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Do your students need more practice with their beginning sounds? Use this beginning sounds Magic Square Puzzle FREEBIE!

You can purchase the entire six puzzle product here:

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Beginning-Sounds-558344>

The full product contains six puzzles, but this freebie contains just one puzzle. There are three versions of each puzzle. The first has students match two pictures that begin with the same letter. The second and third puzzles have students match one of the pictures to the corresponding letter. There are a total of 18 puzzles in this product. (Please look at the preview file if you are unsure about the format.)

Unlike most of my magic square puzzles, there are no pictures or words around the outside of these puzzles.

******These work best when printed in color so you can clearly check finished work. However, they will print fine in grayscale too.

Preparation and Storage: You will need to print off the desired number of copies. These work well for centers, individual practice, or whole group instruction. Cut the magic squares out and put them into plastic baggies for students' use. I put each set in its own plastic baggie. Then I put all of these baggies and one original sheet in a manila envelope with the name of the activity on the front. This way I have the answer key and all materials readily available.

Directions to Play: Give students the cut-up magic square sheet. Tell them they need to put the square back together. The first time you have the students complete one of these, I suggest drawing out a 3x3 square on the board so they understand what it should look like. You can also give them the hint (because I have found some do not figure this out!) that the graphics will all be facing the correct direction.

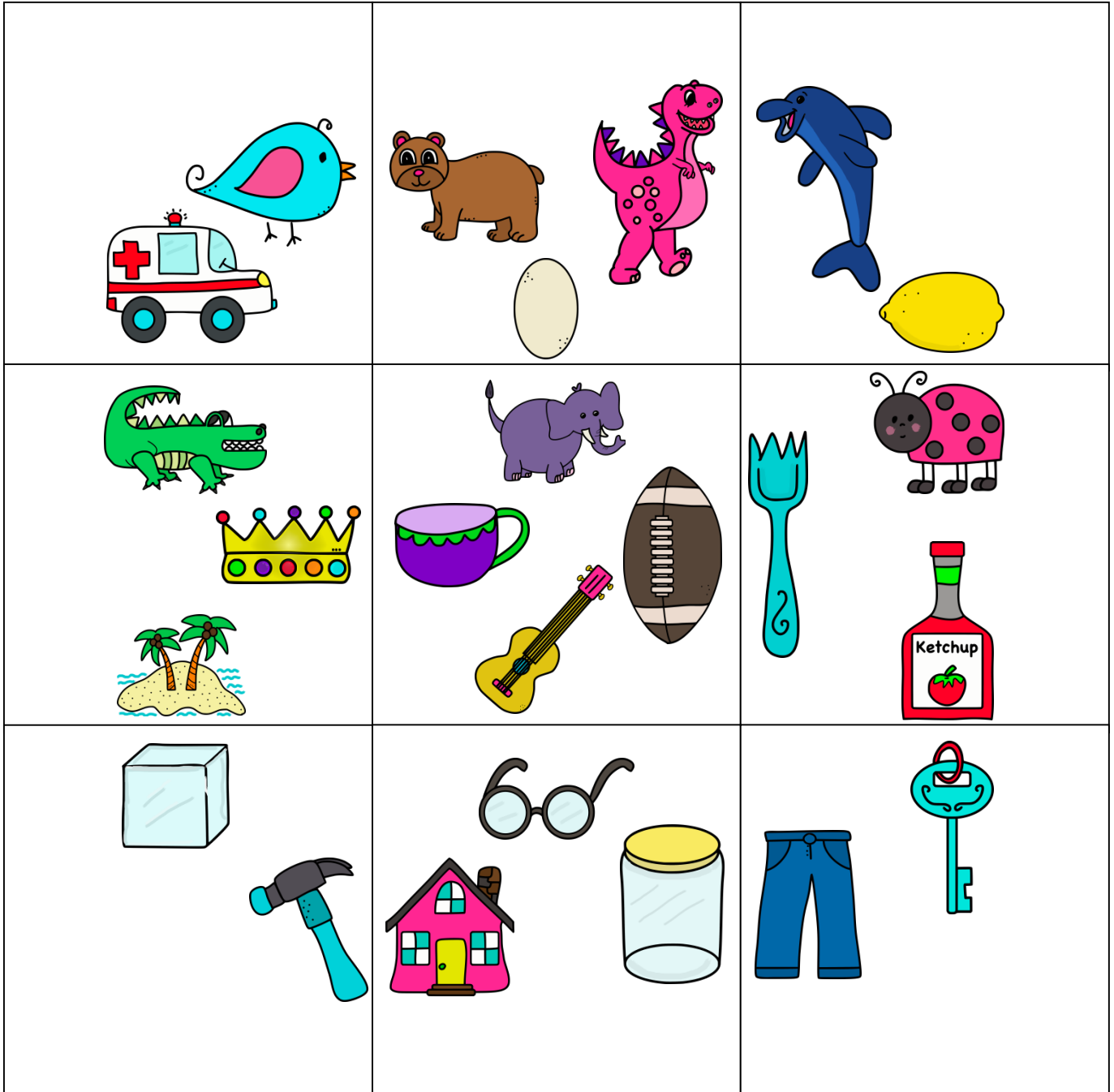
Correcting Student Work: To easily check a student's completed work, keep an original copy of the magic square sheet they are working on. This way you can immediately check to see if the graphics are in the correct order or not.

Still not sure how Magic Squares work? Check out this [blog post!](#)

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Beginning Sounds Magic Square #1 – Option 1

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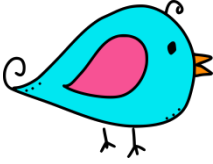
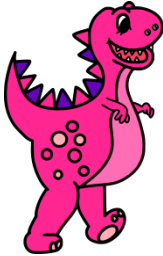

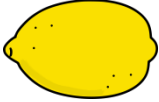







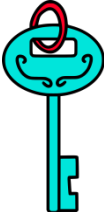
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 h	g  	j 

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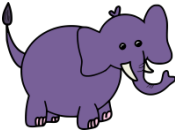





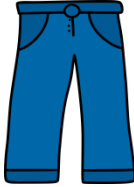
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 <p>a</p>	 <p>b</p>	 <p>i</p>
<p>a</p>  	  <p>c</p> <p>g</p>	 <p>f</p> 
<p>i</p> 	 <p>h</p> <p>j</p>	<p>k</p> 

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Credits Page

Fonts by [Jessica Stanford](#) and [Jen Jones – Hello Literacy](#).



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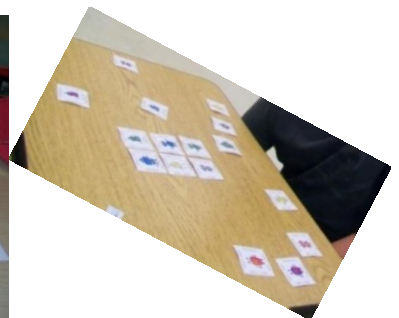
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Current Magic Square concepts include: [addition](#), [subtraction](#), [multiplication](#), [division](#), [color words](#), [letter recognition](#), [compound words](#), [irregular plural nouns](#), [irregular verbs](#), [contractions](#), [exponents](#), [states/capitals](#), [CVCC](#), [CVCE](#), [blends](#), [telling time](#), [money](#), [place value](#), [rounding](#), [lines/angles/rays](#), [fractions](#), [shapes](#), and [MORE](#)!

Magic Squares are being added regularly, so make sure to [follow my store](#)!

Here are some pictures of the Magic Squares in action!



Still not sure how Magic Square Puzzles work?

Check out [this YouTube video!](#)



Or look at this [blog post!](#)

