

gr Blend Activities



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gr Blends List

grab

grace

graceful

gracious

grade

gradual

graduate

grain

gram

grammar

grand

granite

grant

grape

graph

grasp

grass

grate

grateful

gravity

gravy

gray

grease

great

greed

green

greet

grief

grill

grow*

ground

group

grouchy

That's the Way the Flowers Grow

(Tune: Polly Wolly Doodle)
Permission from Lucy Jensen

Oh, you take some little seeds,
and you take a little soil,
and you pat them all together in a row.

Then you take a little sun,
and you take a little rain,
and that's the way the flower **grow**.

Chorus:

Don't you know? Don't you know?

That's the way the flowers **grow**!

Pushin' up and reachin' out
with leaves and petals all about!

That's the way the flowers **grow**!

Oh, you clap your little hands,
and you sing this little song,
and you smile at them with eyes aglow,

and you give a little cheer
when you see each bud appear

'cause that's the way the flowers grow! (Chorus)

Springtime Sings

(Tune: Polly Wolly Doodle)

Cherry Carl

The world is **green** as **green** can be,
or so it seems to be to me!

I hear and smell the springtime **grow**,
and see it in each new rainbow.

Bumblebees hum to butterflies,
while **grasshoppers** jump to the skies.

The bluebirds build their nests above
and lay their eggs with Mother's love.

Anthills rise above the **ground**
and ladybugs fly around.

The sunshine turns to skies of **gray**
as a rainstorm comes our way.

Splash in the puddles left all around
and listen to the springtime sound!

The birds and the bees and the flowers and the trees
sing along with the springtime breeze!

Zippity Color

(Tune: Zip a Dee Doo Dah)

Cherry Carl

Artwork:

Zippity color! Zippity **green!**

You're the loveliest that I've ever seen!

You color the grass and the trees on my street,

You paint all the veggies that I get to eat!

I can eat a **green** dill pickle.

I'll eat **green** peas that tickle!

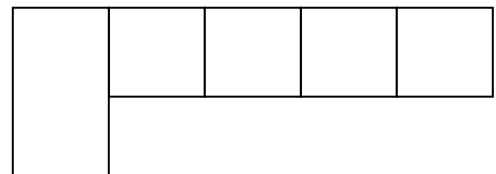
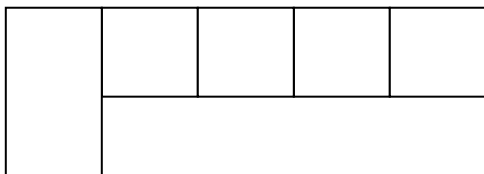
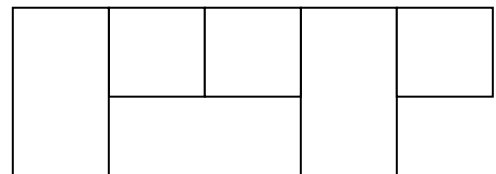
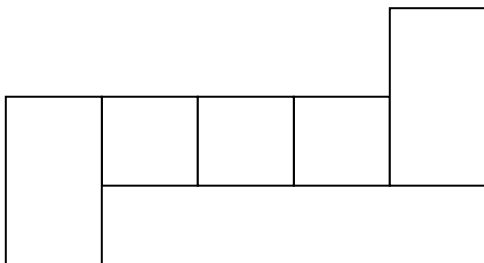
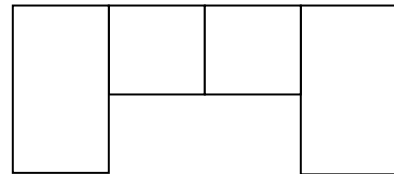
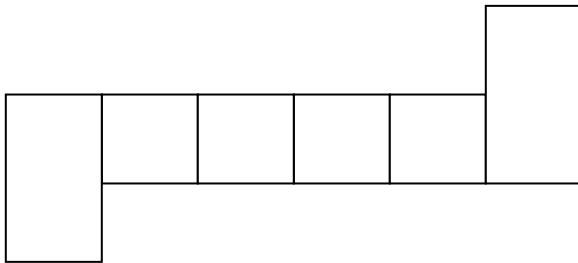
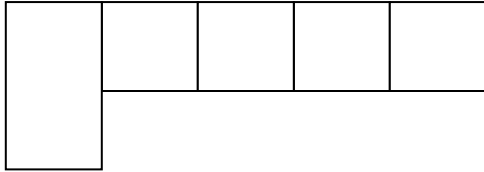
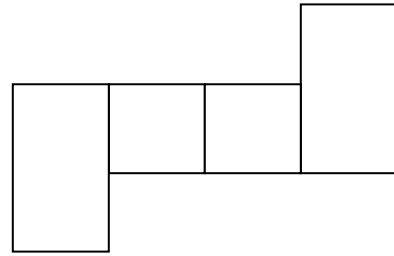
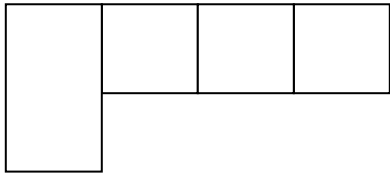
I don't even need a nickel!

Zippity color! Zippity **green!**

Wonderful color! Wonderful **green!**



Configuration Station: gr



Word Bank

grab

green

grace

groom

gray

great

grape

grouch

grin

grow





gr: Cloze the Gap!

Use words from the gr blends list to fill in the blanks and make sense. Reread your sentences to double check your choices!

1. My _____ and grandpa are coming for a visit.
2. Will you _____ the cheese for the pizza?
3. We made a bar _____ in our math class today.
4. Do you like _____ on your mashed potatoes?
5. What _____ did you get on the spelling test?
6. My favorite color is lime _____.
7. Dad is _____ if he doesn't get enough sleep!
8. Mom says that fast food is too _____ to eat.
9. The _____ bear is a dangerous animal!
10. Grandpa likes to _____ steaks on the barbecue.
11. Mrs. Carl has a _____ of avocado trees.
12. Did you hear the _____ make a chirping sound?

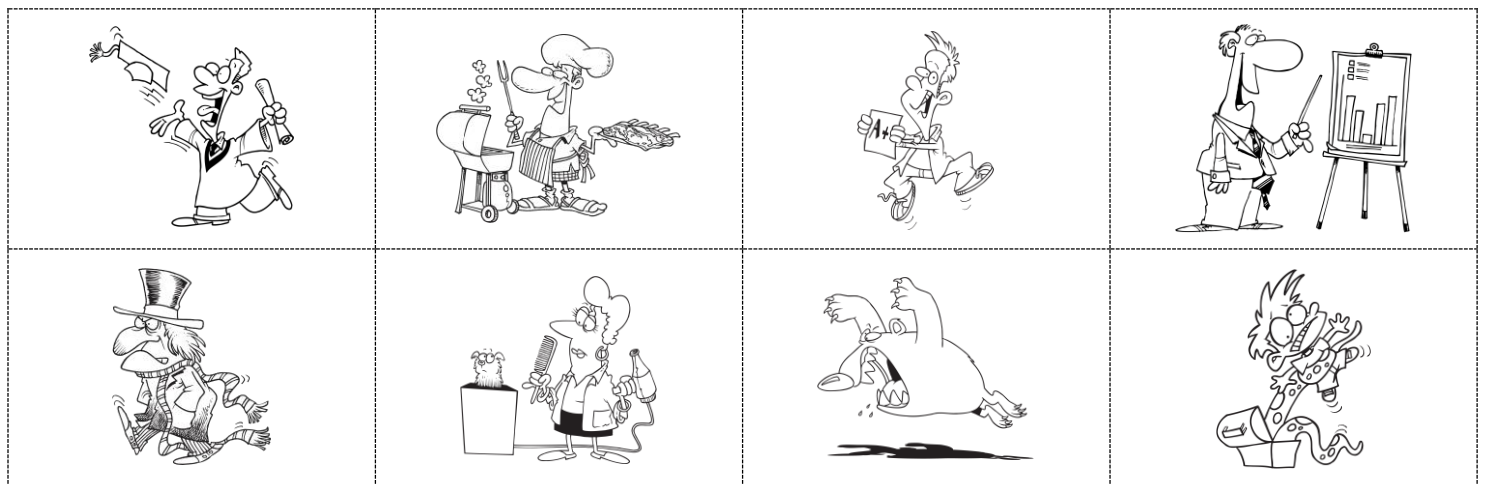
Word Bank

grate grizzly grove gravy greasy grasshopper
grill grumpy green grade graph grandma

Cut and Paste: gr



grade		grad	
grouch		groomer	
grill		grizzly	
graph		grab	



Score With Scrabble!

SCORE

G ₂	R ₁	E ₁	E ₁	N ₁		
G ₂	R ₁	O ₁	U ₁	P ₃		
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	V ₄	Y ₄		
G ₂	R ₁	O ₁	U ₁	N ₁	D ₂	
G ₂	R ₁	E ₁	A ₁	S ₁	Y ₄	
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	P ₃	E ₁		
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	D ₂	E ₁		
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	P ₃	H ₄		
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	S ₁	S ₁		
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	N ₁	D ₂		
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁		
G ₂	R ₁	O ₁	W ₄			



Order in the Court!

Place the words below in alphabetical order.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

9. _____

10. _____

11. _____

12. _____

grab

graph

greedy

grow

group

grade

grass

grape

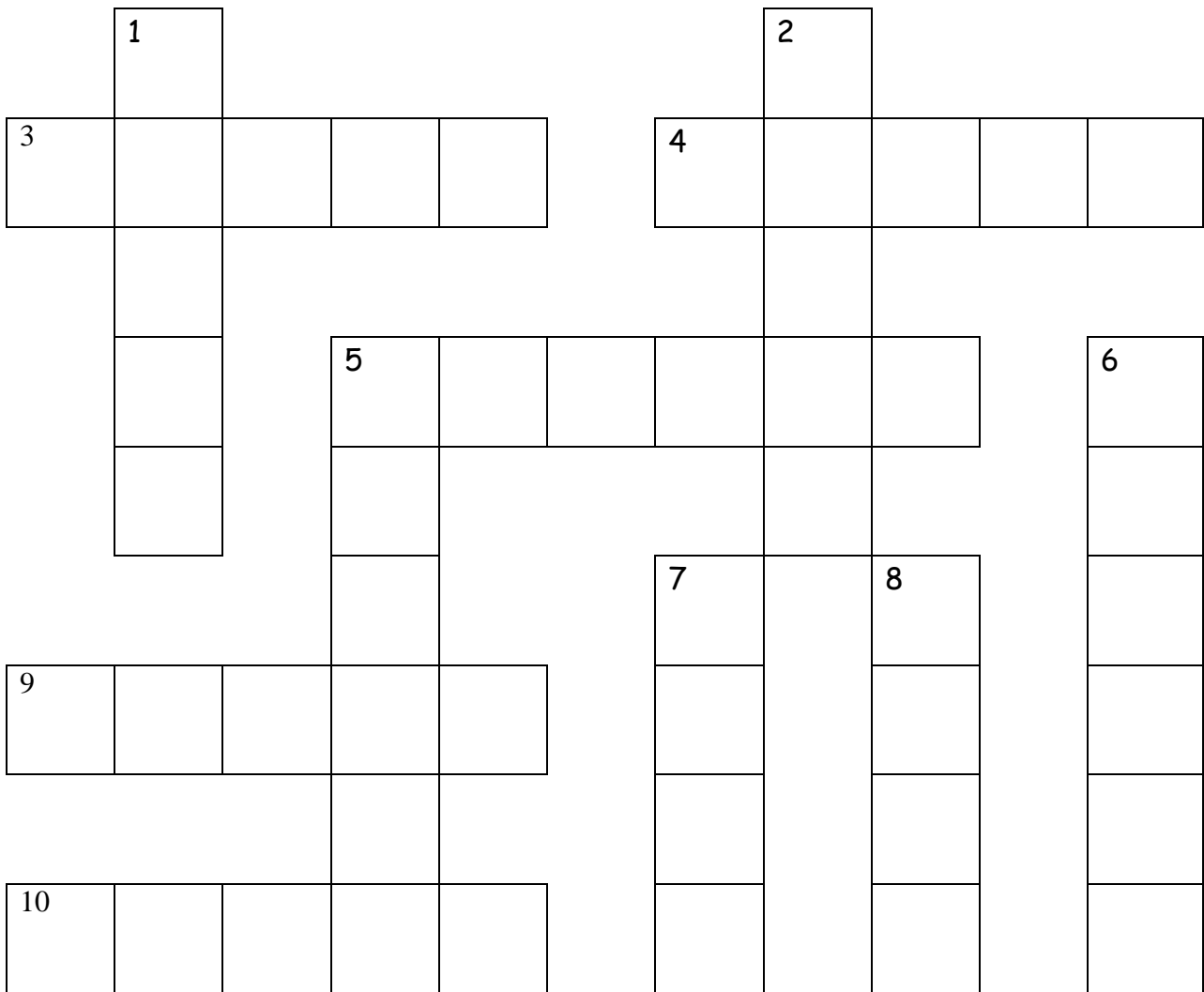
green

grill

gravy

grand

Crossword Puzzle: gr



Across

3. school test score
4. terrific or wonderful
5. earth; soil; land
9. small purple or green fruit
10. lawn; meadow; pasture

Down

1. meat sauce for potatoes
2. a collection of things or people
5. charts; diagrams
6. grump; complainer
7. take hold of; snatch
8. colorless

Word Bank

green great grade ground grass grab
 grouch group graph gray grape gravy

Word Search: gr



g	r	e	e	n	g	g	r	u	b
r	c	f	g	z	r	k	q	j	c
e	z	g	r	o	a	n	g	c	f
a	g	r	a	v	y	c	r	k	z
s	f	o	d	c	g	r	a	n	d
e	z	o	e	g	r	a	p	h	c
k	g	m	c	z	f	j	e	b	q
g	r	i	l	l	k	c	b	z	f
f	i	k	c	z	g	r	o	w	j
c	n	j	f	g	r	o	u	n	d

green
gravy
grill

graph
groan
grade

groom
grand
ground

grease
gray
grow

grape
grin

gr Word Slide

gr



gr Blends Word Slide
(Sound Blending)

Print on vellum, cut, and laminate for durability. Cut the top and bottom slits to the right of the blend for the slide. Model proper use for students: blending to form and say new words.

ate

eat

eet

aze

oom



ill

ad

ow

een

ain



ade

ape

oup



grouch



grade



grab



graph



grad



grow



greedy



gravity



grand



group



group



greet



groom



groom



groceries



grave



grace



grace



Gram



Gran



gray



great



grew



grill



grime



grin



ground



grip



grizzly



gr Words and Pictures for Sorts

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grouch

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grade

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grab

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

graph

gr Words and Pictures for Sorts

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grad

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grow

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

greedy

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

gravity

gr Words and Pictures for Sorts

gr Words and Pictures



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Gram

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Gran

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gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

gray

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

great

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grew

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grill

gr Words and Pictures for Sorts

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grime

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grin

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

ground

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grip

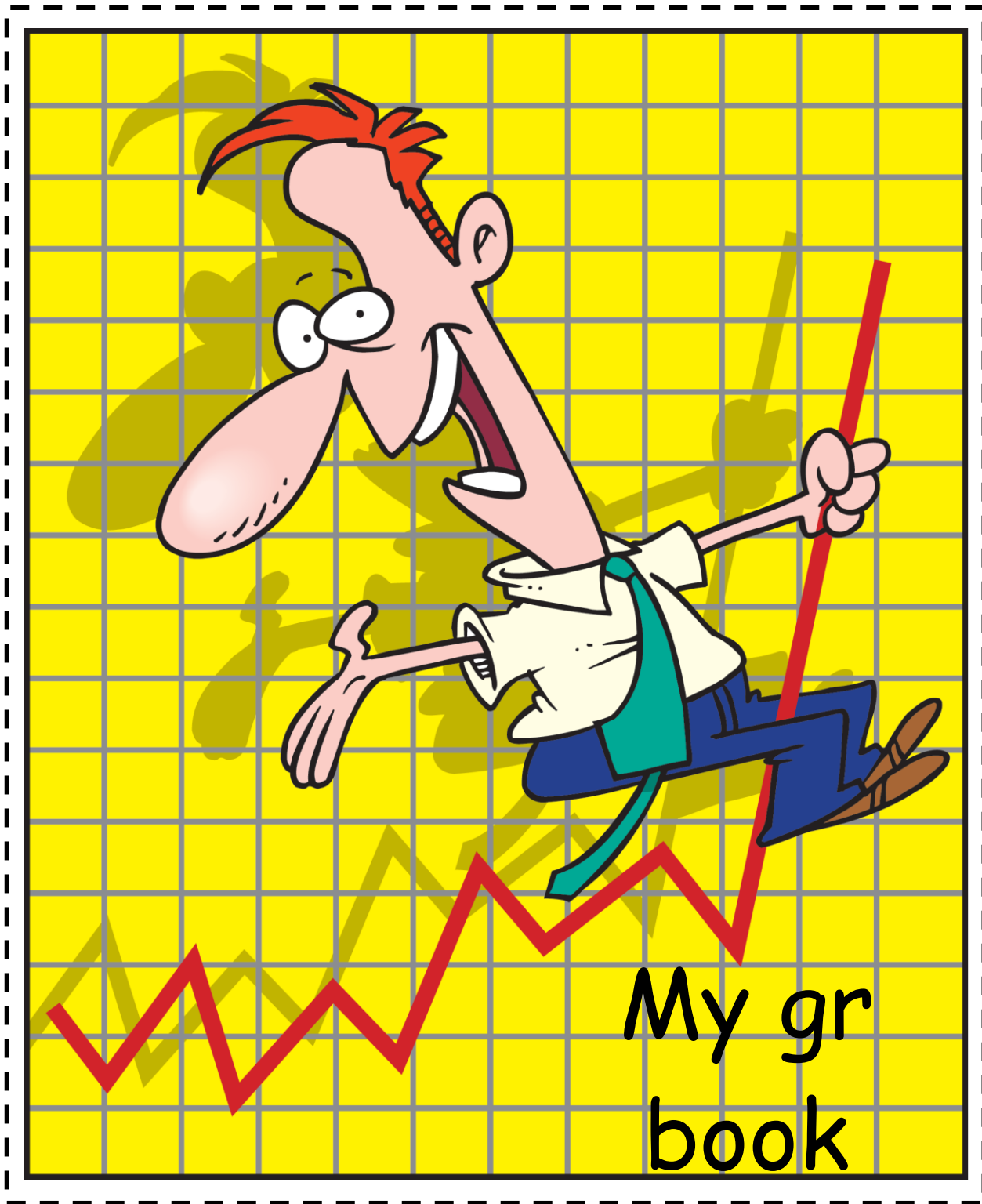
gr Words and Pictures for Sorts

gr Words and Pictures



gr Words and Pictures

grizzly



Directions: Duplicate one *graph* shape book for each child in the group. Staple several sheets of white bond behind the shape, Staple on the left. Allow children time to draw pictures of things that begin like *graph*. Children may dictate picture labels to the teacher/aide or make attempts to write their own. The teacher can write the correctly spelled under the child's invented spelling. Add the completed book to each child's collection of familiar reading.



My gr Book



My gr Book

gr Stationery



grab, grade, graduate, grain, grand, grape, graph, grass,
grate, gray, great, green, grin, ground, group, grow

Write sentences or a story with *gr* words of your choice.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of solid top and bottom lines with a dashed middle line. There are seven sets of these lines provided for writing.