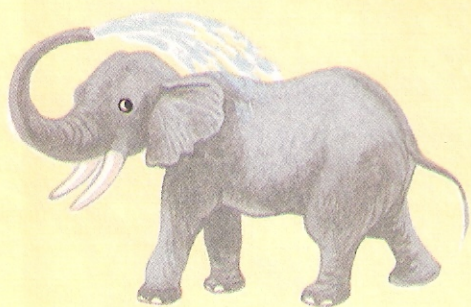


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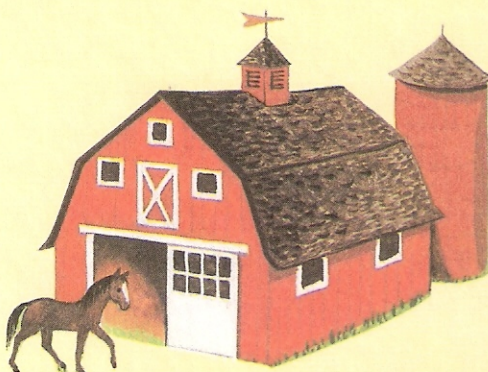
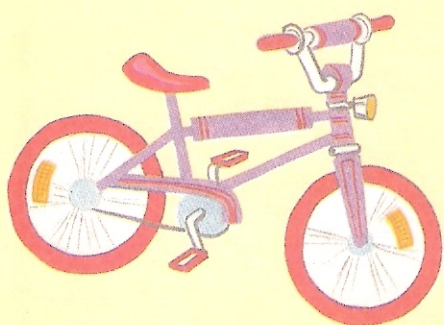
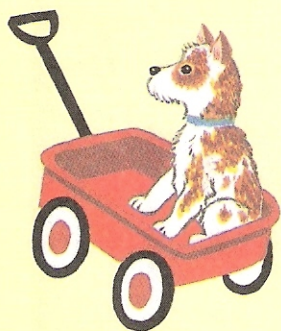
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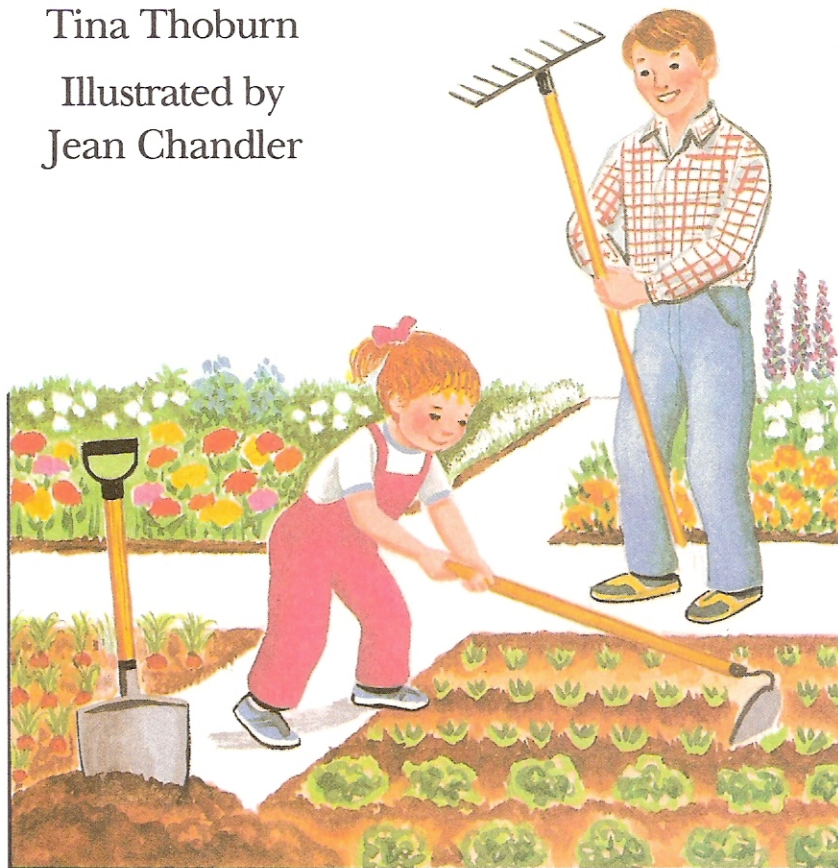




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# Aa



**airplane** An airplane flies high in the sky.

# Bb

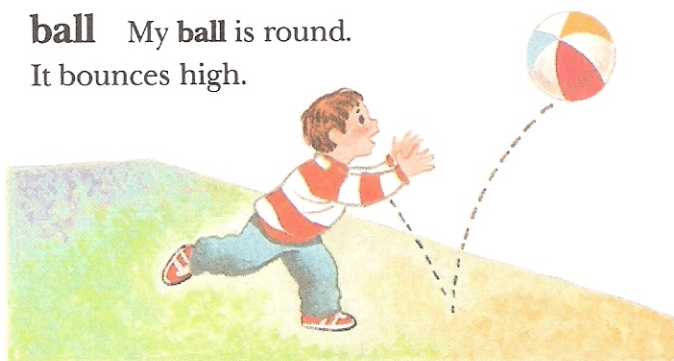


**baby** A baby is a tiny new person.

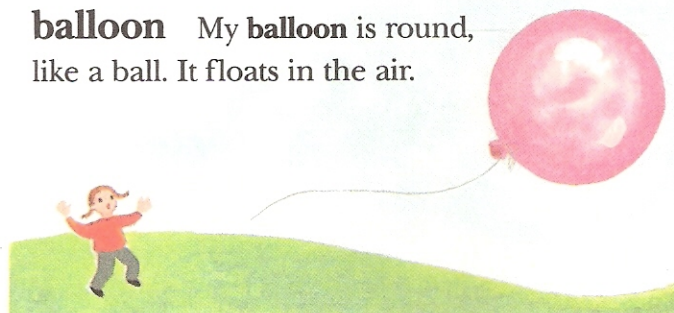
**alphabet** There are 26 letters in the alphabet. We use the letters to make words.

Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee  
Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj Kk  
Ll Mm Nn Oo Pp  
Qq Rr Ss Tt Uu  
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**ball** My ball is round. It bounces high.



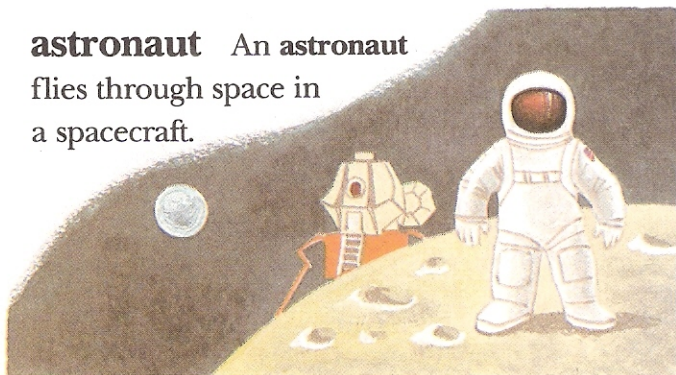
**balloon** My balloon is round, like a ball. It floats in the air.



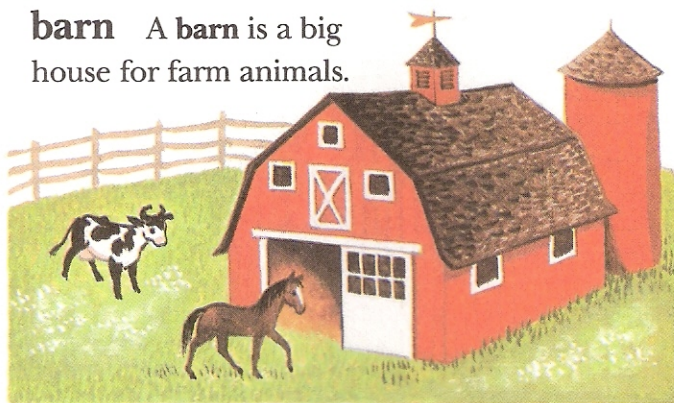
**aquarium** An aquarium is a home for fish and snails.



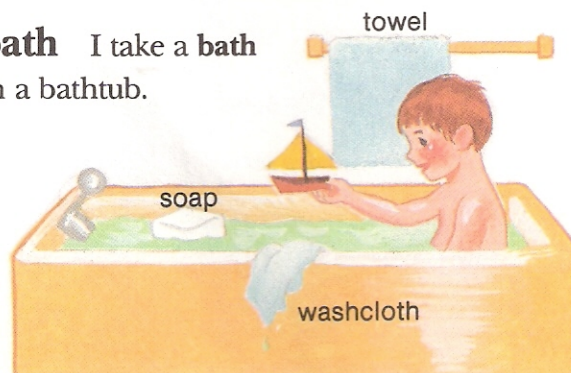
**astronaut** An astronaut flies through space in a spacecraft.



**barn** A barn is a big house for farm animals.



**bath** I take a bath in a bathtub.

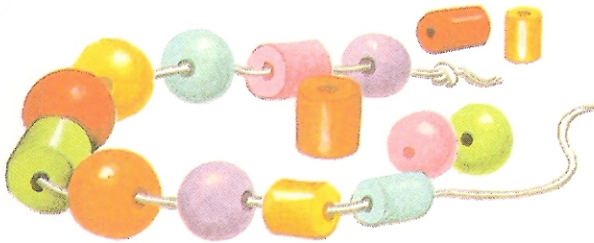




**beach** A beach is a sandy place beside the water.



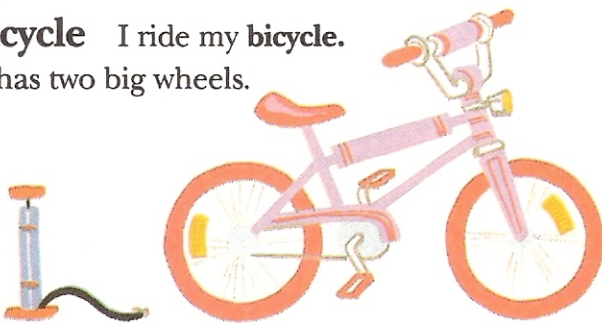
**beads** Beads have little holes. I string beads to wear around my neck.



**bed** I sleep in my bed. I cover up with a blanket.



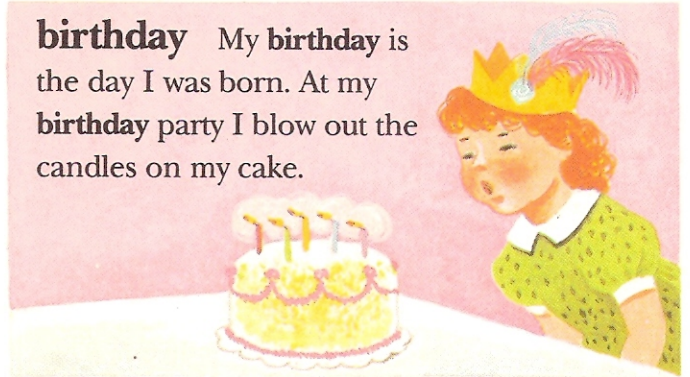
**bicycle** I ride my bicycle. It has two big wheels.



**bird** A bird is covered with feathers. Most birds can fly.



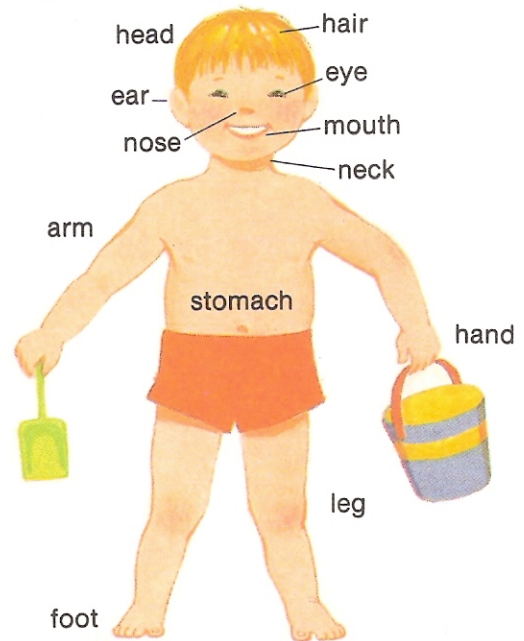
**birthday** My birthday is the day I was born. At my birthday party I blow out the candles on my cake.



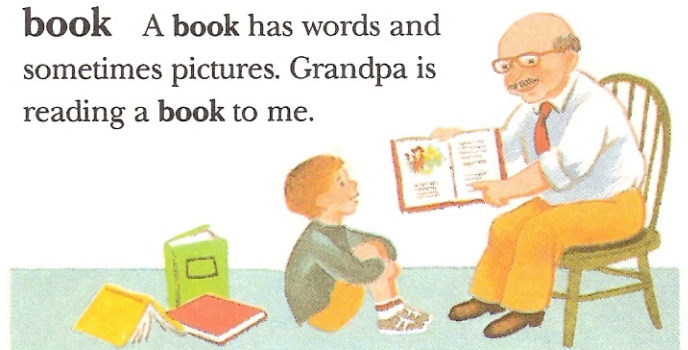
**boat** We use a boat to travel on water.



**body** My body is all of me. My body has many parts.



**book** A book has words and sometimes pictures. Grandpa is reading a book to me.





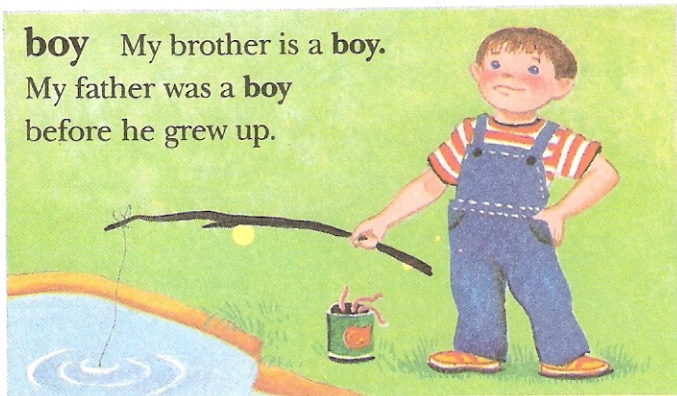
**bottle** A **bottle** holds liquid,  
such as milk or juice.



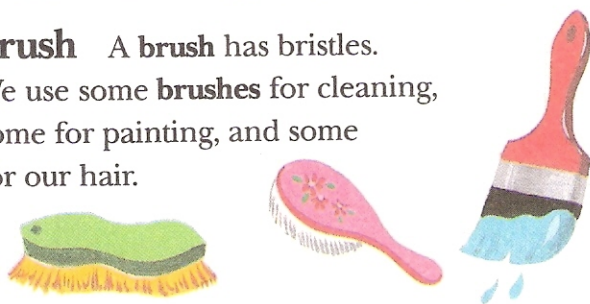
**box** A **box** holds things.  
I put my toys in a **box**.



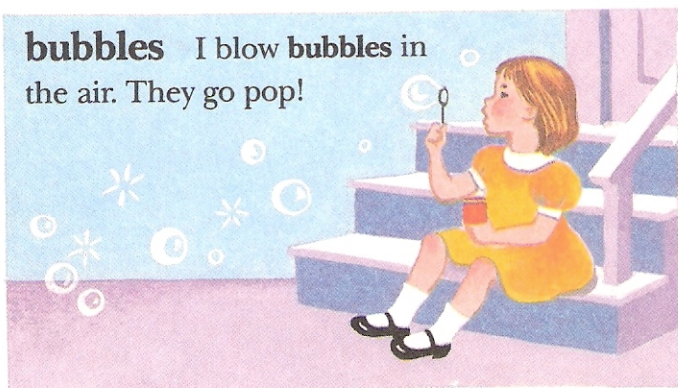
**boy** My brother is a **boy**.  
My father was a **boy**  
before he grew up.



**brush** A **brush** has bristles.  
We use some **brushes** for cleaning,  
some for painting, and some  
for our hair.



**bubbles** I blow **bubbles** in  
the air. They go pop!

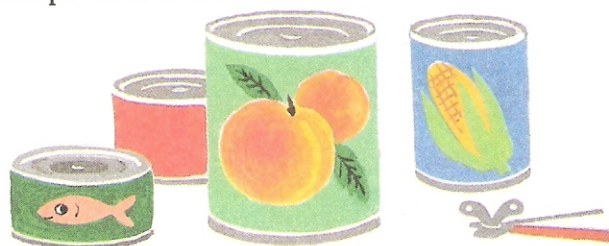


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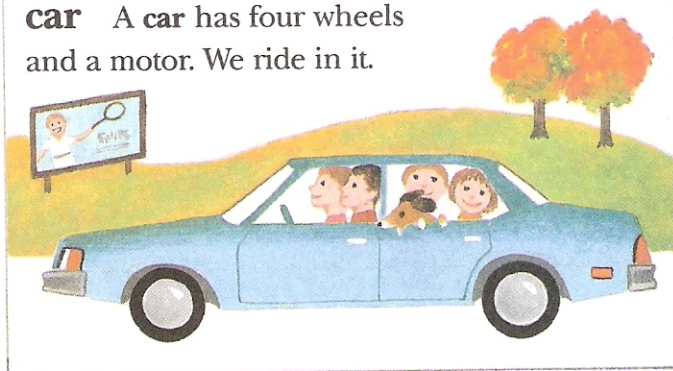
**camera** We take  
photographs with  
a **camera**.



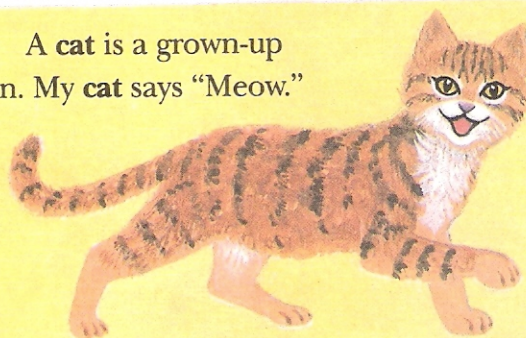
**can** A **can** is made of metal.  
It keeps food safe to eat.



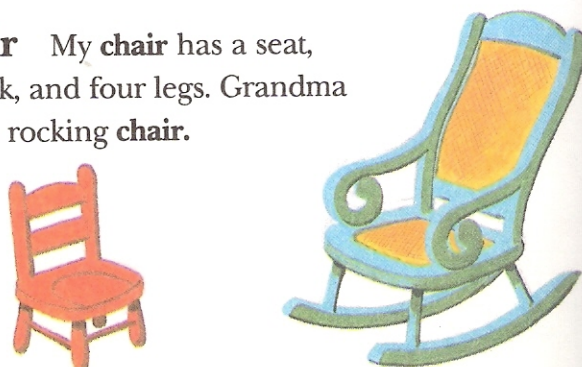
**car** A **car** has four wheels  
and a motor. We ride in it.



**cat** A **cat** is a grown-up  
kitten. My **cat** says "Meow."

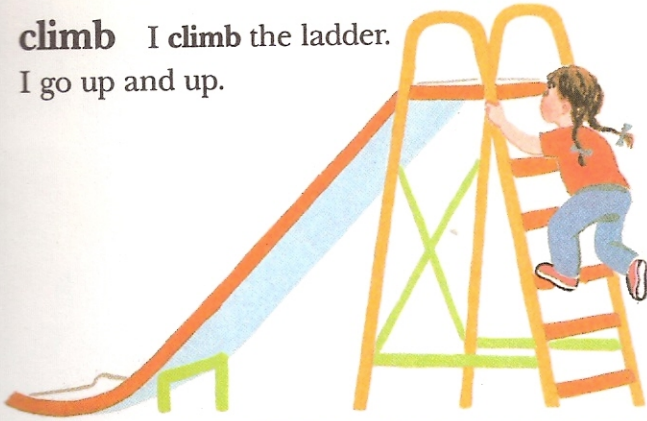


**chair** My **chair** has a seat,  
a back, and four legs. Grandma  
has a rocking **chair**.





**climb** I climb the ladder.  
I go up and up.



**clock** A clock tells the time.  
School starts at nine o'clock.



**clothes** I wear clothes  
to cover my body and keep warm.

T-shirt



sweater

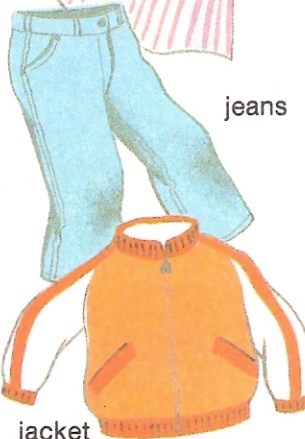


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dress

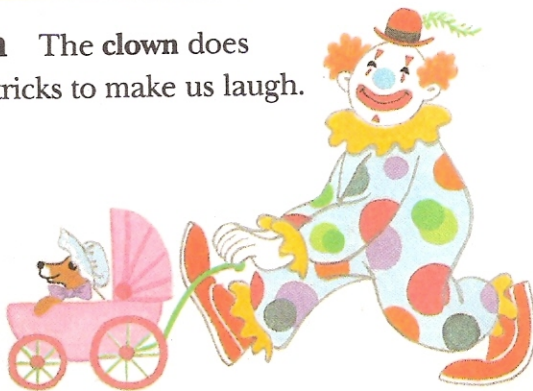


jeans

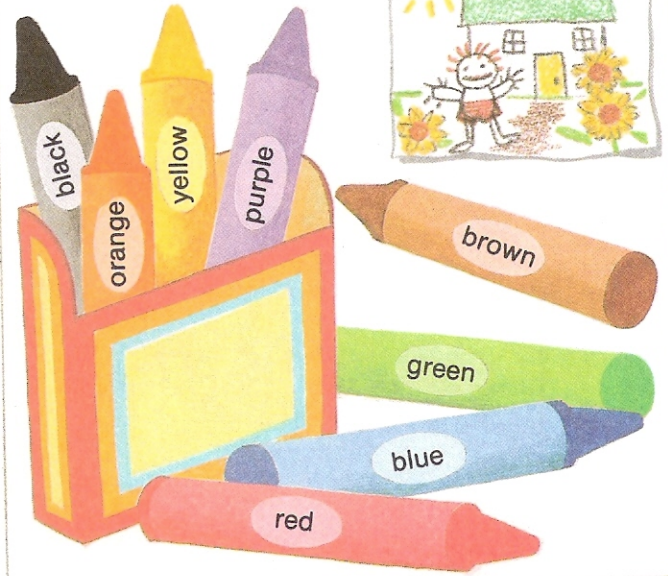


jacket

**clown** The clown does  
funny tricks to make us laugh.



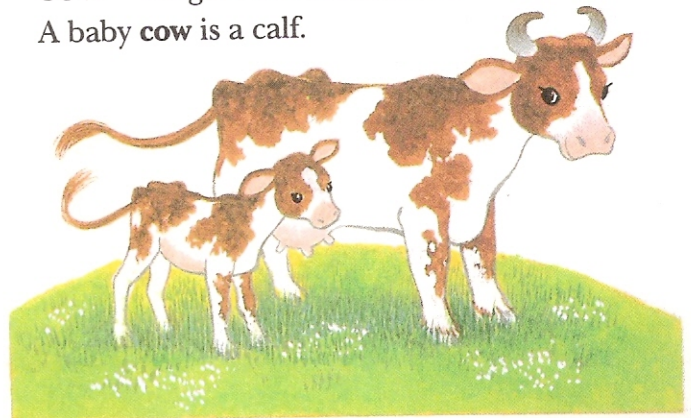
**colors** Crayons are  
different colors.



**cookie** A cookie is a small  
flat cake. Cookies and milk  
are good for dessert.



**cow** We get milk from a cow.  
A baby cow is a calf.



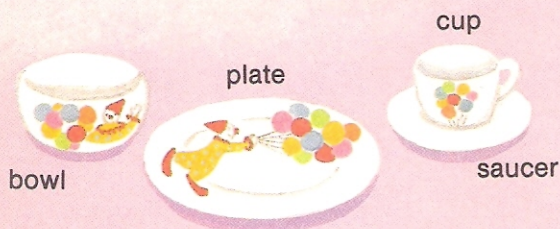
**Dd**

**dance** To dance I move  
my feet and body to music.

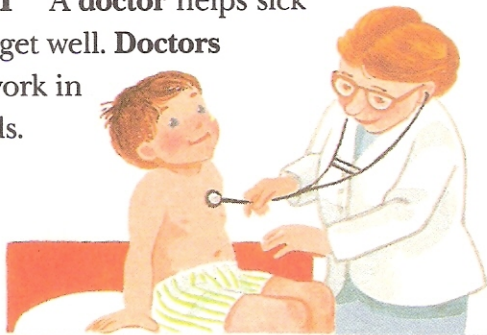




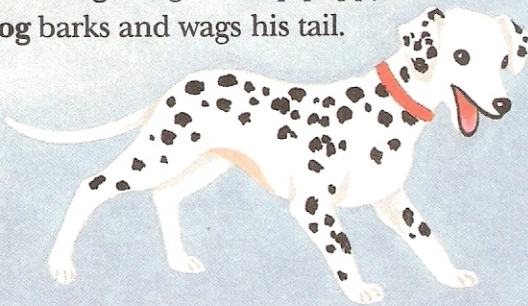
**dish** A **dish** holds food.  
I set the **dishes** on the table.



**doctor** A **doctor** helps sick people get well. **Doctors** often work in hospitals.



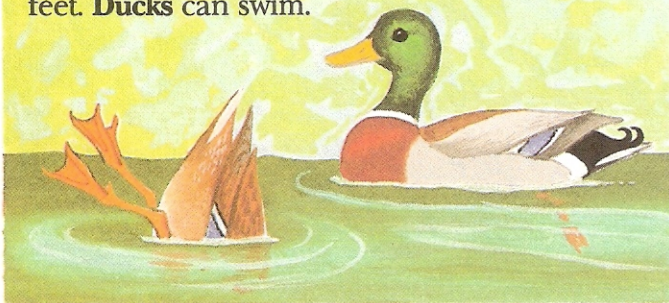
**dog** A **dog** is a grown-up puppy.  
My **dog** barks and wags his tail.



**drum** My **drum** makes a loud sound when I bang on it.

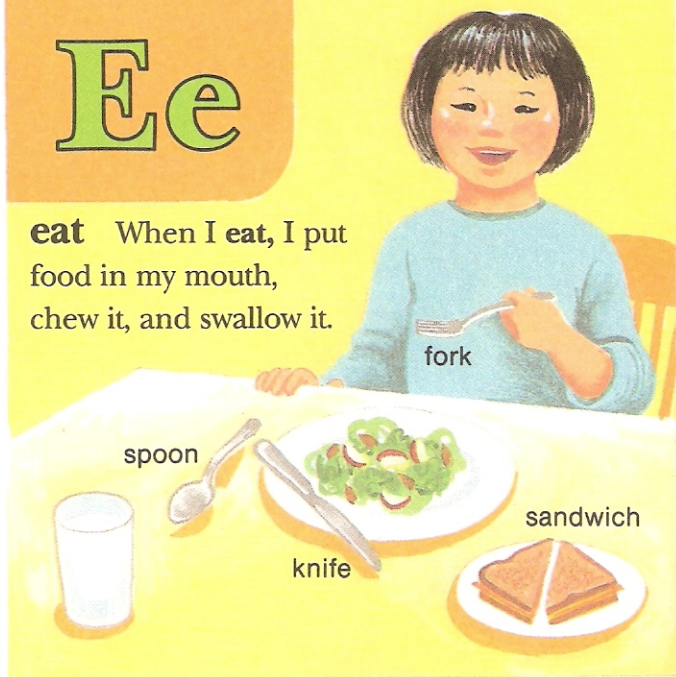


**duck** A **duck** has webbed feet. **Ducks** can swim.



**Ee**

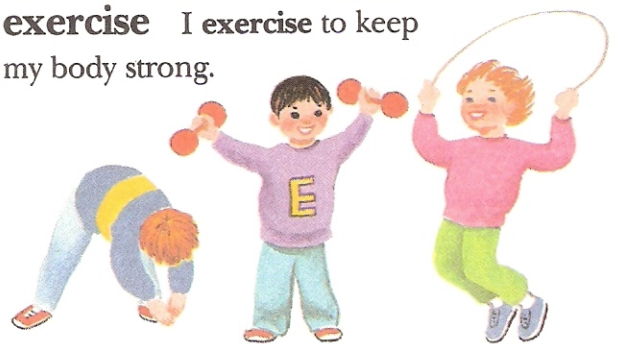
**eat** When I **eat**, I put food in my mouth, chew it, and swallow it.



**elephant** An **elephant** has big ears and a long trunk.

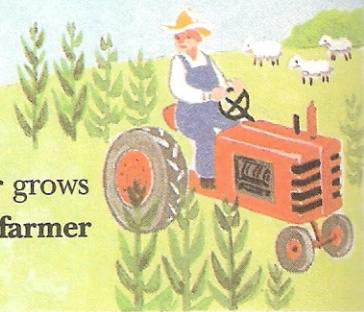


**exercise** I **exercise** to keep my body strong.



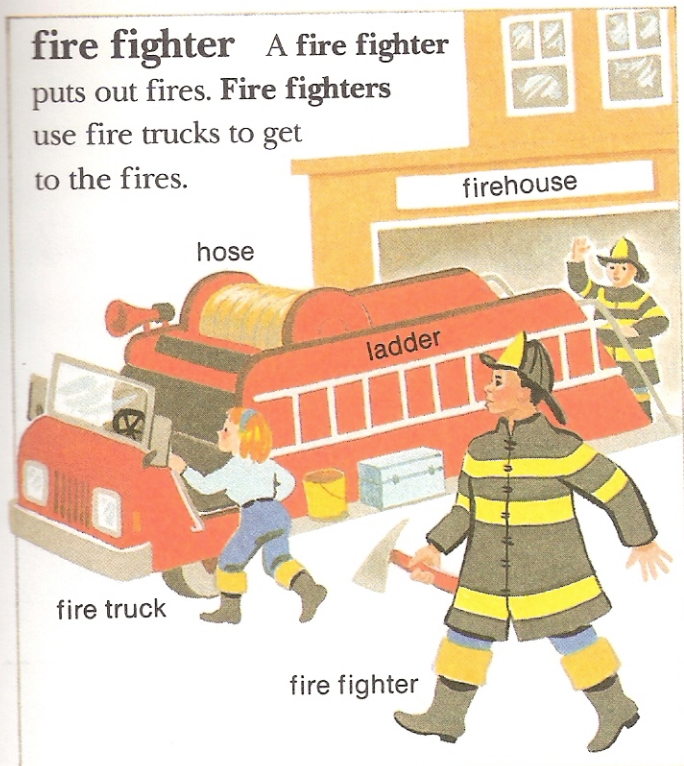
**Ff**

**farmer** A **farmer** grows food for us to eat. A **farmer** raises animals, too.





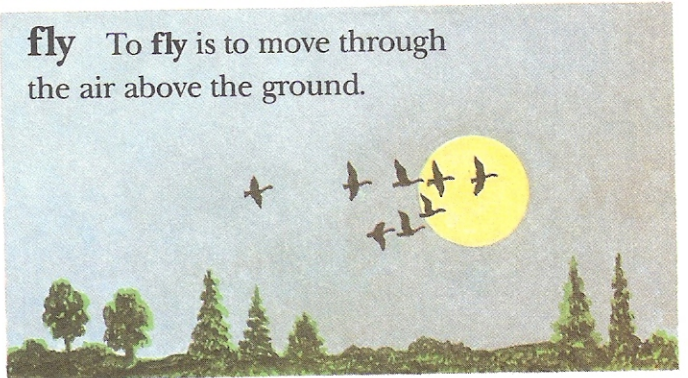
**fire fighter** A fire fighter puts out fires. Fire fighters use fire trucks to get to the fires.



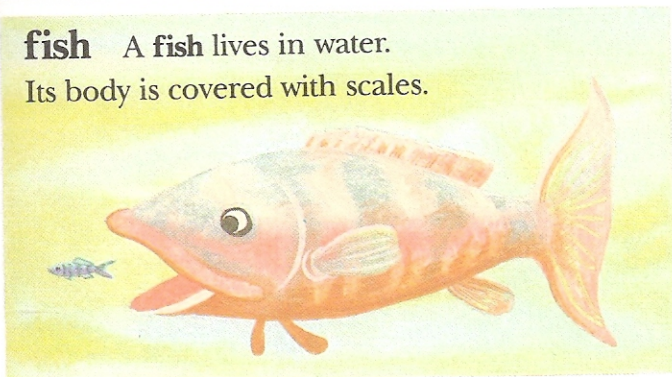
**flower** A flower grows on a plant. I pick pretty flowers for my friend.



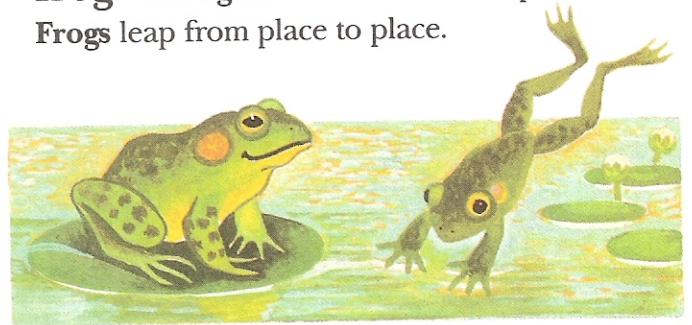
**fly** To fly is to move through the air above the ground.



**fish** A fish lives in water. Its body is covered with scales.



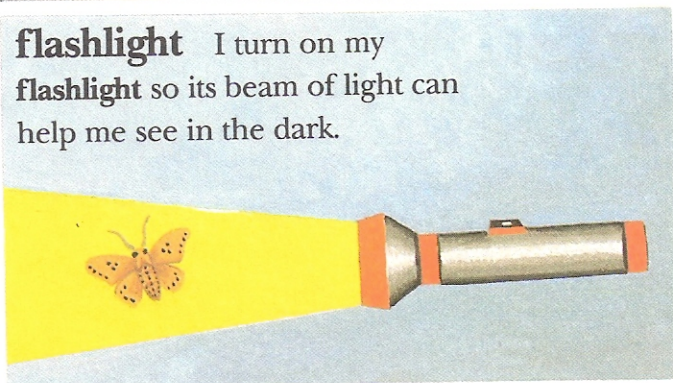
**frog** A frog can live near or in a pond. Frogs leap from place to place.



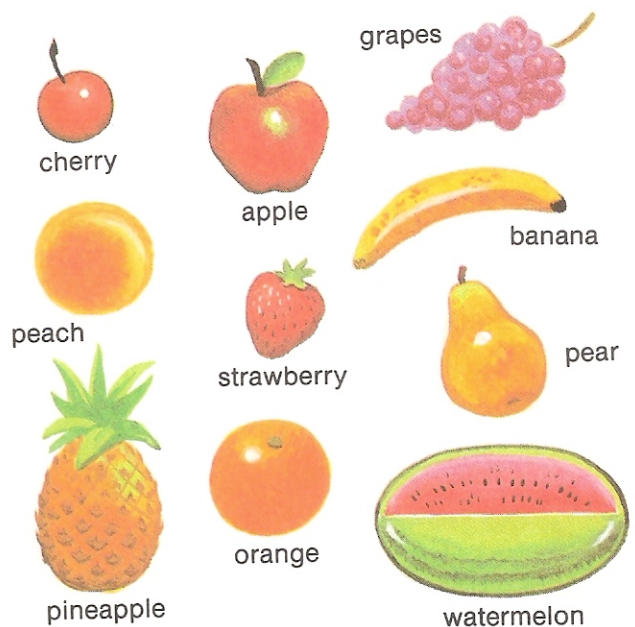
**flag** The flag of the United States is red, white, and blue. It has stars and stripes.



**flashlight** I turn on my flashlight so its beam of light can help me see in the dark.



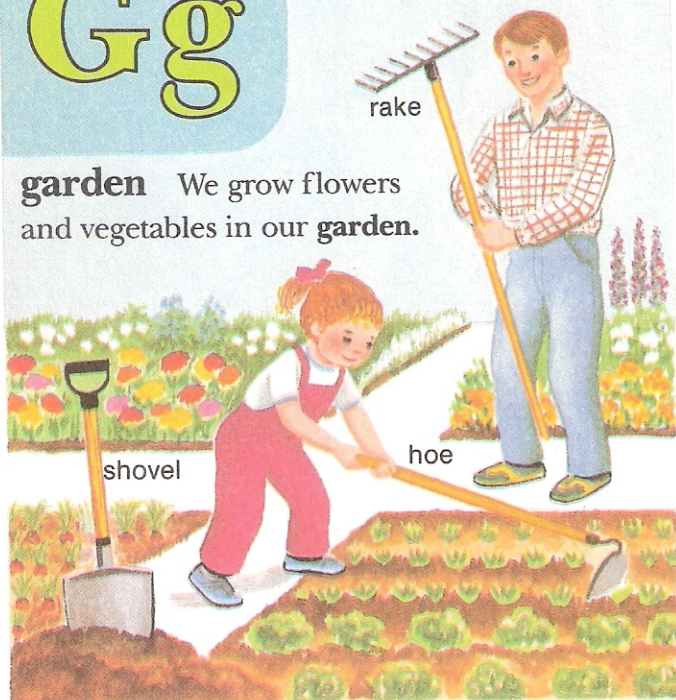
**fruit** Fruit is good to eat. I eat fruit for dessert or as a snack.



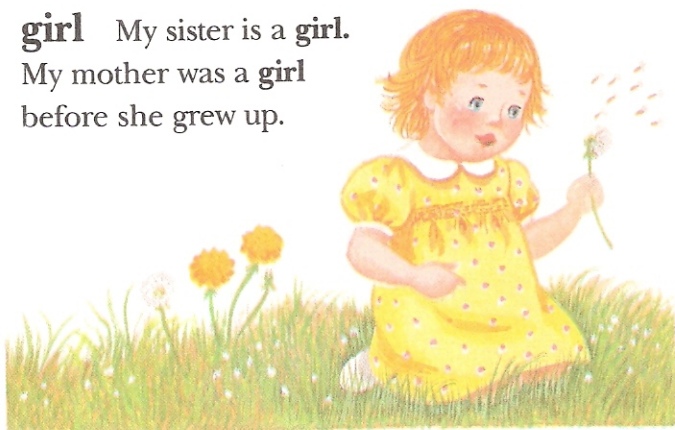


# Gg

**garden** We grow flowers and vegetables in our **garden**.



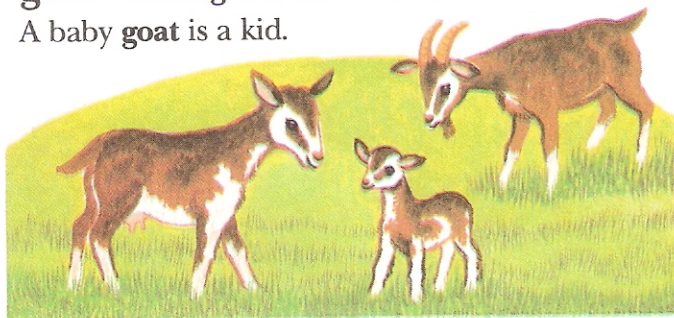
**girl** My sister is a **girl**. My mother was a **girl** before she grew up.



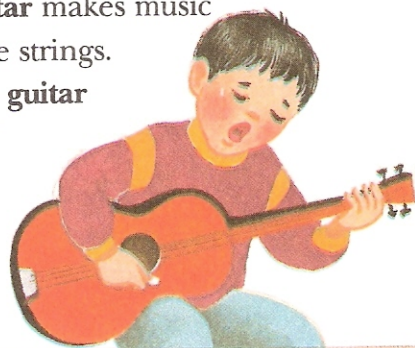
**glasses** Glasses help people see better. Sunglasses shade their eyes from the sun.



**goat** Some **goats** have horns. A baby **goat** is a kid.



**guitar** A **guitar** makes music when I pluck the strings. I like to play my **guitar** and sing.



# Hh

brush

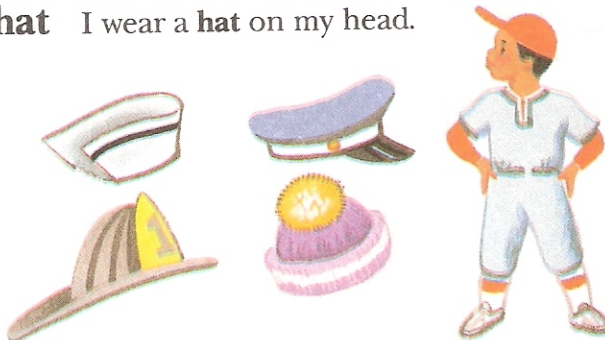
barrette

**hair** Hair grows on top of my head. I use a brush or a comb to keep it neat.

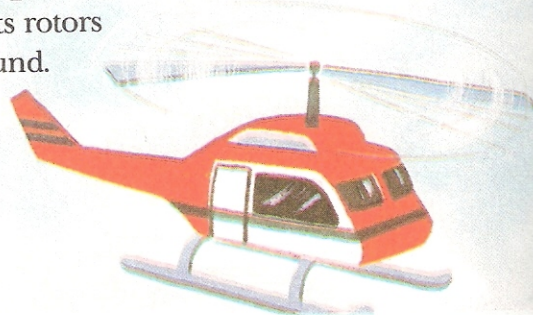


comb

**hat** I wear a **hat** on my head.



**helicopter** A **helicopter** flies when its rotors go around.



**help** To **help** I do something for someone or with someone.





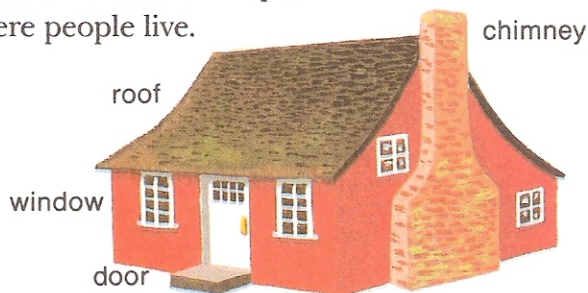
**hen** A hen lays eggs.  
Some of them hatch into  
baby chicks.



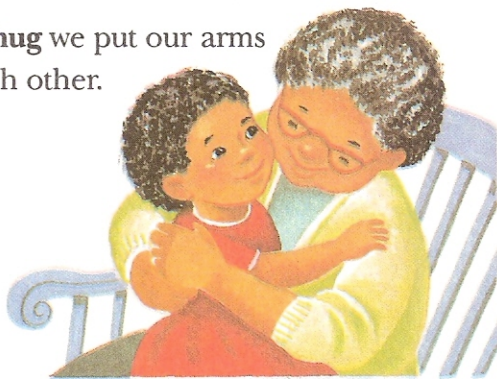
**horse** A horse is fun to ride.  
A baby horse is a foal.



**house** A house is a place  
where people live.



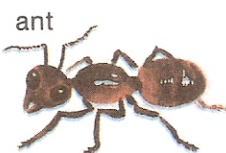
**hug** To hug we put our arms  
around each other.



**ice cream** Ice cream is cold  
and tastes sweet.



**insects** Insects are bugs.  
They have six legs.



ant



bee



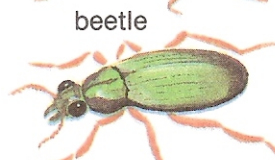
butterfly



grasshopper



mosquito



beetle



fly



ladybug

Jj



**jack-o'-lantern**

A jack-o'-lantern is a  
pumpkin with a face.

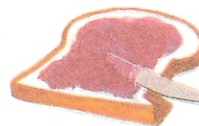


Ii

**ice** Ice is frozen water.



**jelly** Jelly is good to eat  
with peanut butter on bread.

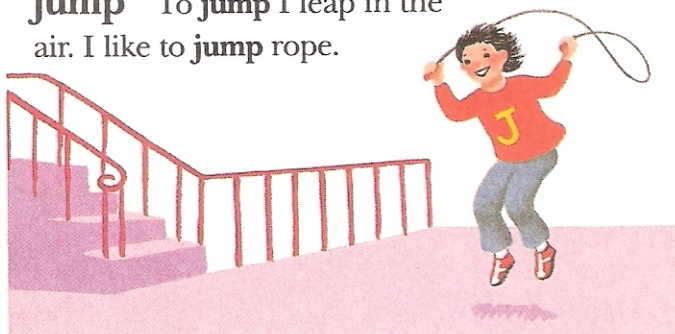




**juice** I squeeze fruit to get juice. I like to drink a glass of juice.



**jump** To jump I leap in the air. I like to jump rope.

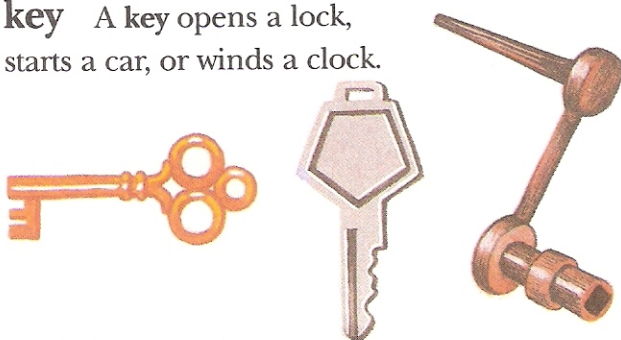


**Kk**

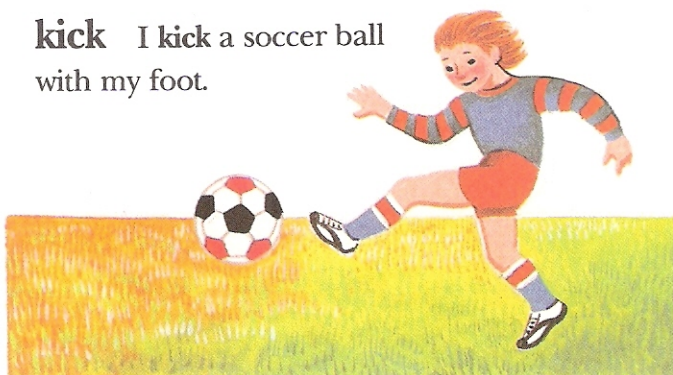
**kangaroo** A kangaroo hops. A baby kangaroo rides in its mother's pouch.



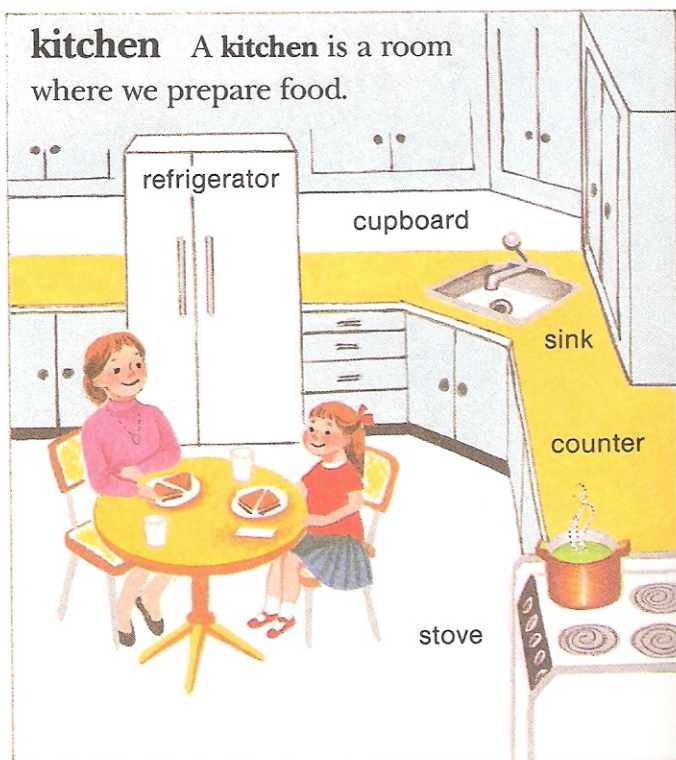
**key** A key opens a lock, starts a car, or winds a clock.



**kick** I kick a soccer ball with my foot.



**kitchen** A kitchen is a room where we prepare food.



**kite** My kite flies high in the wind.

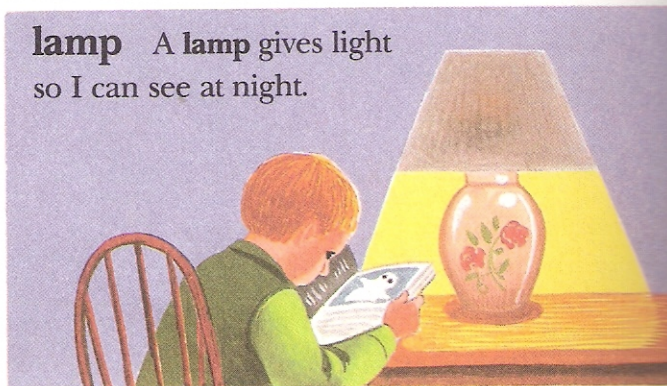


**Ll**

**lamb** A lamb is a baby sheep. It has soft, curly wool.



**lamp** A lamp gives light so I can see at night.

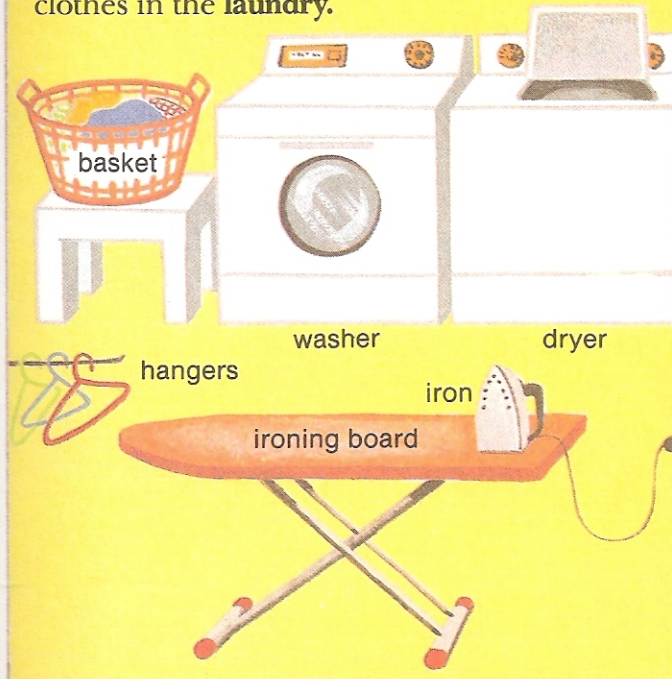




**laugh** We **laugh** when something is funny.



**laundry** We wash, dry, and iron clothes in the **laundry**.



**letter** I write a **letter** to my friend. I put a stamp on the envelope.



**library** There are many books in a **library**. The librarian helps me choose a book to borrow.



**living room** After dinner we sit in the **living room**.



**Mm**

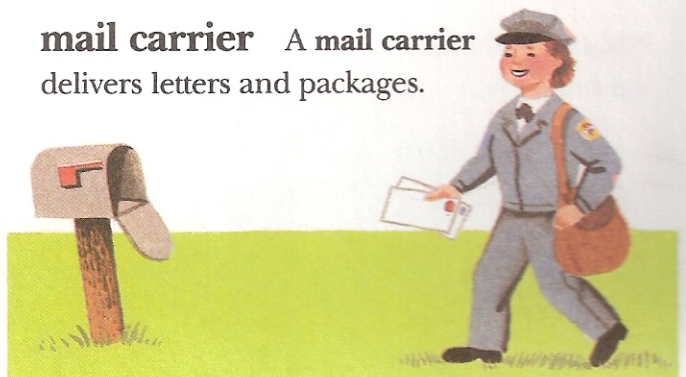
**magnet** A **magnet** can pick up things made of iron and steel.



**magnifying glass** A **magnifying glass** makes things look bigger than they are.

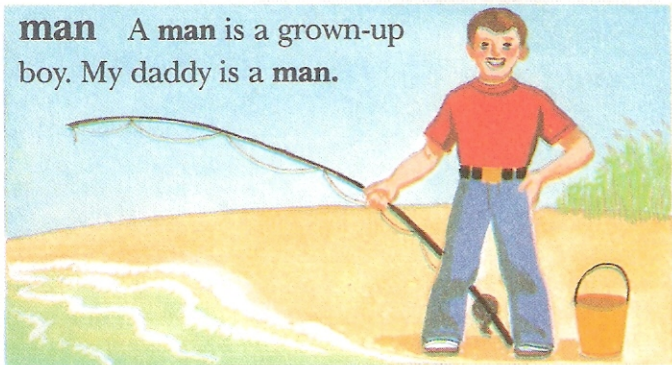


**mail carrier** A **mail carrier** delivers letters and packages.

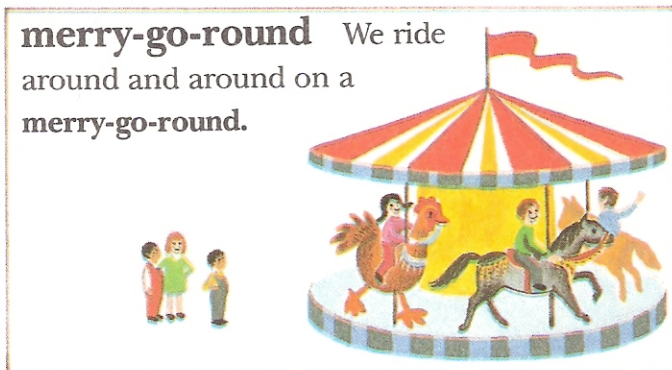




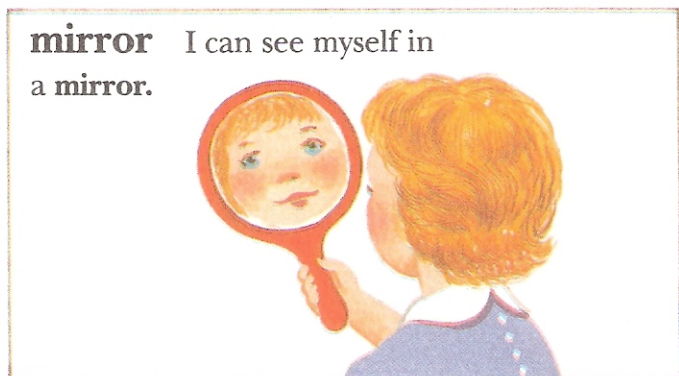
**man** A man is a grown-up boy. My daddy is a **man**.



**merry-go-round** We ride around and around on a merry-go-round.



**mirror** I can see myself in a mirror.



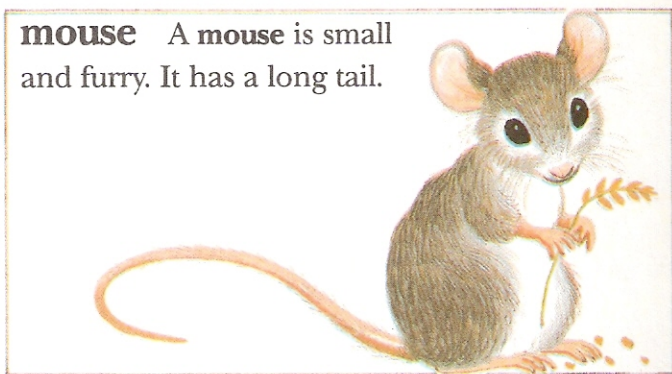
**money** We spend money to buy things.



**moon** The moon gives us light at night.



**mouse** A mouse is small and furry. It has a long tail.

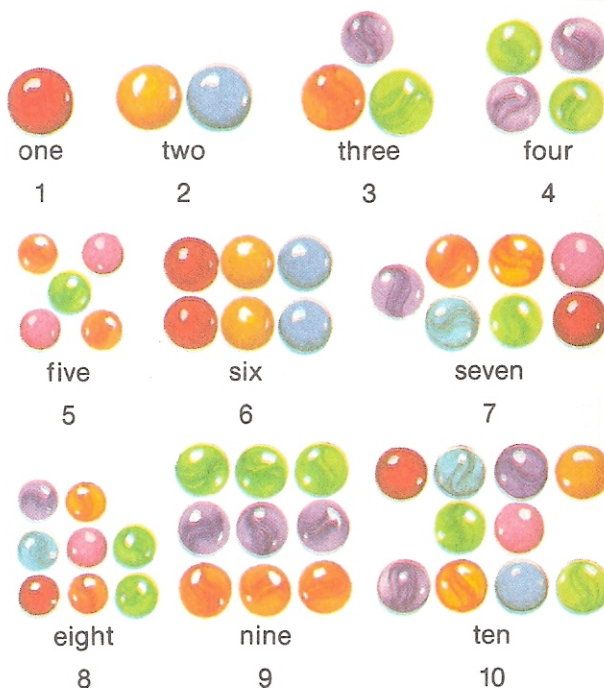


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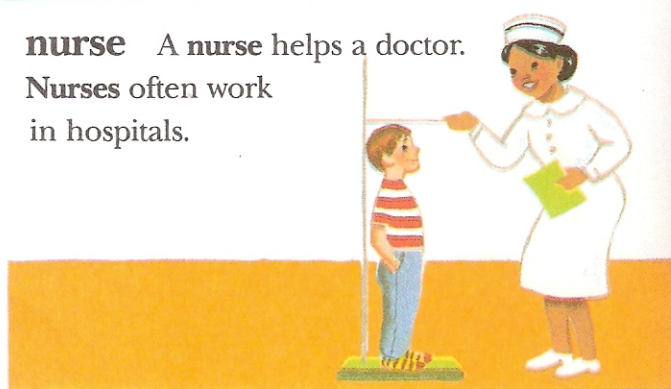
**nest** A nest is a home for birds.



**numbers** We use numbers to count things.



**nurse** A nurse helps a doctor. Nurses often work in hospitals.





**nut** A **nut** has a hard shell.  
The inside is usually good to eat.



**Pp**

**paint** I **paint** a picture  
with my **paints**.



**Oo**



**opposites** **Opposites** are  
two words with very different  
meanings.



soft



hard

little



big



new

old



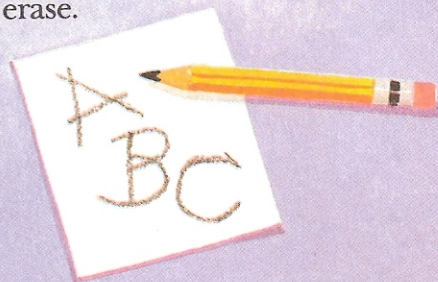
happy

sad

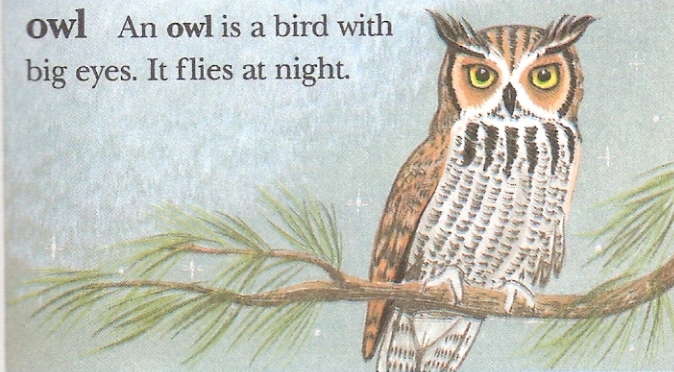
**orchestra** People in an **orchestra**  
make music together by playing instruments.



**pencil** I write with a **pencil**.  
Sometimes I erase.



**owl** An **owl** is a bird with  
big eyes. It flies at night.

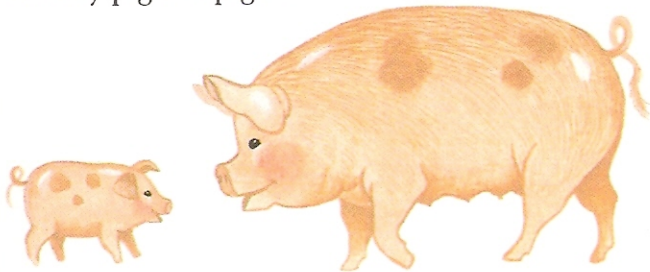


**picture** I drew a **picture**  
of my puppy. I will hang it on  
the wall.

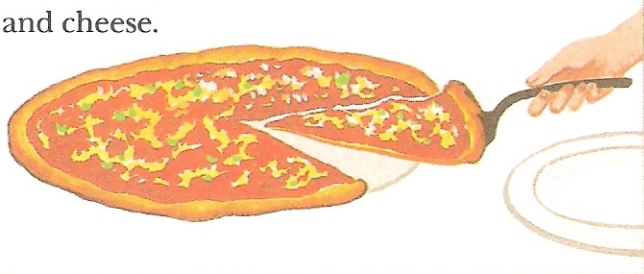




**pig** A **pig** is a farm animal with a curly tail.  
A baby pig is a piglet.



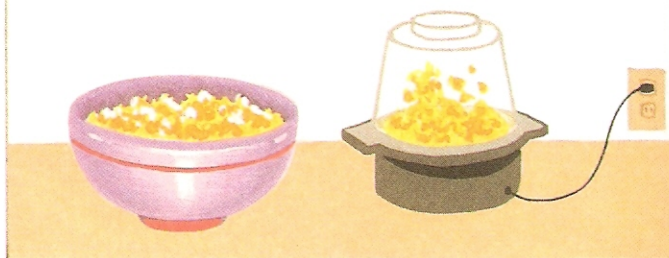
**pizza** **Pizza** is good to eat.  
It is made of dough, tomato sauce,  
and cheese.



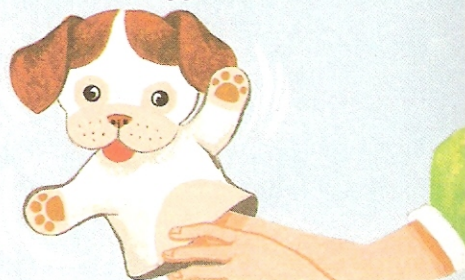
**playground** A **playground** is  
a place to play.



**popcorn** **Popcorn** pops when it is  
cooked. **Popcorn** is fun to eat.



**puppet** I put a **puppet** on my  
hand. It moves when I wiggle my  
fingers.



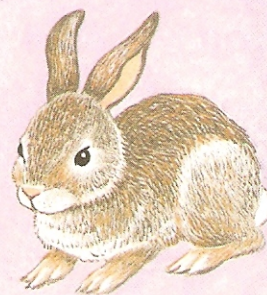
**Qq**

**quilt** I sleep under  
a warm **quilt**. It is  
made from pieces of cloth.



**Rr**

**rabbit** A **rabbit** has  
long ears and a short tail.



**police officer** A **police officer**  
protects and helps people.



**radio** I listen to music  
and talk shows on the **radio**.





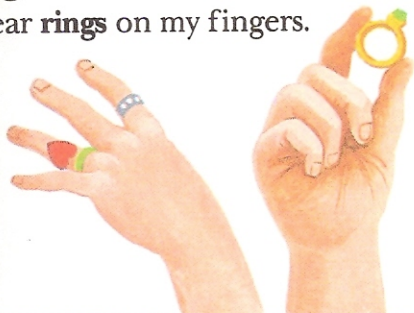
**rainbow** I saw a **rainbow** in the sky. It was raining and the sun was shining.



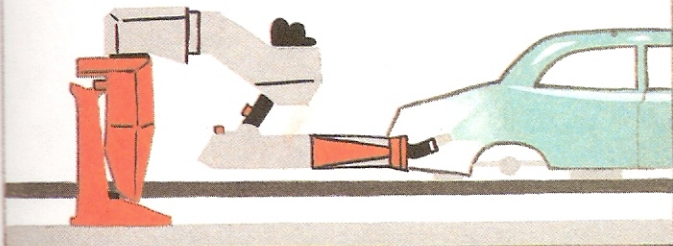
**record** When I play my **record** on a record player, I hear music.



**ring** A **ring** is round. I wear **rings** on my fingers.



**robot** A **robot** is a machine. It does jobs people can do.



**run** To **run** we move our feet fast. We race to see who **runs** the fastest.



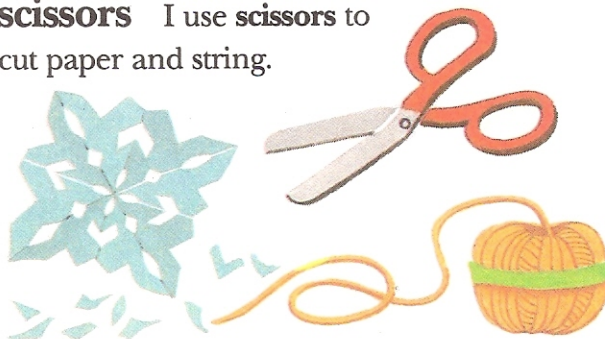
**Ss**

**school** In **school** we learn to read and write.

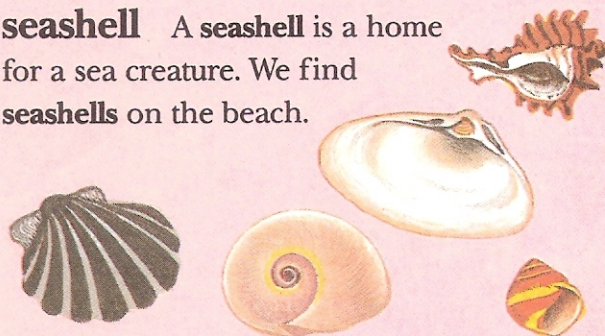


desk

**scissors** I use **scissors** to cut paper and string.



**seashell** A **seashell** is a home for a sea creature. We find **seashells** on the beach.



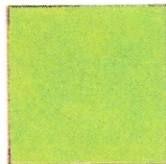
**shapes** I draw many **shapes** on my paper.



circle



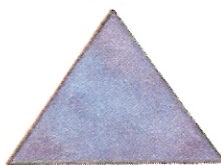
rectangle



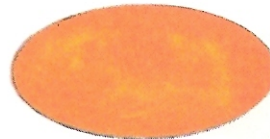
square



diamond



triangle



oval



**shoes** We wear **shoes** on our feet.



**socks** Socks come in pairs. We wear them on our feet inside our shoes.



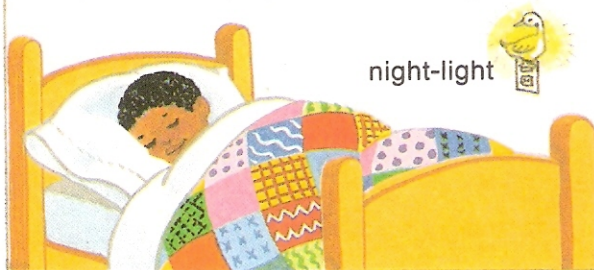
**skates** My roller **skates** roll on wheels. My ice **skates** glide on runners.



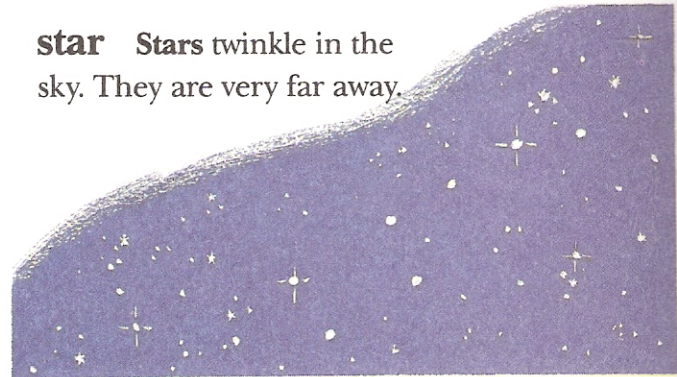
**squirrel** A squirrel has a bushy tail. It scampers up a tree.



**sleep** I **sleep** to rest my body. I close my eyes when I **sleep**.



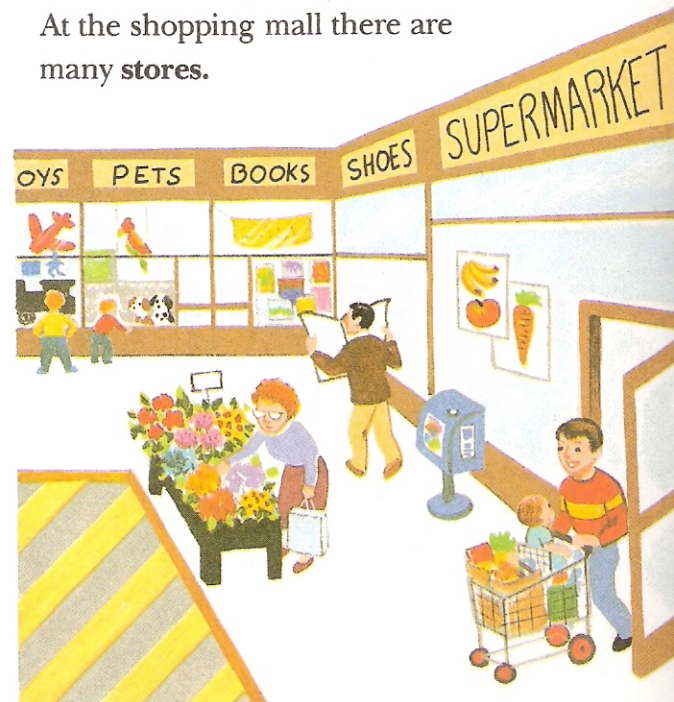
**star** Stars twinkle in the sky. They are very far away.



**snow** Snow is cold and fluffy. We do many things in the **snow**.

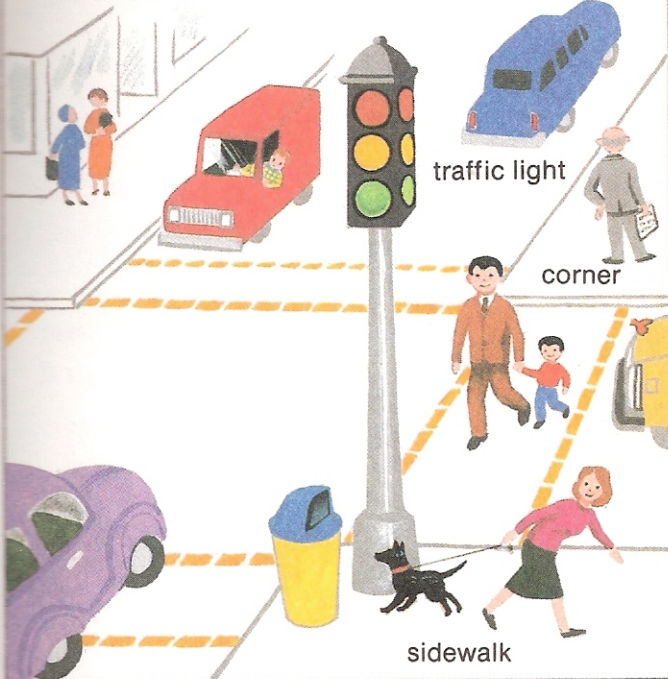


**store** We buy things in a **store**. At the shopping mall there are many **stores**.

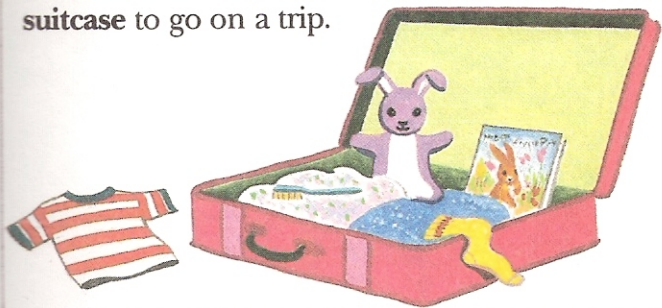




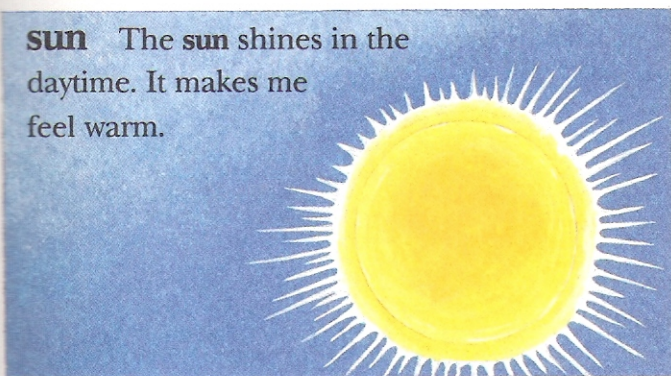
**street** Cars and trucks ride on the **street**.  
We cross the **street** at the corner.



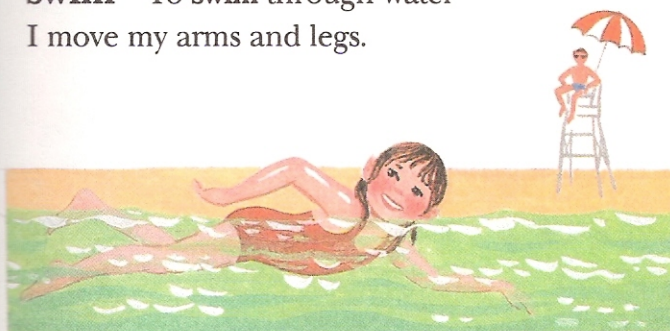
**suitcase** I pack my things in a  
**suitcase** to go on a trip.



**sun** The **sun** shines in the  
daytime. It makes me  
feel warm.

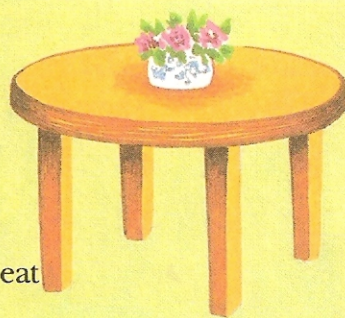


**swim** To **swim** through water  
I move my arms and legs.

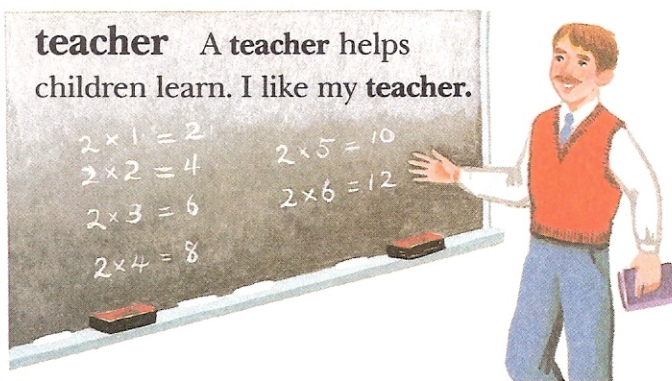


**Tt**

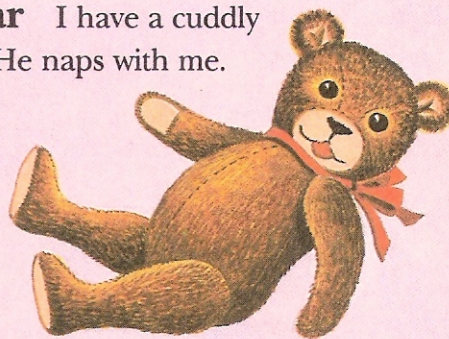
**table** A **table** has  
legs and a flat top. I eat  
at a **table**.



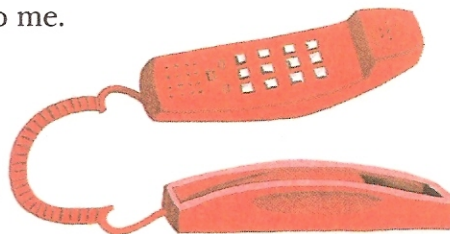
**teacher** A **teacher** helps  
children learn. I like my **teacher**.



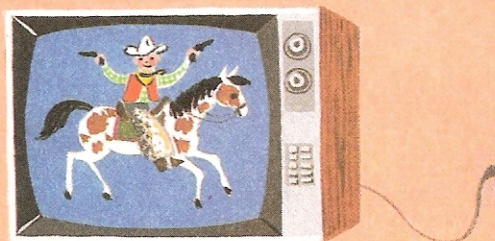
**teddy bear** I have a cuddly  
**teddy bear**. He naps with me.



**telephone** I call Grandpa on the  
**telephone**. I talk to him and he  
talks to me.

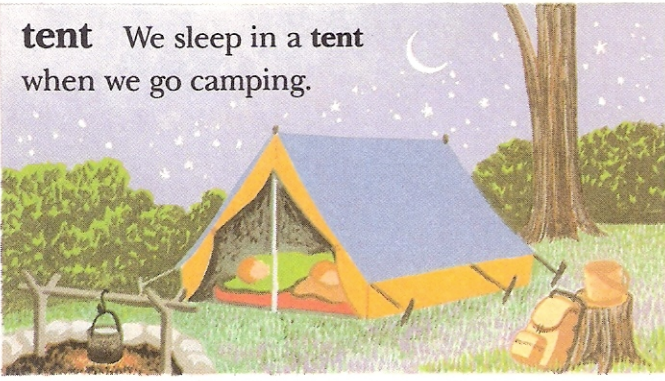


**television** I see moving pictures  
and hear sounds on a **television**—or TV.

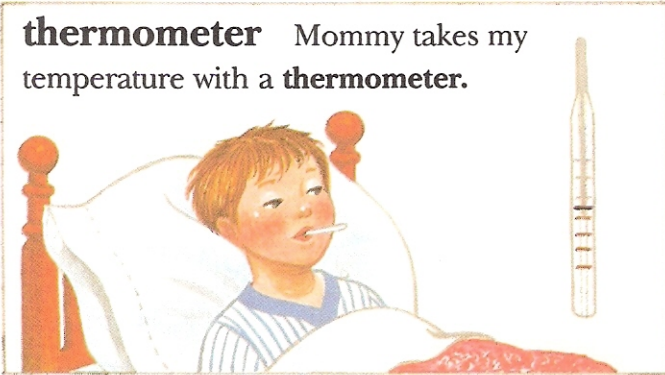




**tent** We sleep in a **tent** when we go camping.



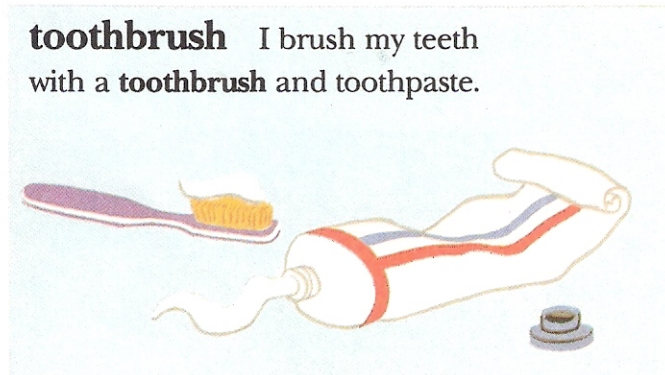
**thermometer** Mommy takes my temperature with a **thermometer**.



**tool** A **tool** helps us do work. Daddy has many **tools**.



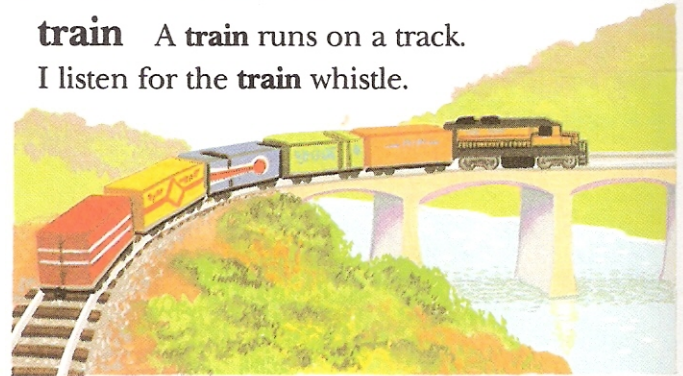
**toothbrush** I brush my teeth with a **toothbrush** and toothpaste.



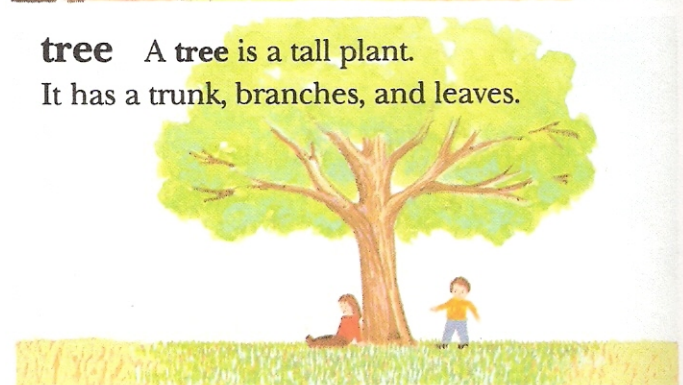
**toy** A **toy** is something to play with.



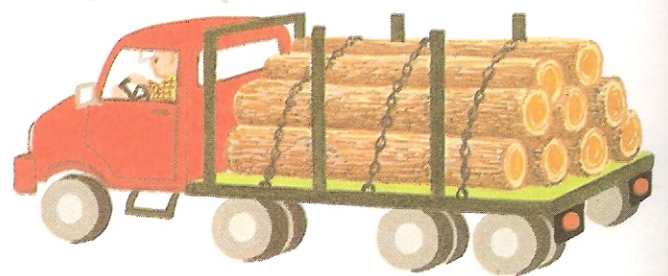
**train** A **train** runs on a track. I listen for the **train** whistle.



**tree** A **tree** is a tall plant. It has a trunk, branches, and leaves.

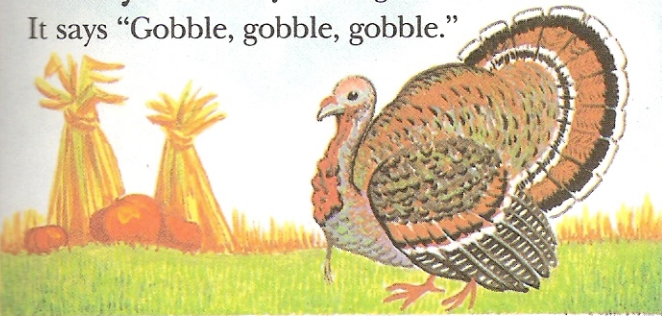


**truck** A **truck** has a motor and sometimes many wheels. It can haul heavy things.





**turkey** A turkey is a big bird.  
It says "Gobble, gobble, gobble."



**turtle** A turtle has a hard shell.  
It moves very slowly.

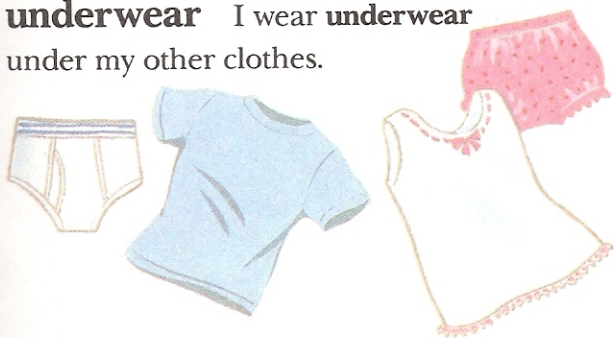


**Uu**

**umbrella** My umbrella  
keeps me dry in the rain.



**underwear** I wear underwear  
under my other clothes.

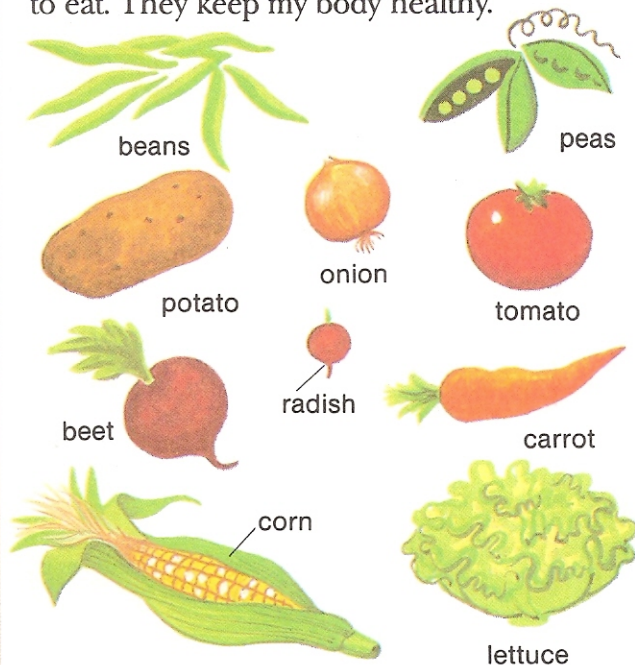


**Vv**

**valentine** I made a  
lacy valentine. It has  
a heart shape on it.



**vegetables** Vegetables are good  
to eat. They keep my body healthy.



**violin** A violin makes music  
when I pull a bow across its strings.



**Ww**

**wagon** A wagon has four  
wheels and a handle. I pull  
my puppy in my wagon.



**walk** To walk I move my feet.  
I walk down the steps.

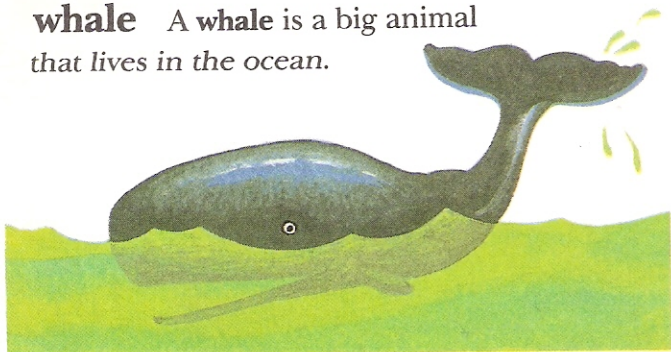




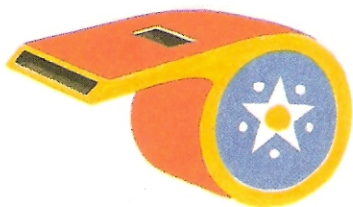
**water** When it rains, **water** falls from the sky. We drink **water** from a glass.



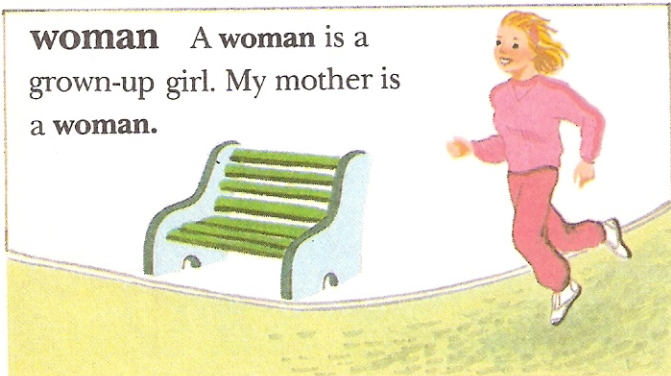
**whale** A **whale** is a big animal that lives in the ocean.



**whistle** When I blow my **whistle**, it goes "Tweet."

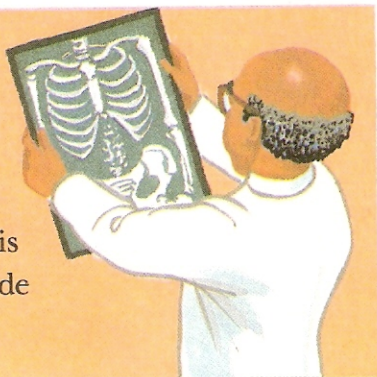


**woman** A **woman** is a grown-up girl. My mother is a **woman**.

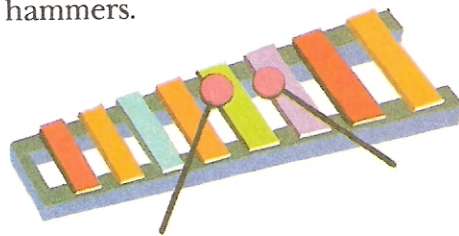


**Xx**

**X ray** An **X ray** is a picture of the inside of my body.

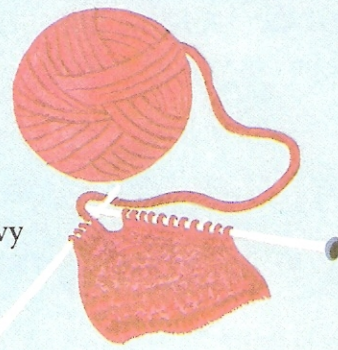


**xylophone** A **xylophone** makes music when I strike the bars with wooden hammers.



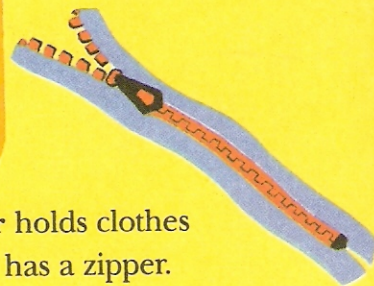
**Yy**

**yarn** Yarn is heavy thread used to knit.

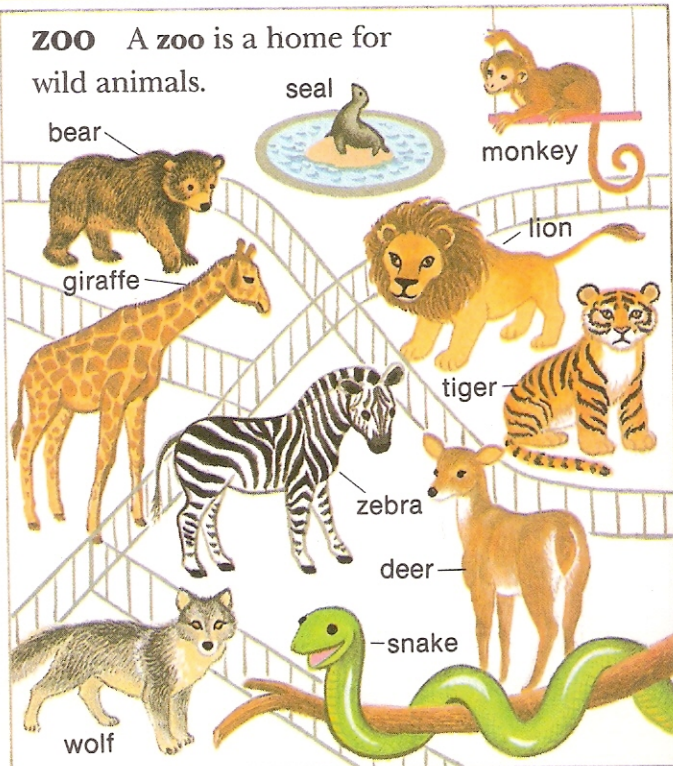


**Zz**

**zipper** A **zipper** holds clothes together. My jacket has a zipper.



**zoo** A **zoo** is a home for wild animals.







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