

Cuddly Cats

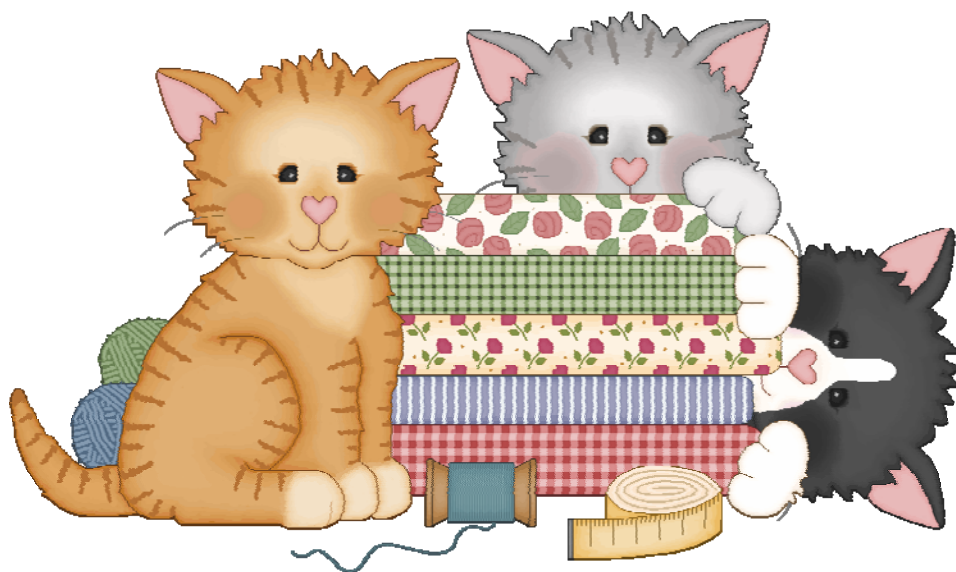


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Cat Words

cat

kitten

lick

purr

ears

tail

fur

meow

yarn

tongue

treats

groom

play

sleep

paw

litter box

vet

whiskers

pounce

mouse

catnip



Books to Purr About!

Brown, Margaret Wise. *Sneakers, the Seaside Cat*

Carle, Eric. *Have You Seen My Cat?*

Gag, Wanda. *Millions of Cats*

Keats, Ezra Jack. *Hi, Cat!*

Kerr, Judith. *Mog the Forgetful Cat (Series)*

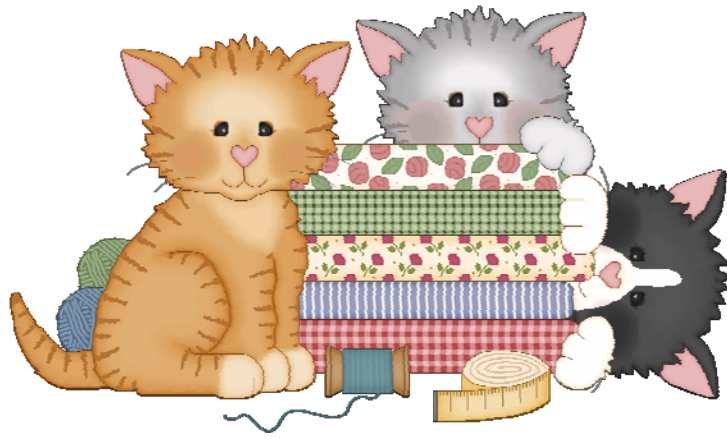
Le Guin, Ursula. *Cat Dreams*

Geisel, Theodore (Dr. Seuss). *The Cat in the Hat*

Pinkney, Jerry. *Three Little Kittens*

Wood, Audrey. *Scaredy Cats*

Yolen, Jane and Teague, Mark. *How Do Dinosaurs Love Their Cats?*



Purr-fect Poems and Songs!

Barn Cat?

Kittens Keep Out!

Moo?

My Cat Naps!

Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat

The Best Cat

The Three Little Kittens



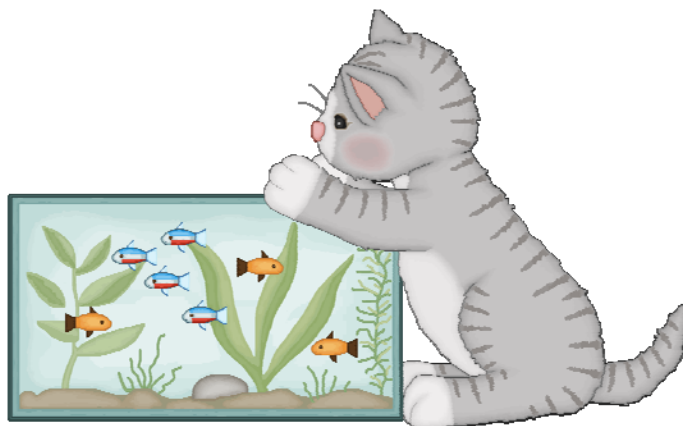




Just for you!



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Handwriting practice lines consisting of ten sets of three horizontal lines (top solid, middle dashed, bottom solid) for writing practice.



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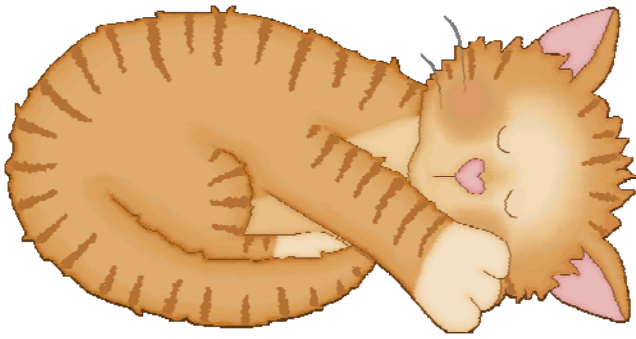


My Cat's Tale

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Purr-fect Dreams

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The Best Cat

(Tune: The Itsy Bitsy Spider)

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My kitten's not an angel.

He plays with Mama's yarn.

She says if he's not better

She'll put him in the barn.

He's learned to use the scratching post

And now my mama thinks that

He will be the best cat that we ever had!





The Three Little Kittens

The three little kittens,
They lost their mittens,
And they began to cry,
Oh, mother dear,
We sadly fear
Our mittens we have lost.
What! Lost your mittens,
You naughty kittens!
Then you shall have no pie.
Mee-ow, mee-ow, mee-ow, mee-ow.
You shall have no pie.

The three little kittens,
They found their mittens,
And they began to cry,
Oh, mother dear,
See here, see here,
Our mittens we have found.
What! Found your mittens,
You darling kittens!
Then you shall have some pie.
Mee-ow, mee-ow, mee-ow, mee-ow.
You shall have some pie.

Barn Cat?

(Tune: She'll Be Coming Around the Mountain)
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There are brand new kittens out on Grandpa's farm.

They are kind of cute and full of lots of charm.

They stay there with their mother

And they play tag with each other,

But she keeps them all away from any harm.

There are brand new kittens out behind the barn.

Will they play with Grandma's pretty ball of yarn?

They have to be much older.

Then they do become much bolder

And they'll play with Grandma's pretty ball of yarn.

Well, those brand new kittens are all black and white.

And they really are a very special sight!

When Grandma saw the litter,

We had to reconsider,

Because skunks have kittens that are black and white!

Moo?

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Cow says, "Moo,"

And Cat says, "Mew."

So what do I do to talk to you

When I cannot moo and mew?

Do you suppose that Cat and Cow

Already know exactly how

To talk to each other through the fence,

And sound like they are making sense?



Kittens Keep Out!

(Tune: My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean)

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My cat likes to look at my fish tank.

He sits there and looks all day long.

He put in his paw and the fish sank

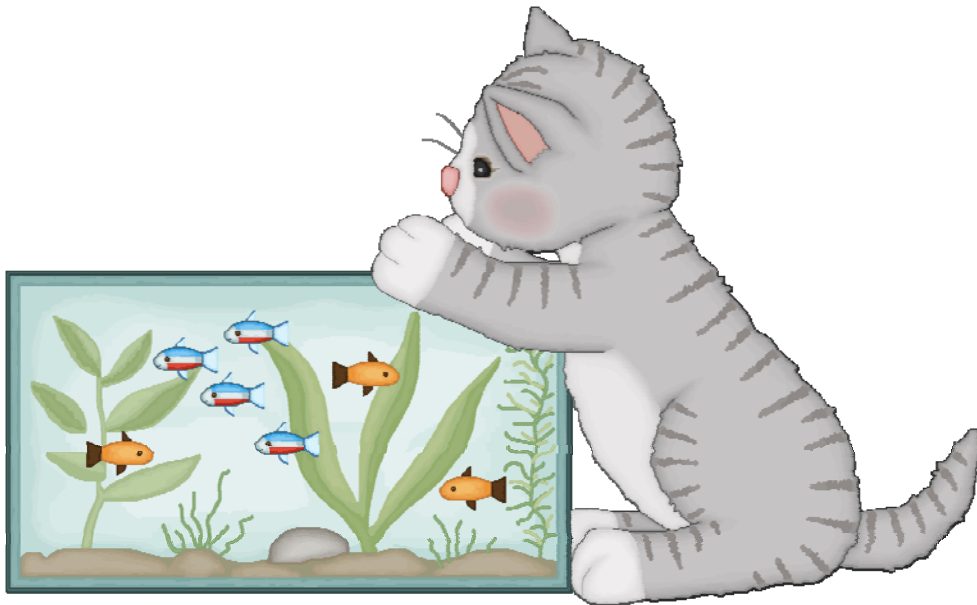
'Cause they know that he doesn't belong!

Keep out! Keep out!

Look for a few mice instead!

Keep out! Keep out!

I think that he'd better be fed!



My Cat Naps!

(Tune: Three Blind Mice)

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My cat naps

Curled up in laps.

He loves to sleep!

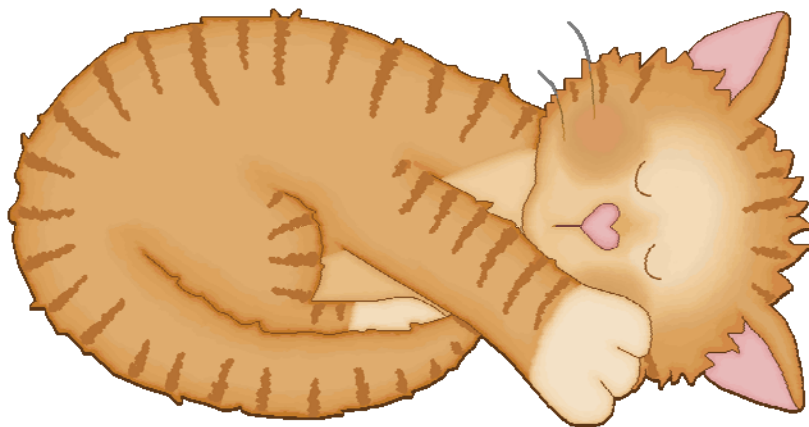
Don't make a peep!

He dreams about chasing a little mouse.

He runs and runs all around the house.

Will he ever tackle that silly mouse

When he's asleep?

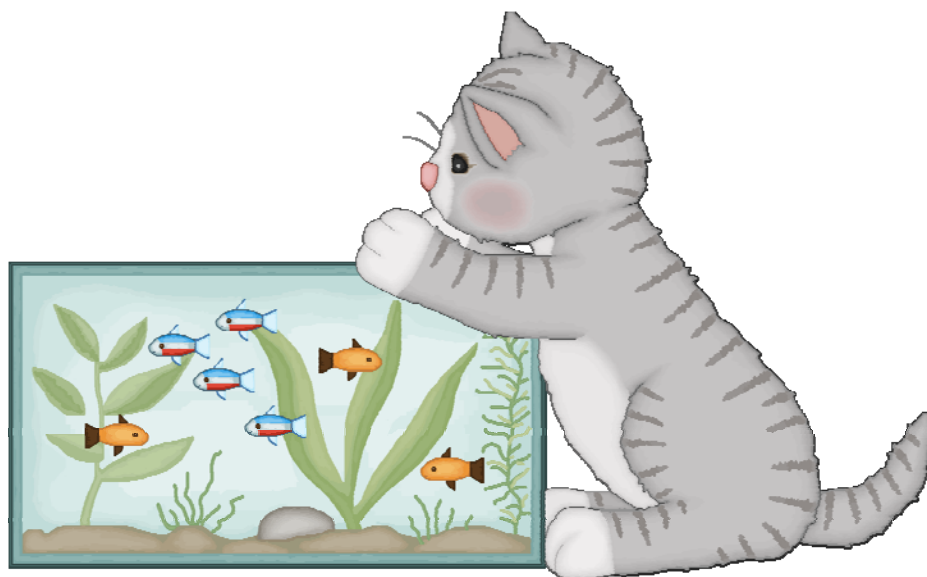
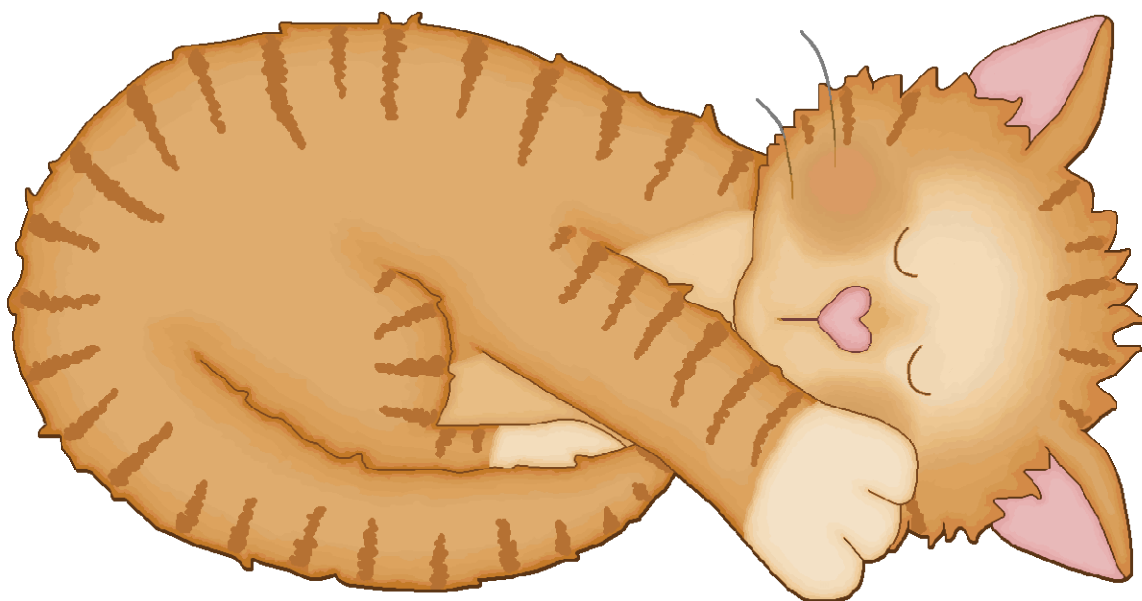


Shape Books



My Cat

Use the graphics to create cards or shape books. Reproduce for your children on card stock and place white bond behind for usable inside pages. Use a matching colored sheet of card stock for the back. Staple on the left side or top and cut out all of the sheets together to form a book.

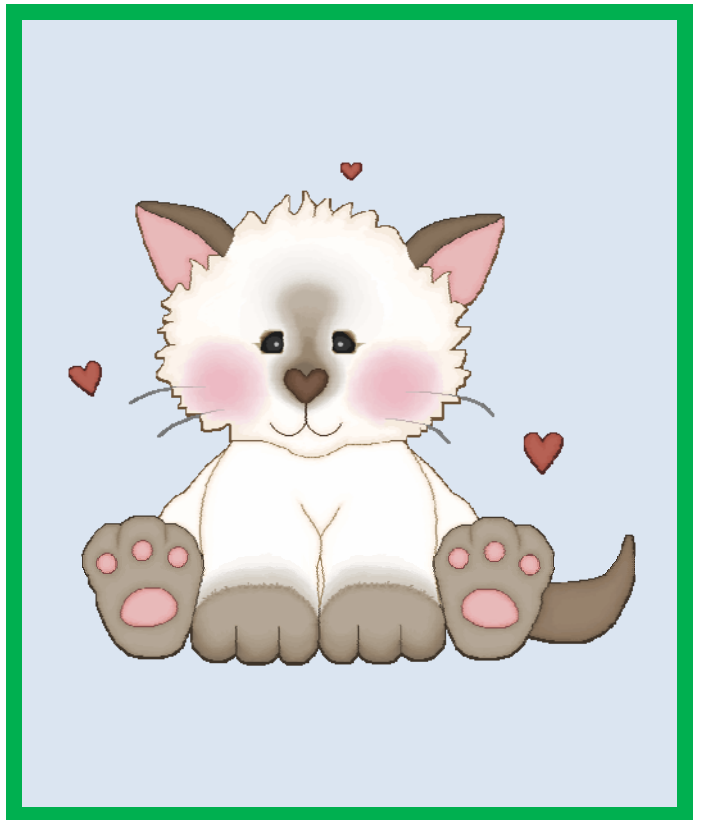


Memory Game

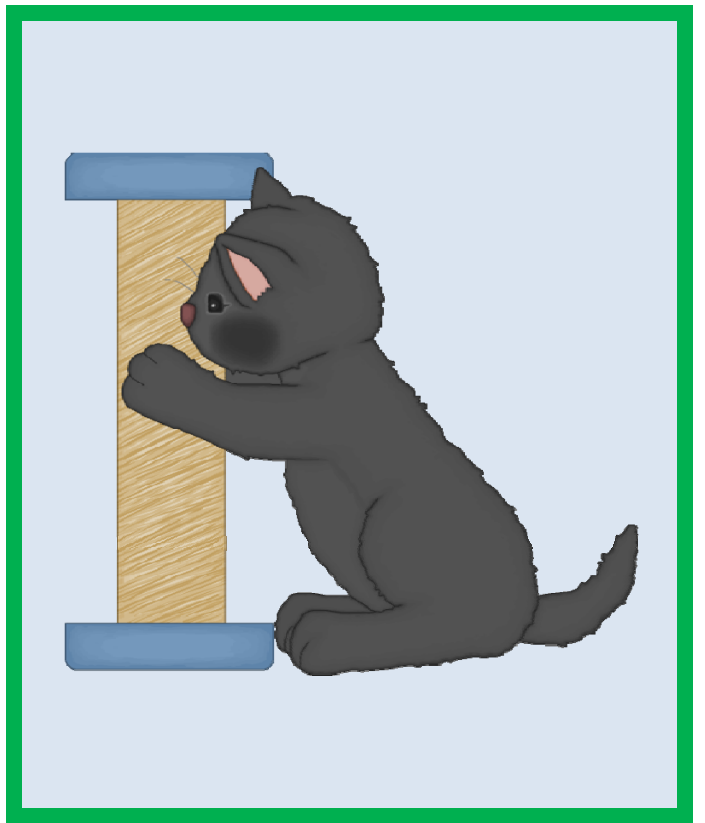
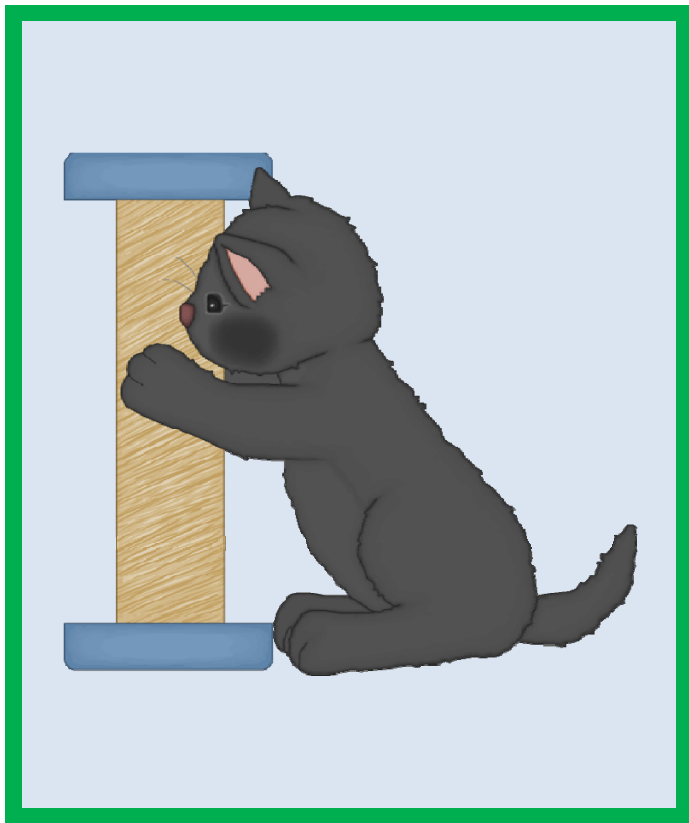
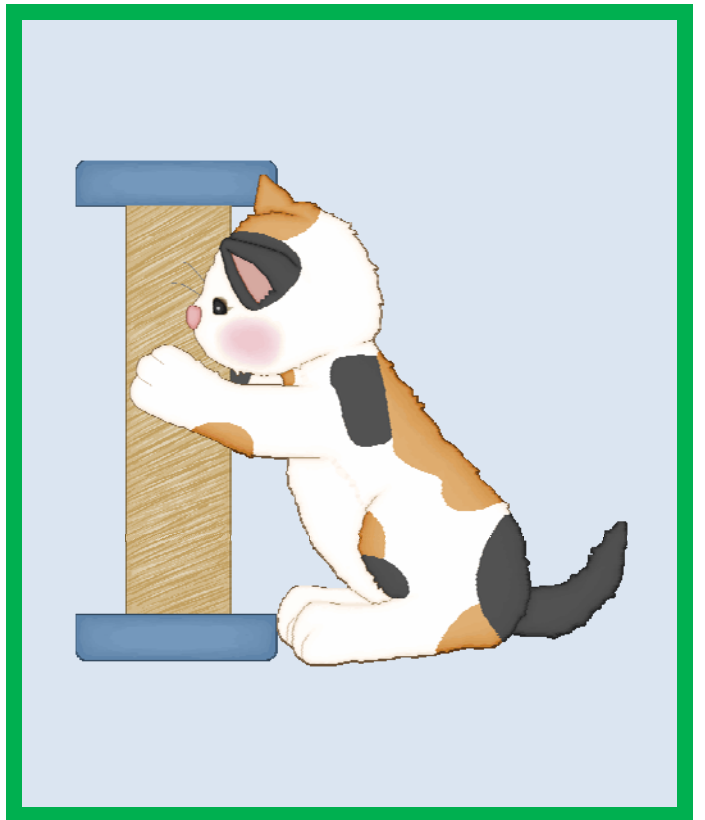
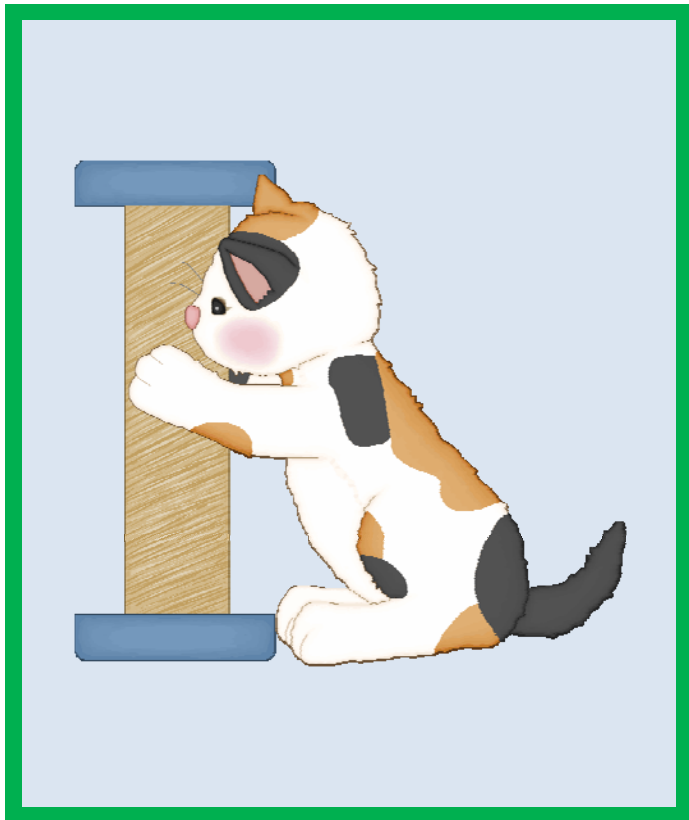
Duplicate the cards on card stock and laminate for durability. Be sure to play this game with your students in small groups (2 or 3) before allowing them to play independently.

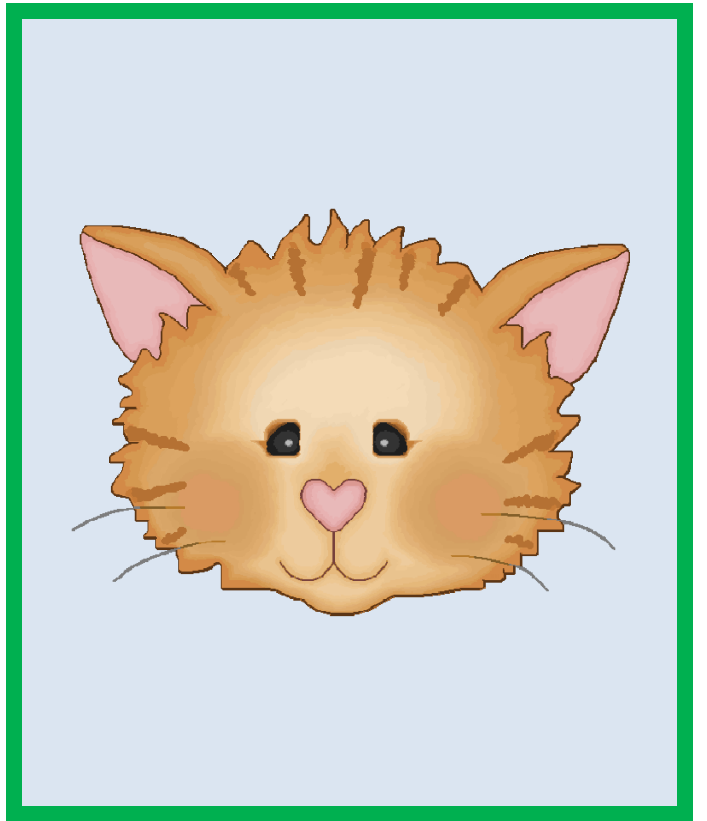
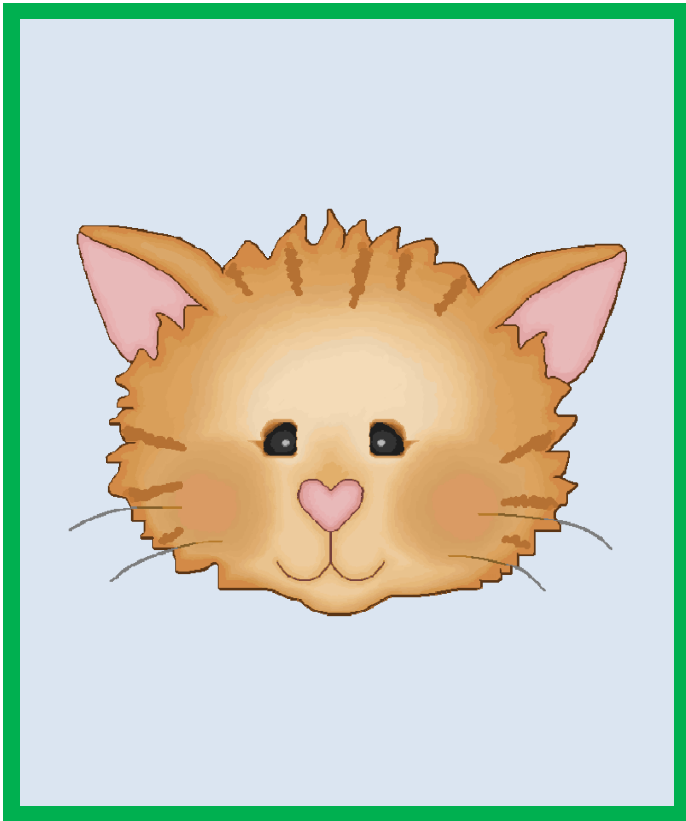
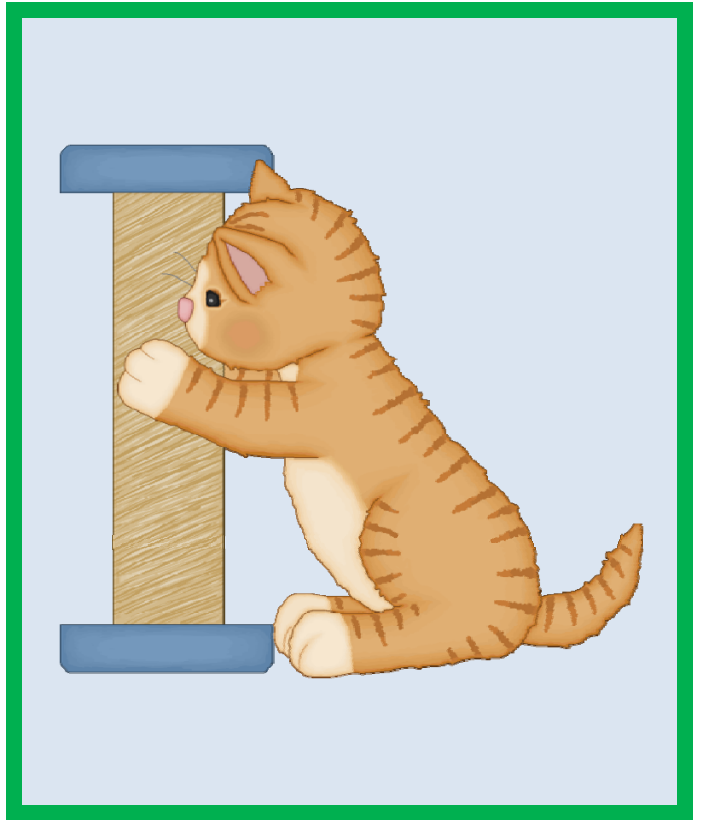
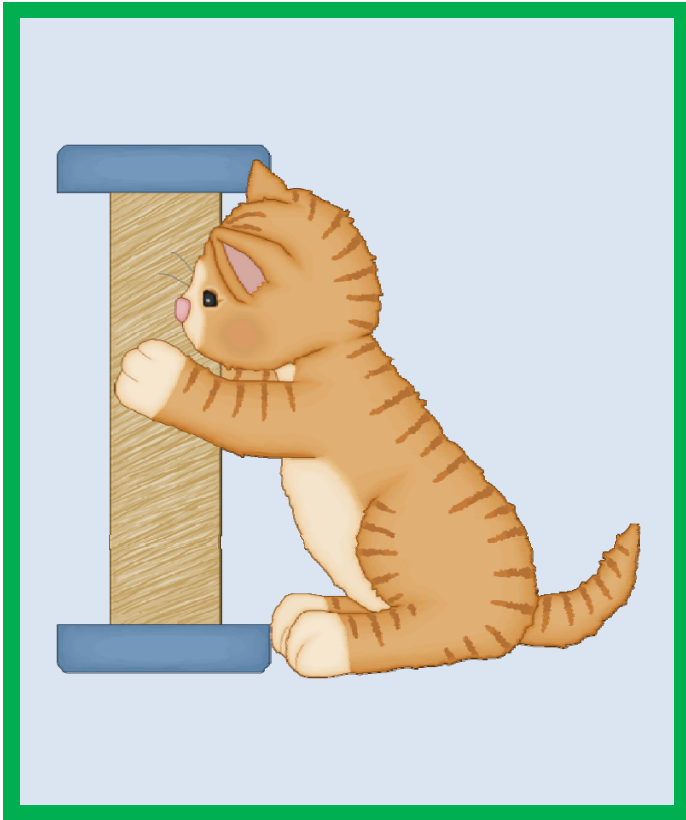
The purpose of this game is to make pairs following the traditional Memory or Concentration rules. The winner is the one with the most pairs. Children just love to play and to count the number of cards they accumulate during a game.









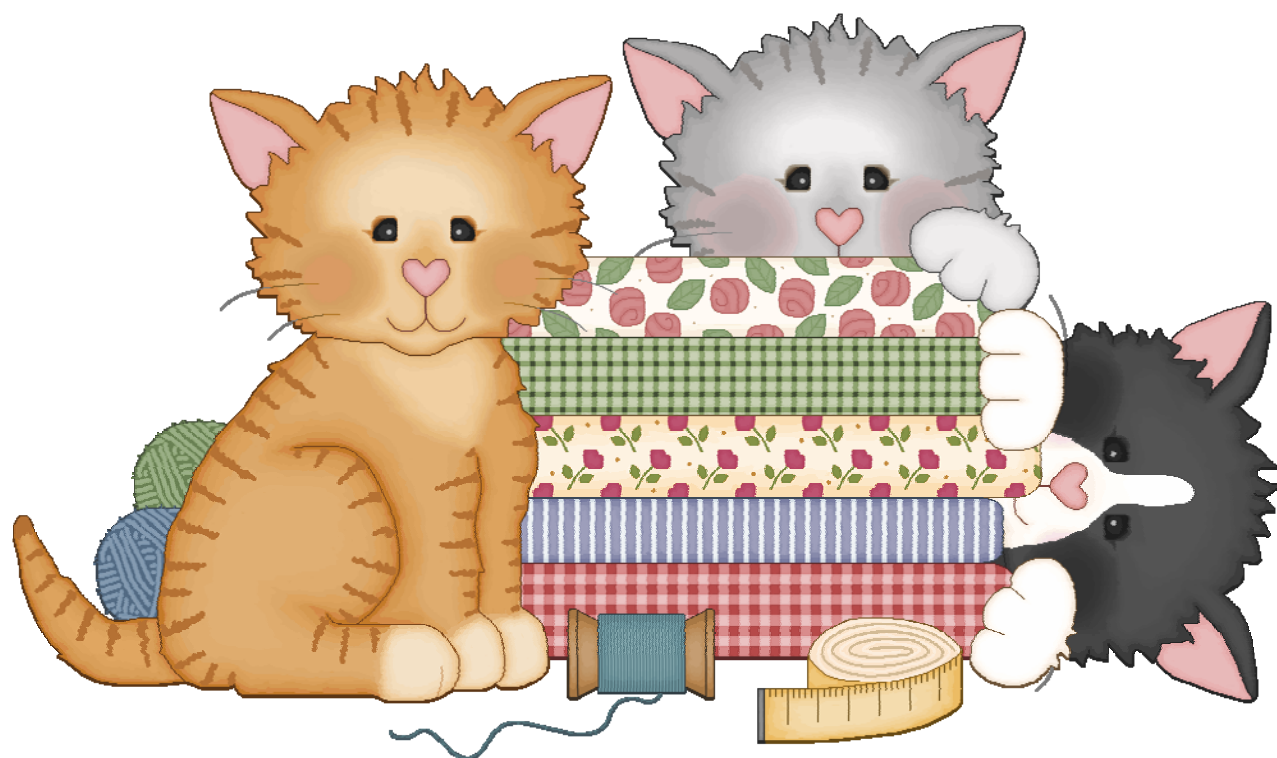








Practice Pages



Sing a Super Sentence!

Use this interactive strategy to teach your students the art of building super sentences, singing a song and reading independently.

Materials needed:

Butcher paper or chart paper

Red, green, pink and blue markers (or 4 colors of your choice)

Procedure:

Divide the chart paper into four columns with the following headings: **adjectives** (describing words), **nouns**, **verbs** (action words) and **prepositional phrases** (where? when?)

Select your topic (i.e., puppies) and ask students to generate/brainstorm words to fit into each column.

| Adjectives | Nouns | Verbs | Prepositional Phrases |
|------------|--------|---------|-----------------------|
| furry | kitten | ran | after me |
| gray | | licked | its furry paw |
| playful | | pounced | on its toy |
| hungry | | chased | a butterfly |

Sing a super sentence: Begin with "The" or "A", add two adjectives, one noun, one verb and one prepositional phrase and sing to the tune of *The Farmer in the Dell*. (Point to each new word or phrase.)

Ex. The gray, playful kitten

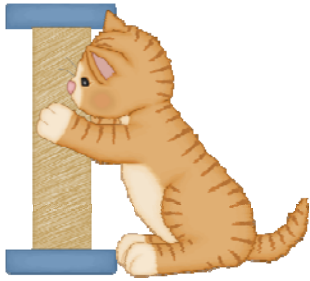
The gray, playful kitten

The gray, playful kitten chased a butterfly.

Extension: Students may write and illustrate super sentences in their journals by following a pattern:

The _____

Look at each picture and write a describing sentence in the space provided.











Look at each picture and write a describing sentence in the space provided.











Word Search



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

kitten

cat

lick

purr

meow

play

yarn

groom

treats

whiskers

water

catnip

fur

sleep

pounce



Cloze the Gap!

Read the following sentence. Use words from the *cat* word bank to fill in the blanks and make sense. Reread your sentences to double check your choices!

1. My _____ likes to play with a ball of yarn.
2. When he's happy, you can hear him _____.
3. He loves to play with his catnip _____.
4. We buy special _____ for him at the pet store.
5. Dad bought our kitten a _____ post.
6. When he's hungry, he says, "_____."
7. He cleans his _____ with his paws.
8. I give him lots of food and fresh _____ every day.
9. Sometimes he chases his own _____!
10. My kitten can fall _____ anywhere!
11. A kitten makes a great _____ if you take good care of it.
12. I just _____ my new kitten and he loves me!

Cat Word Bank

| | | | | | |
|--------|------|--------|--------|-------|------------|
| kitten | tail | water | pet | Meow | scratching |
| love | purr | treats | asleep | mouse | whiskers |



Math Answer Sheet

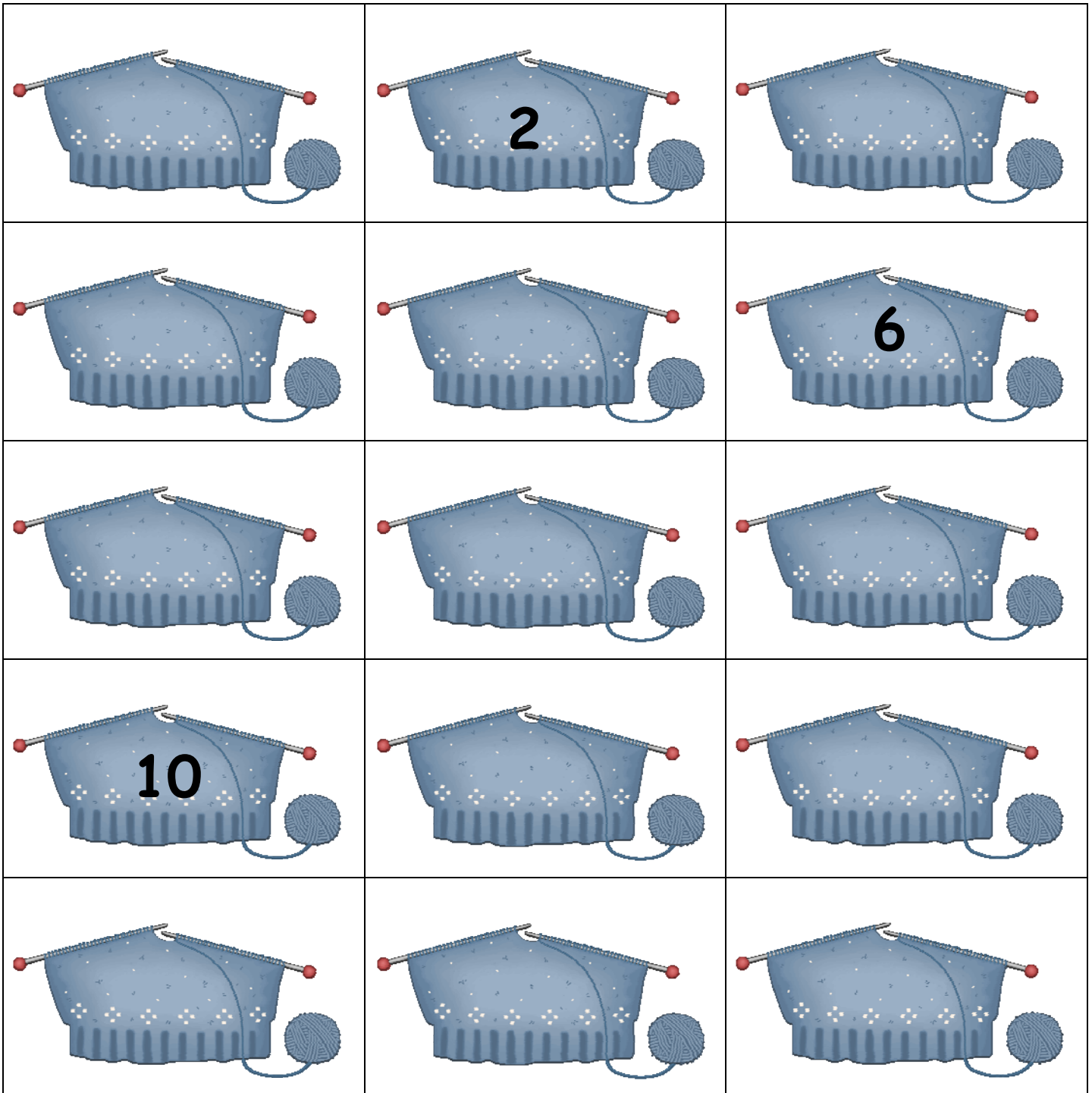
Name _____

| | | | | | |
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| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |

Name _____



The Cat and the Yarn





Read and Do!

Title: _____

Author: _____

Characters: _____

Write 2 sentences about the story:

Did you like the story? Why or why not?

This was a Book to Purr About!

You should read _____.

It was written by _____.

I think you'll like it because _____

_____.



This was a Book to Purr About!

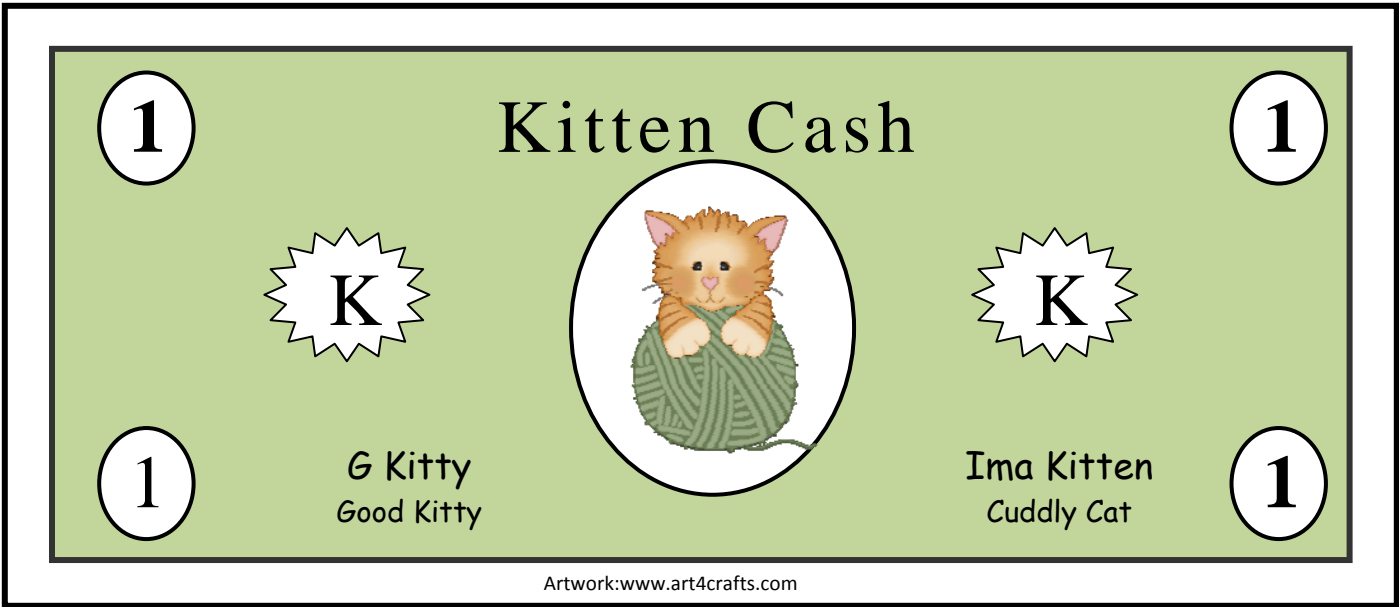
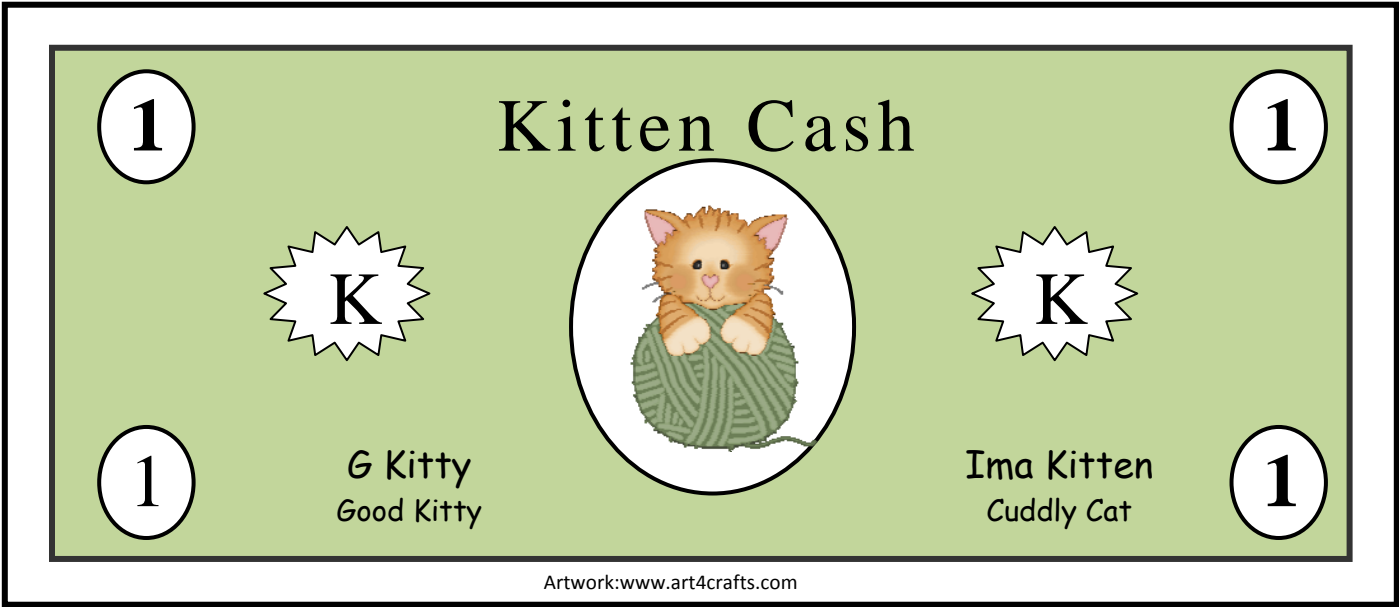
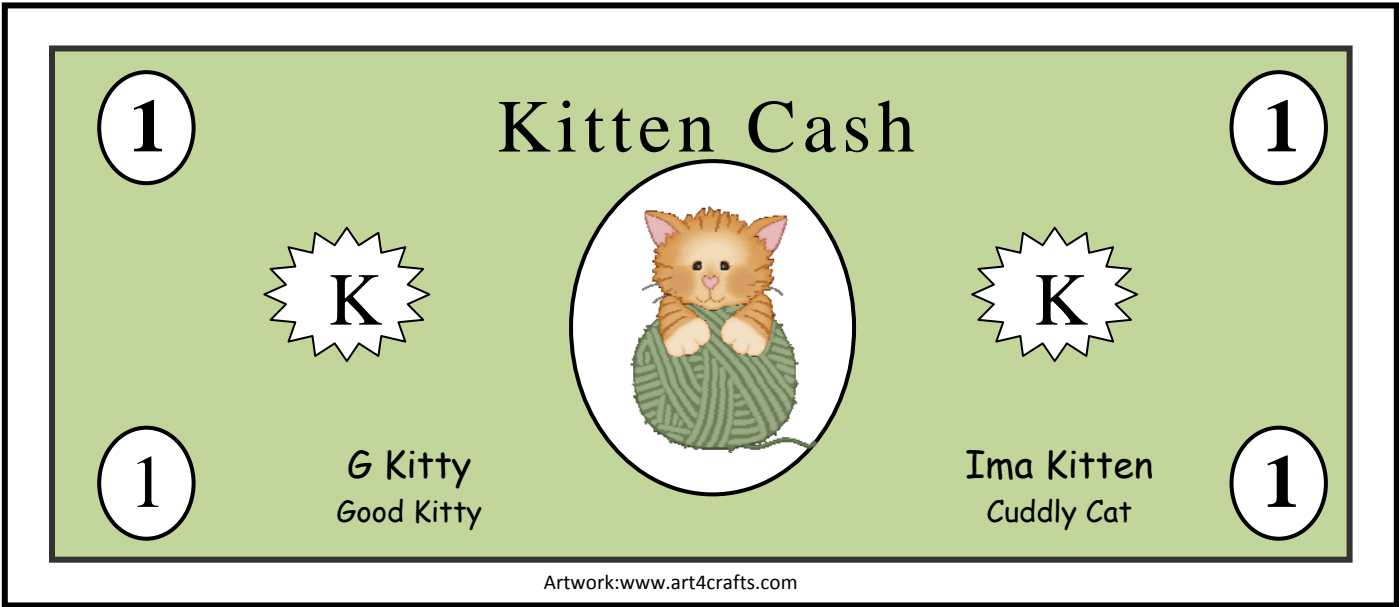
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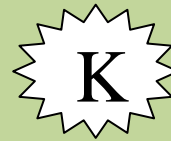




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Kitten Cash

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G Kitty
Good Kitty

Ima Napper
Sleepy Cat

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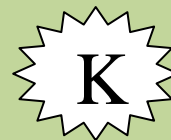
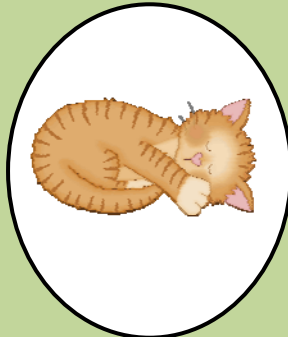
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Good Kitty

C Stripes
Striped Cat

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Thinking of You!



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Something
to purr
about!



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



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





1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10



1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10



My name is



My name is



My name is



My name is

[illegible]

This image shows a full page of handwriting practice paper. It features four identical sets of horizontal guidelines spaced evenly down the page. Each set includes three lines: a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line, providing a structured space for practicing letter formation and alignment.





Look who's popping up
to say . . .

Hello!