The ag Family Set



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-ag Word Family List

bag* nag wag

brag rag beanbag

drag sag handbag

flag shag zigzag

gag snag

jag stag

lag tag

My Brother Wore a Baq on His Head!

(ag) (Tune: Mulberry Bush)

I don't mean to boast or brag,
but Mama never has to nag!
My brother always looks so cool,
especially when he goes to school,
Today he wore a bag on his head!
Was it a gag or something I said?
I couldn't see a tag or name,
so was he wearing the bag in shame?
(What a drag!)



ag Cut and Paste



bag	flag	
wag	brag	
flag	wag	
bag	zigzag	

	 ! !



ag See, Say, Spell and Write

 ! 	
T M P	
	drag



Say the name of each picture. If the picture belongs in the -ag family and rhymes with bag, add -ag to finish writing the word.

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<u>g</u>	<u>Z</u>	br

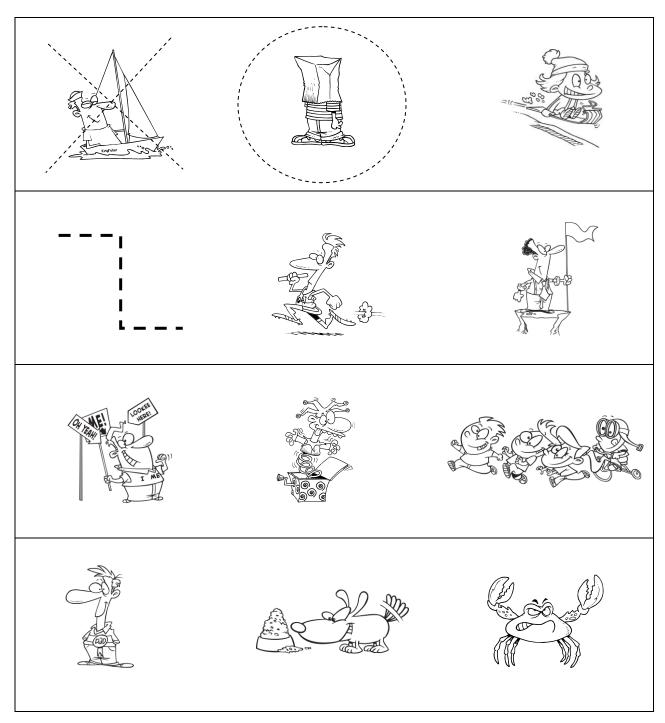


Look at the picture in each box. Circle the word that matches the picture. Write the word on the lines.

1.		
	baa	
	bag	
	bag big	
2.		
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	1109	
	frog flag	
3.		
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1	sag zag	
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4.	•	
	brag brig	
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5.		
	wage	
	wage wag	
	wag	

X's and O's





Directions for teacher/parent: Students circle each picture that ends with the -ag rime. They make an x on each picture that does not end with the ag rime.

More X's and O's



T ME	

Directions to teacher/parent: Students circle each picture that ends with the -ag rime and write the word in the box. If the picture does not end with the -ag rime, students make an x over the picture.

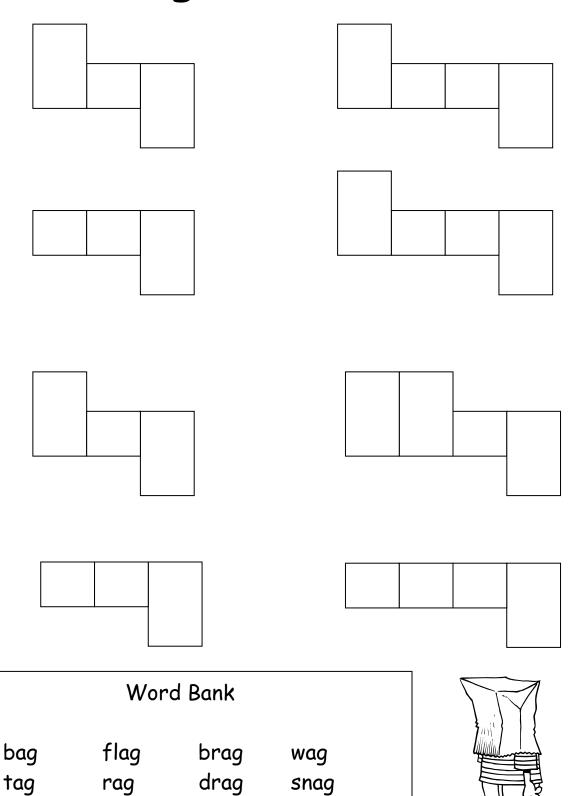


Cloze the Gap! (ag)

Read the following sentences, saying the word "bag" when you come to a blank space. Use words from the *ag* family to fill in the blanks and make sense. Reread your sentences to double check your choices!

1.	I bring my lui	nch to school	in a pap	er		•	
2.	Dad uses an o	old		_ to wash tl	he car.		
3.	Mom says the	at it's not nice		·			
4.	A male deer i	or a buck.					
5.	Our	blue.					
6.	Tree branche	r sweater.					
7.	An old, tired horse is called a						
8.	We all wore o		on the fir	st day.			
9.	My dog will _	his tail v	vhen he is h	парру.			
10.	We played			toss at s	school today	y.	
11.	During the st	orm we had t	o fill a				
		,	Word B	ank			
	bag	nag	flag		brag	wag	
	rag	snag	stag		tag	beanbag	
	sandbag						

Configuration Station



Crossword Puzzle: ag



	1					
				2	3	
4			5			6
			7			
8					9	
		10				

Across

- 1. a small tear
- 2. male adult deer
- 4. paper sack
- 5. a small piece of old, torn cloth
- 8. a muzzle; funny joke
- 9. to wave to and fro, as in a dog's tail
- 10. to scold all the time; pester

Down

- 1. a kind of haircut or carpet
- 3. a label; child's chasing game
- 4. boast
- 6. banner
- 7. to fall behind the others

Word Bank								
shag	nag	gag	rag	snag	stag			
nag	wag	flag	tag	lag	brag			

ag Word Search



b	r	а	9	e	С	j	0	p	i
а	j	V	q	X	i	S	†	а	9
9	С	d	r	а	9	X	a	k	V
0	n	p	e	k	q	У	9	e	i
i	a	V	S	h	a	9	0	X	j
e	9	С	n	p	i	Z	V	С	q
q	j	0	a	Z	S	a	9	k	i
f	1	a	9	e	O	X	p	У	r
0	a	k	С	У	j	i	e	V	a
е	9	p	9	a	9	q	W	a	9

rag bag tag lag drag nag

brag stag gag snag shag sag

flag wag

Score With Scrabble!

SCORE

	SCORE
B ₃ R ₁ G ₂	
S ₁ N ₁ G ₂	



Alphabet Avenue

Place the words below in alphabetical order.

1	 7
2	8
3	 9
4	 10
5	 11
6	12

WORD BANK						
nag	brag	gag	jag	sag	bag	
nag flag	snag	rag	wag	drag	lag	

Definition Derby: ag



Read each -ag family word in the first column. Find the correct definition and write the matching letter next to the word (see sample). Write each word in a sentence.

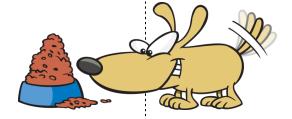
1	Word		Sentence	Definition
1.	bag	k	I brought my lunch to school in a paper bag.	a. to fall behind or move less quickly
2.	brag			b. droop; to sink or hang down; lose strength
3.	drag			c. a small scrap of cloth
4.	flag			d. to pester or irritate
5.	gag			e. to boast or show off
6.	lag			f. to wave or move quickly back and forth or from side to side
7.	nag			g. a label; a children's chasing game
8.	rag			h. to haul, pull or tow something heavy
9.	sag			i. a banner or pennant
10.	snag			j. to choke; muzzle; a joke or funny story
11.	tag			k. sack; purse; a piece of luggage
12.	wag			I. to catch, rip or tear on something

ag Partner Puzzle

bag



wag



zag

bag



Wag



Wag



flag



flags



bag



bag



tag



tag



zigzag

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rag



brag



drag



ag Words and Pictures for Sorts and Stuff

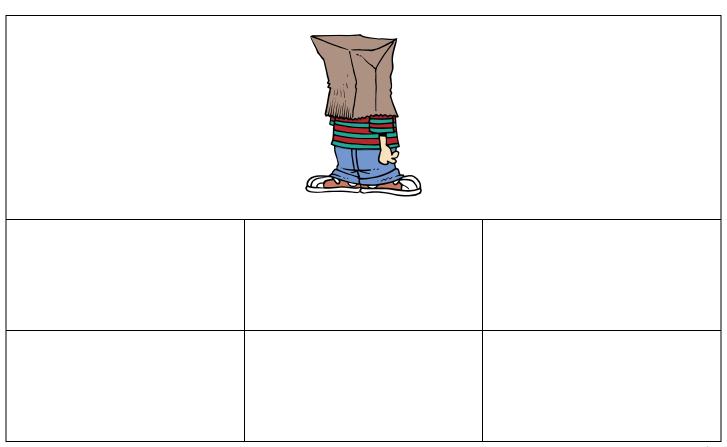
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ag Words and Pictures for Sorts and Stuff

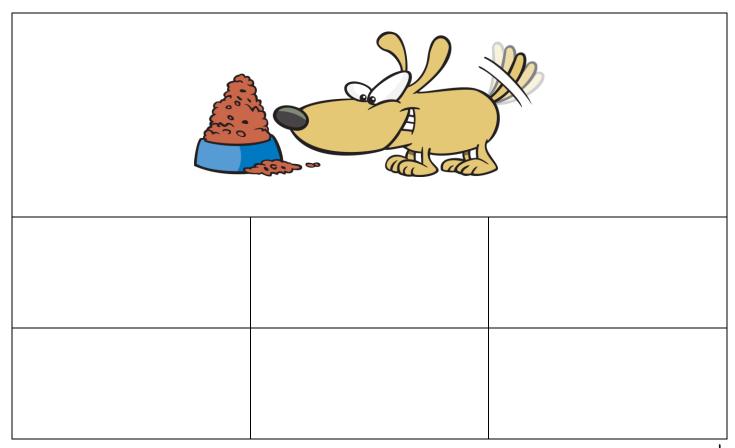
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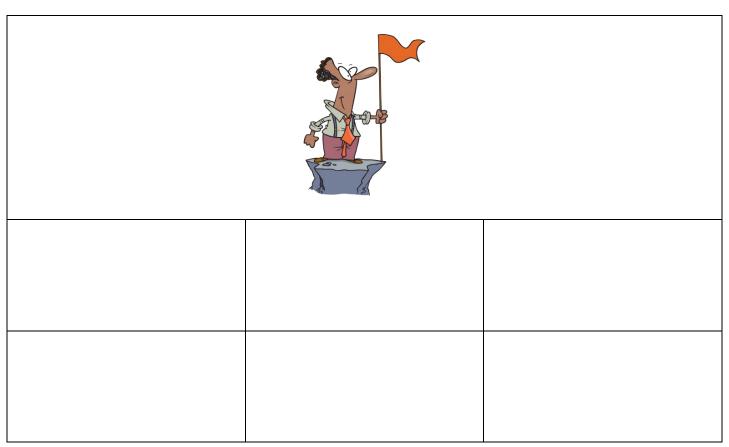
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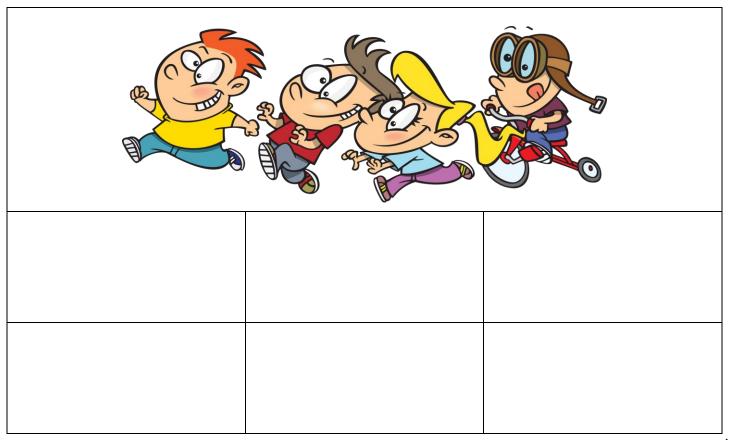
-ag penny push



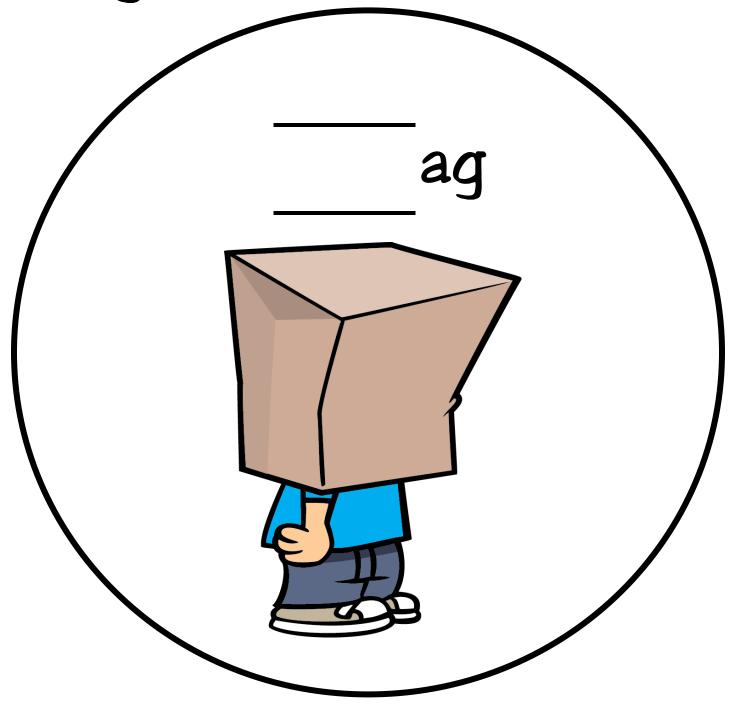
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ag Family Word Slide



ag Family Word Slide (Sound Blending)

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

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Riddle Bag



This activity can be teacher directed or played by two children in a learning center.

Copy the pictures for the -ag family from this site and write riddles, definitions or synonyms on the back of each card, providing clues to the name of the picture/word. Laminate and place in a bag, plain or fancy!

The teacher or "riddle reader" describes the word by reading the descriptive clues. Students may guess the correct word at any time.

Optional activity: provide a small white bag for each student (these are usually available at wholesale food distributors or party supply stores). Students may decorate the bag with -ag pictures and make their own clue cards for the activity. Play with rotating partners for exposure to different levels of clues. Students will learn to be more descriptive in their writing since the ultimate goal is allow your partner to guess correctly!

ag Family Chant



Mama's been shopping with her new handbag! Wonder what she's got in each brown bag. Oh, my goodness! Just look at her sag!

What's it Worth? (ag)

(cut, spell, glue and add)

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Say the name of each picture. Read the words and circle the word that names the picture. Write the word underneath the picture. Make a picture for the last three words. You may need to use the dictionary.

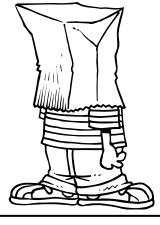
bag big	fig flag	wag wig	brig brag
zigzag zebra	rag	Sag	drag



My ag Book



My ag Book



Ag Family Stationery

bag, brag, drag, flag, gag, lag, nag, rag, sag, shag, snag, stag, tag, wag, zigzag

Write sentences or a story with -ag words of your choice.



<u>ag</u> <u>__ag</u>

<u>ag</u> <u>__ag</u>

<u>ag</u> <u>__ag</u>