

Alphabet Cartoon Characters

Letter Memorizing Sheets

Research from the National Institutes of Health recently stated that one of the best predictors of future reading ability was having the names of the alphabet letters memorized. This should be no surprise. If the name of the letter is memorized by the child, then memorization of the sound is right around the corner. In fact, the sound made by most of the letter names can be heard when you say the letter name. This could be either at the beginning of the letter name (b – d – j – k – p – t – v – z) or heard at the end of the letter name (f – l – m – n – r – s – x). This is one reason why it makes sense to learn the letter names before learning the letter sound or at least at the same time.

Memorization of any new material is accelerated greatly if the information being given is viewed by a child as either “fun” – “humorous” – or “unique.”

HOW TO USE THE ALPHABET LETTER SHEETS

There are several ways you can use these letter sheets.

- 1) Place all the letters on a wall in the classroom or (for home school moms) on the wall in the child’s bedroom or “learning room.” If your classroom already has one wall devoted to the standard plain black text alphabet letters, then you can either use another wall for our character letters or use the procedure below.
- 2) If you like to place extra emphasis on one alphabet letter per week (which I like to do in public school kindergarten), then print out 3-4 or 5 copies of the letter sheet and place them in strategic locations around the class and school (i.e. even the kindergarten lunchroom area).

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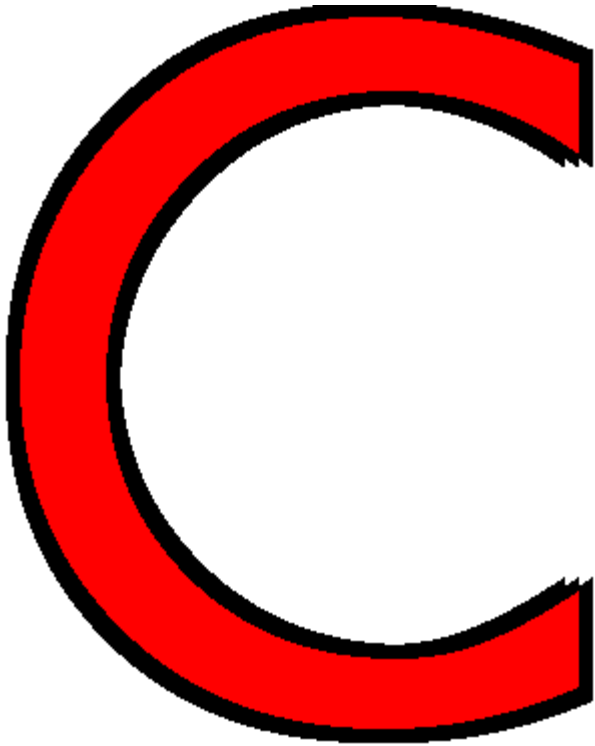
Flat Hat

B

b



Baseball Bee



Cool Cat

D

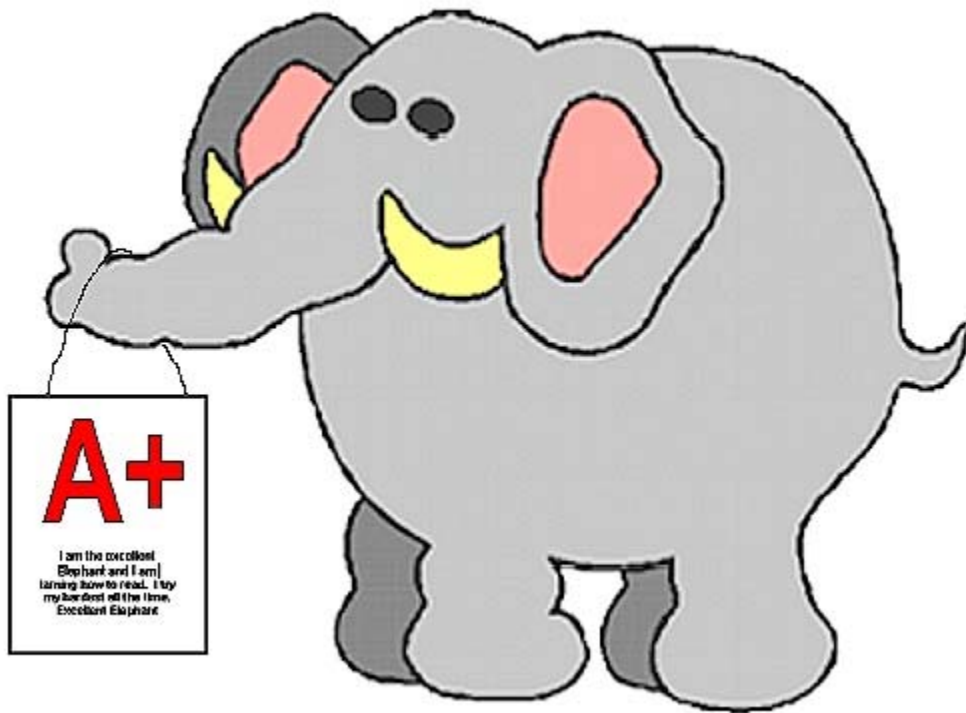
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Dancing Dinosaur

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Excellent Elephant

F

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Friendly Fish

G

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Gorilla Girl

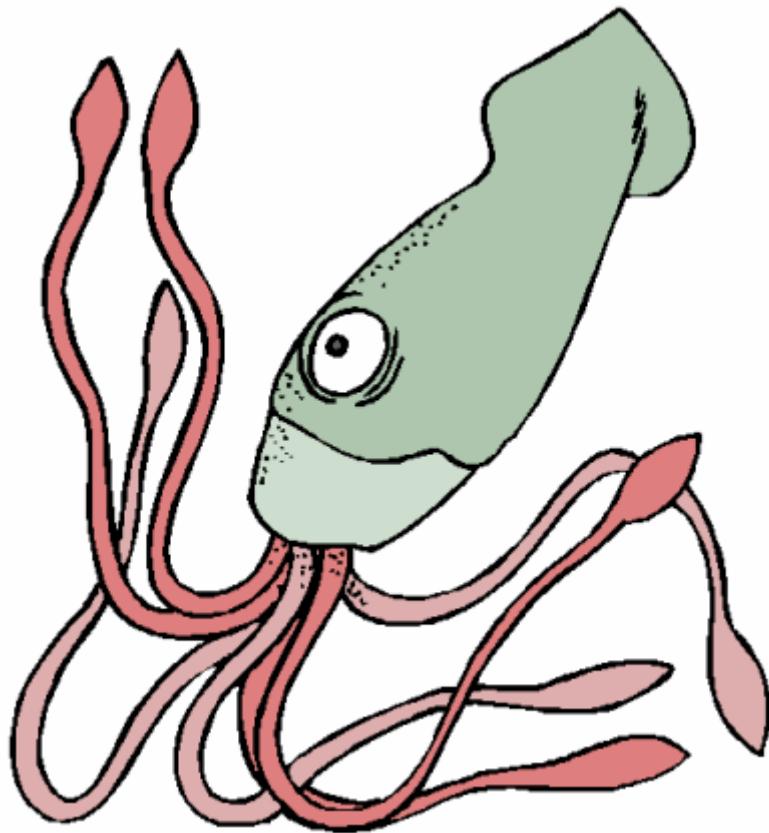
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Hairy Horse

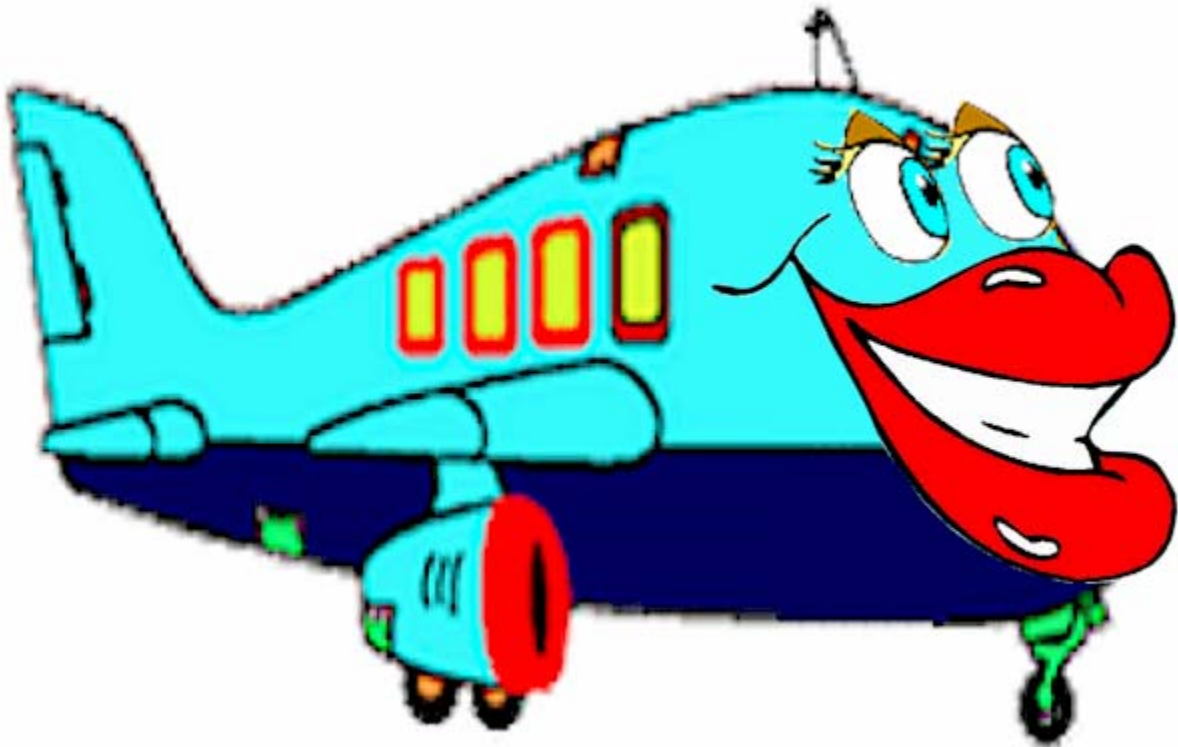
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Sid Squid

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Jolly Jet

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Kind Kangaroos

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Lazy Lion

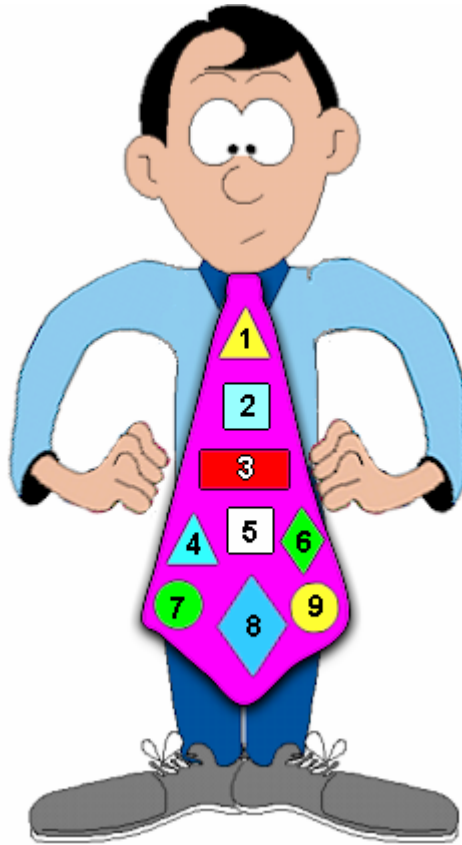
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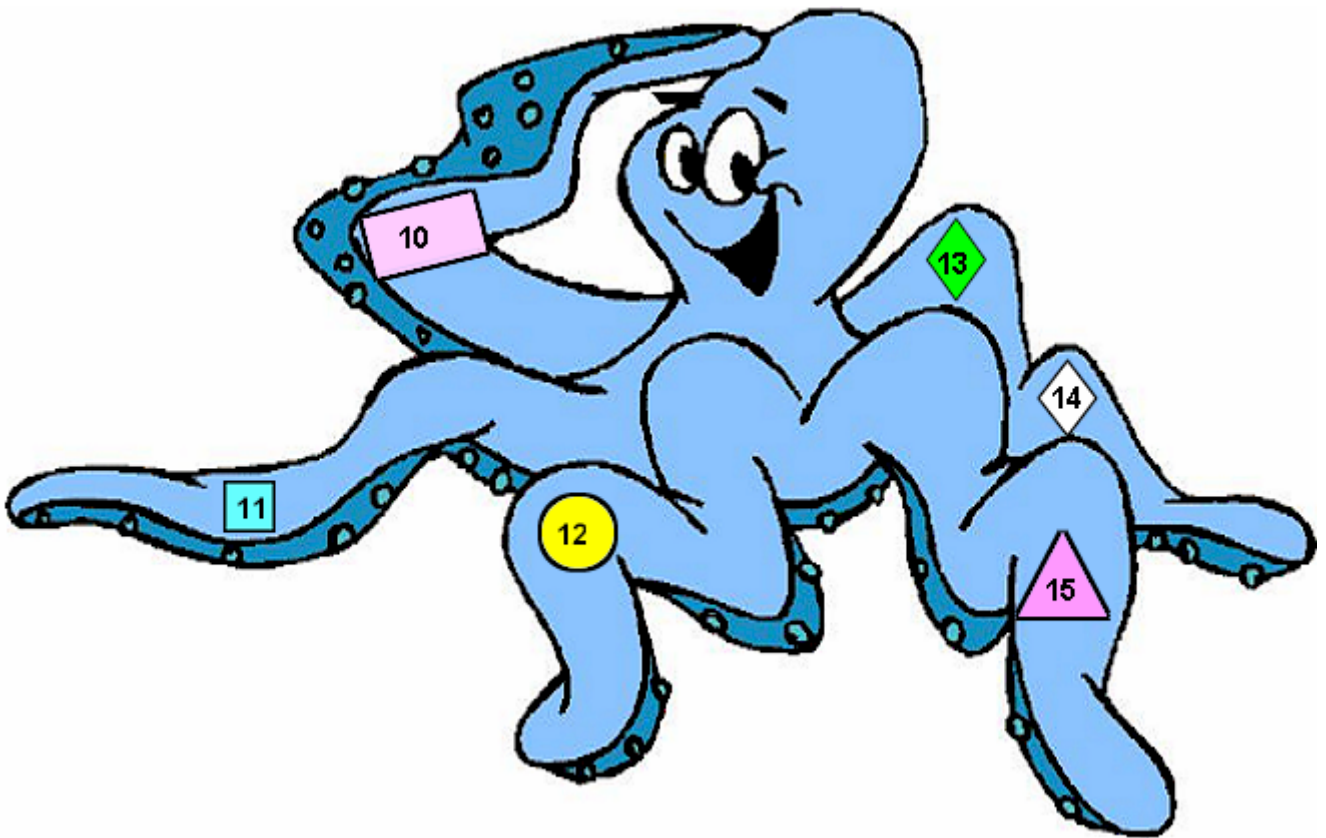
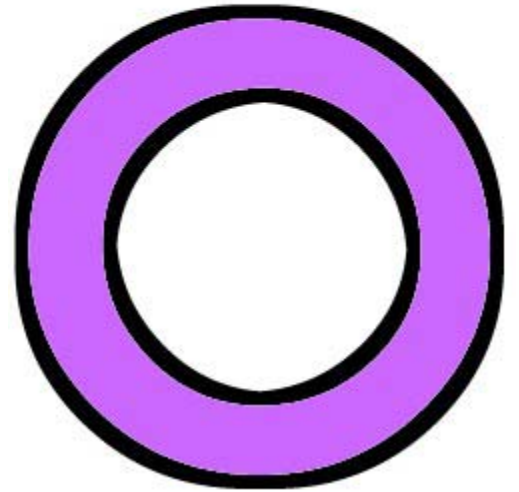
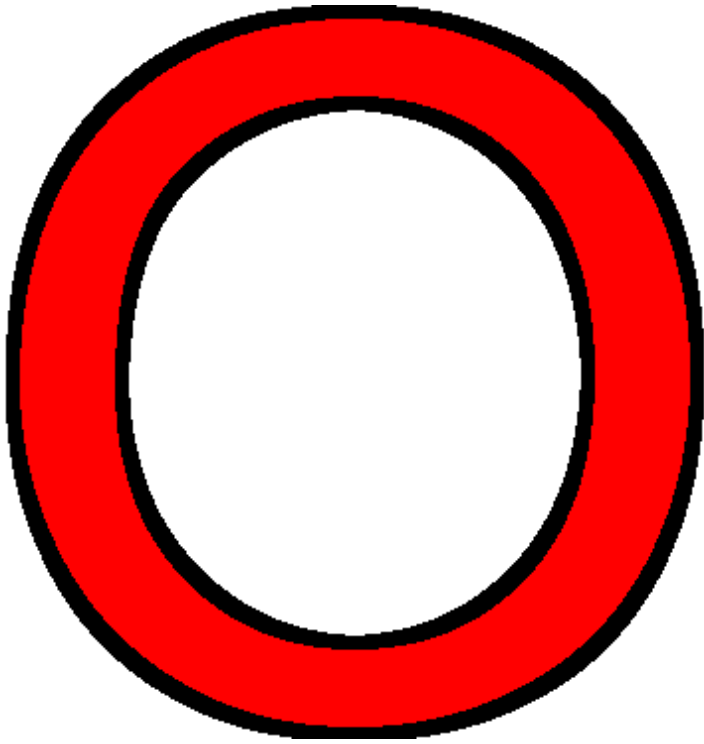
Magic Monster

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Necktie Ned



Odd Octopus

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Purple Parrot

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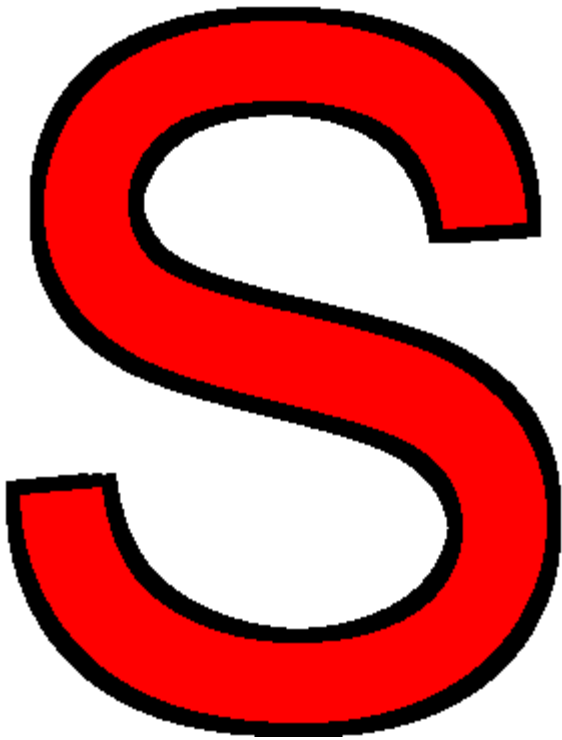
Quiet Queen

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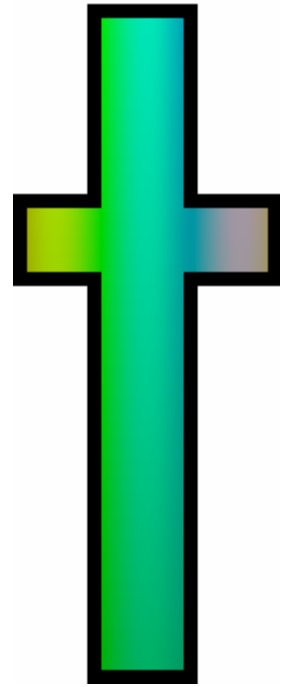
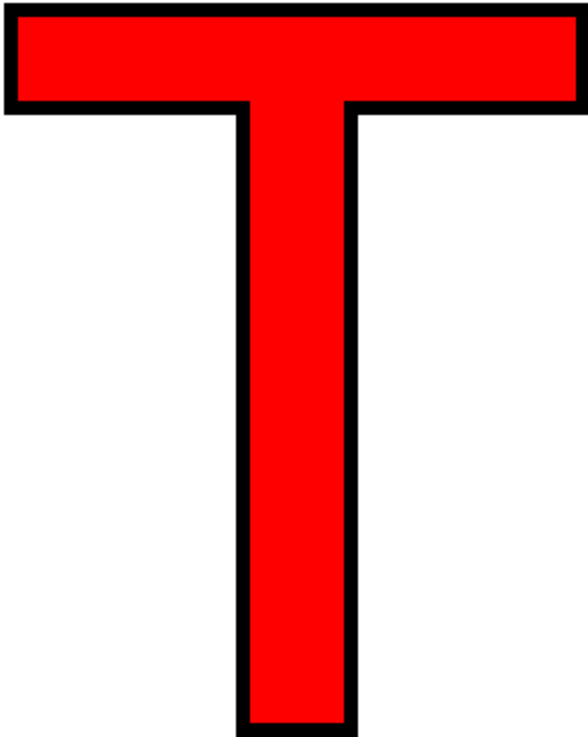
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Racing Rabbit



Super School



Tattle Tale Turtle

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Umbrella Fella

V

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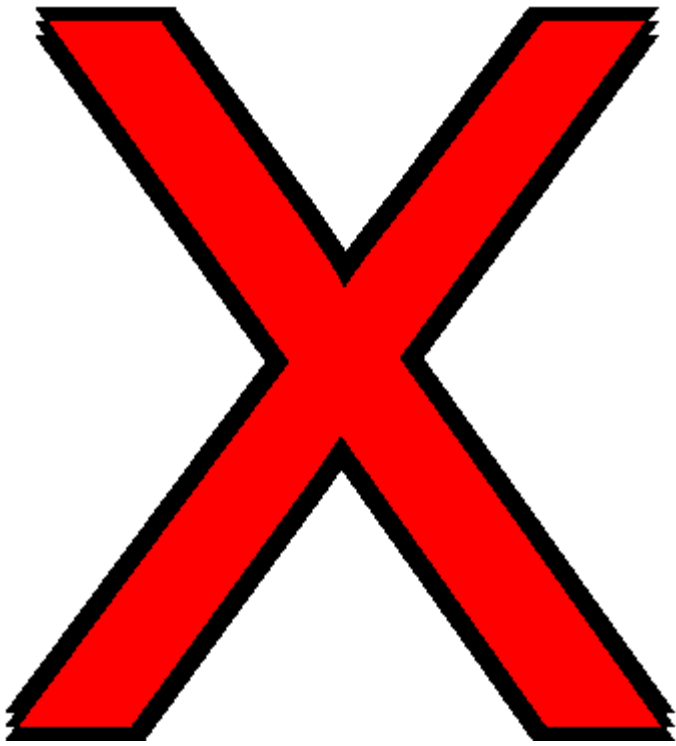


Violin Vegees

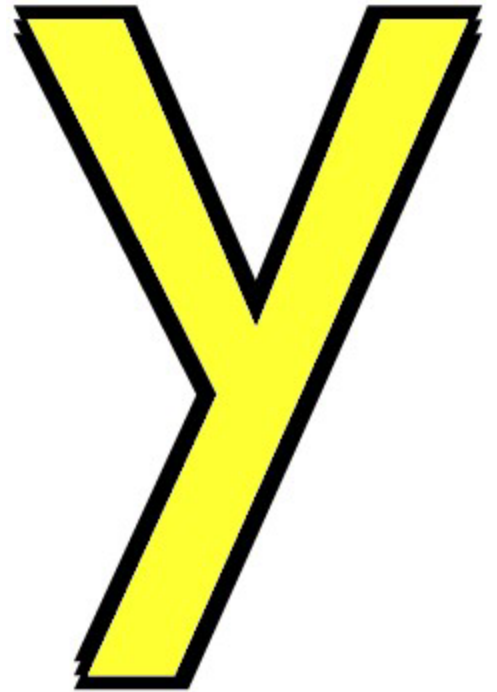
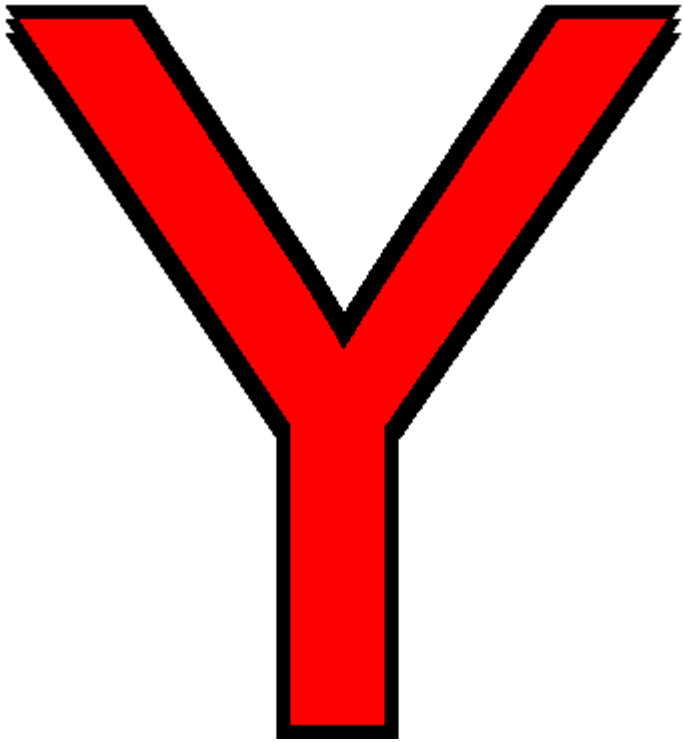
W W w w



Worm Wagon



Fox Box



Yelling Yo-Yo

Z

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Zebra Zoo