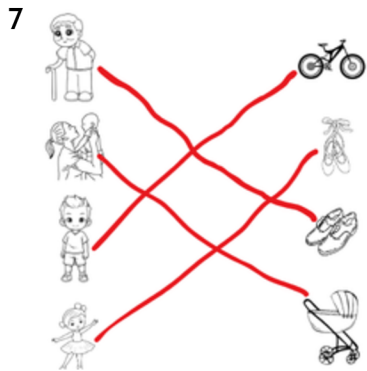
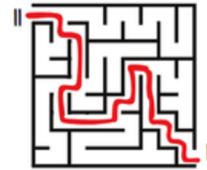
COUNTING GAME

Count the Thanksgiving items and fill in the boxes below.

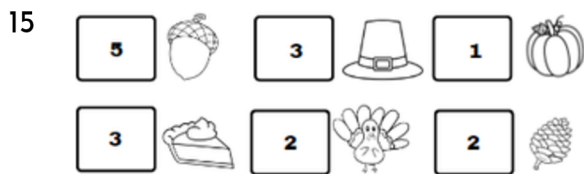


INSTRUCTIONAL INFORMATION & ANSWER PAGE

- 3 Read this page with your kid and discuss it.
- 4 3, 5, 4, 6
- 5 Kids practice writing and working with the number eleven.
- 6 Kids color the picture.



- 7 8 Kids draw or write four things they are thankful for.
- 9 50¢, 40¢, 75¢
- 10 Kids color and cut the cash to use on page 11.
- 11 Kids color and cut-out items for a pretend pop-up shop. They give the play cash from page 10 to friends or family members to buy items. They keep some cash to use as change.
- 12 Kids read the business story independently or with an adult.
- 13 Kids color the calavera skull.
- 14 Kids color the chores & heart, then draw a line between the two.



The Financial Literacy Standards in this packet include:

(1) The WA State Financial Education Standards for Kindergarten:

- Financial Decision Making (KFD) 3,4,5

(2) NFEC (PK)

- Financial Psychology Standards: Identify the difference between needs and wants and explain that both needs and wants cost money. Model numbers from 1-10, using dollar bills. Big idea: Different people want different things.

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