

Does It Start with /f/ ?

Sorting Cards

Objective: Phonemic Awareness

Students determine which items begin with the /f/ sound

Materials:

Picture cards (pages 2-3)

Optional hand-held mirror

Prep:

Print the cards on thick paper or card stock.

Cut the cards on the dotted lines.

Directions:

Students begin by naming each picture, focusing on the initial sound.

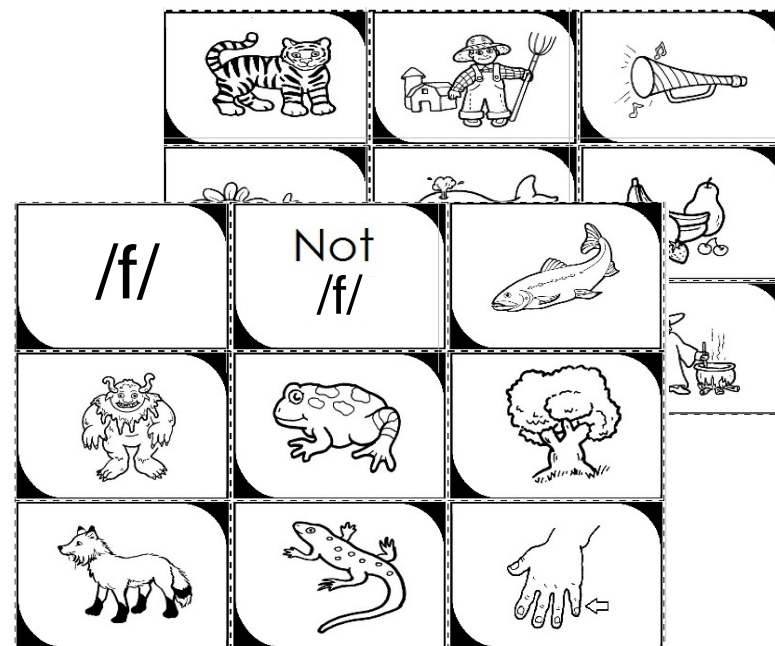
Review the /f/ sound.

Students sort picture cards into two groups: Words where they hear the /f/ sound in the initial position and words where they do not here the /f/ sound in the initial position. For this activity, focus on the sound, not the letter name!

/f/ sound: fish, frog, fox, finger, farmer, flower, fruit, five

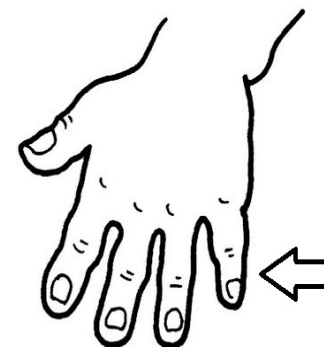
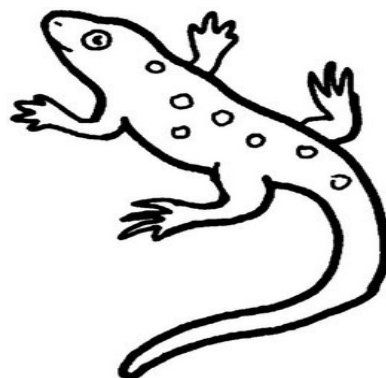
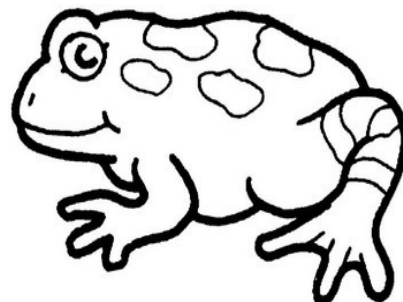
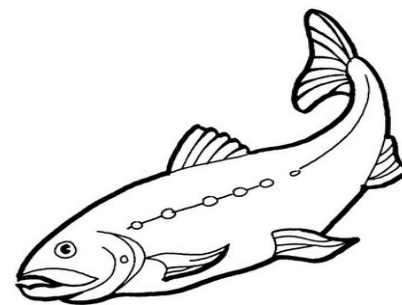
Not /f/ sound: monster, tree, lizard, tiger, horn, whale, three, witch

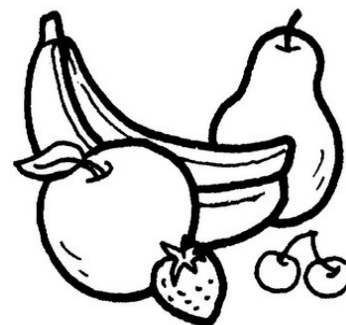
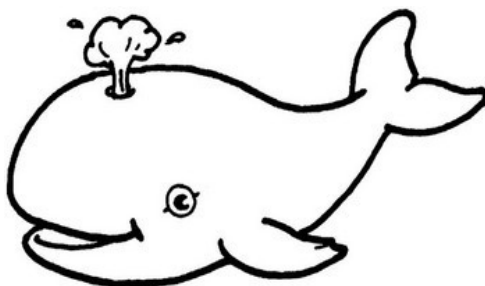
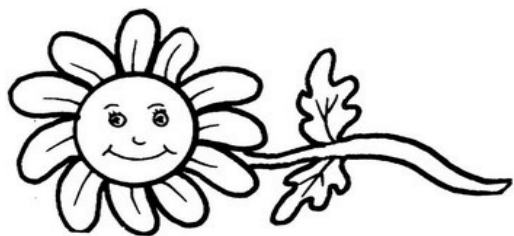
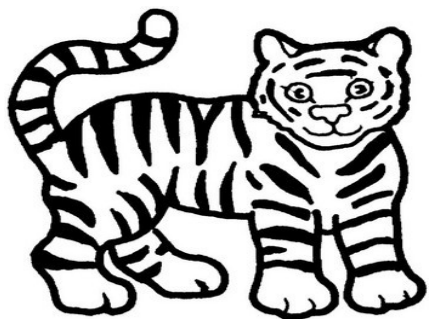
If student is having difficulty hearing the /f/ sound, use a mirror to help student see mouth movements!



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