

Children's Speech and Language Therapy **Rhyme activities to support speech sounds**

Listening to rhyme helps your child to listen to the way a word sounds. It helps your child to notice words that sound similar. Playing rhyming games with clues helps your child 'tune' into rhyme.

Lots of children who see speech and language therapists for speech sounds may spend time practising rhyme.

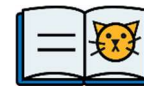
Asking your child to think of words that rhyme is tricky, you can help them by practising this together.

Matching and finding words that rhyme together is also fun to do with your child.

You can play games in different ways to keep practise fun.

Rhyme can be everywhere. You can help your child listen for rhyme in lots of different ways. You can try;

- Singing Nursery rhymes and songs that rhyme or
- Sharing Rhyming story books



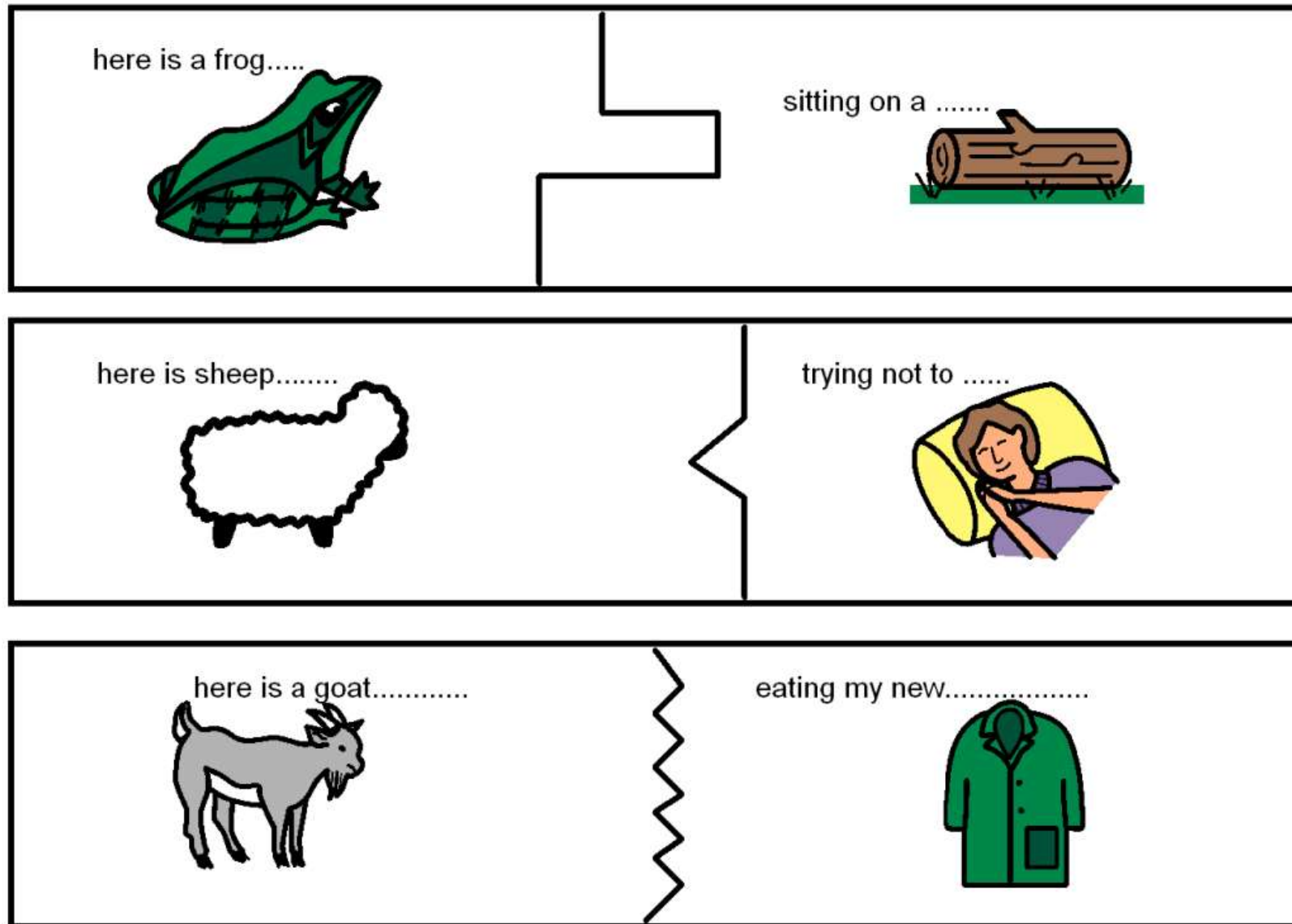
Slowing down books and songs helps make listening easier for your child. Reading and singing them again and again will help your child learn rhyme!

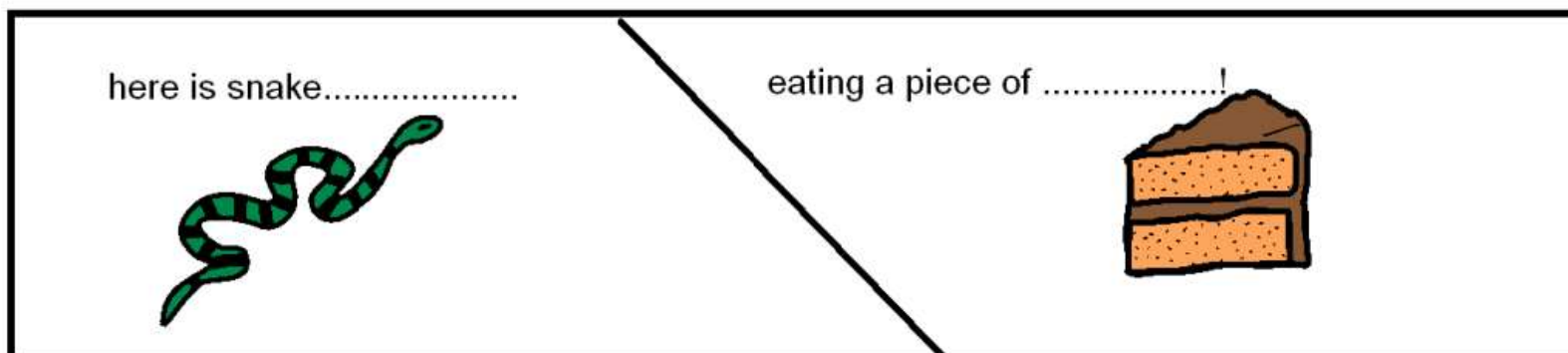
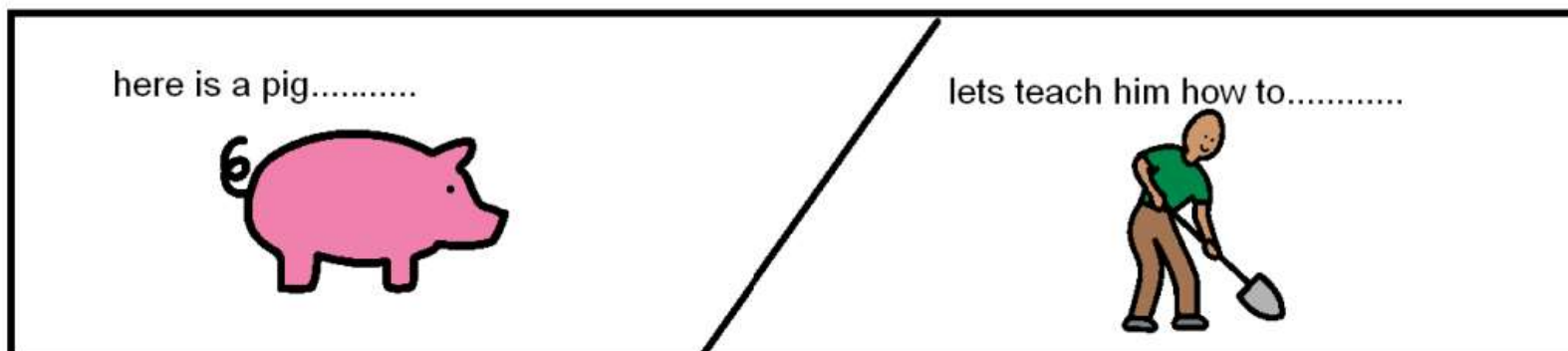
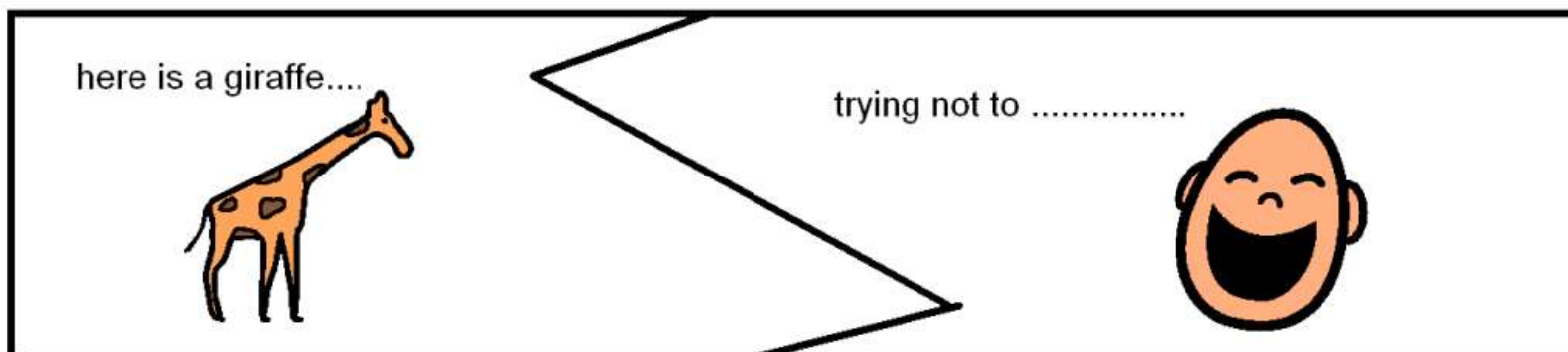
This pack includes activities that might help your child with rhyme. You can watch our [Rhyme activities to support speech sounds](#) video on our channel.



Rhyme jigsaws
Cut up the jigsaws and say the rhyme as you match them

here is a little mouse..... 	living in a 
Here's a naughty fox..... 	lets put him in a..... 
here is a cat 	wearing a 

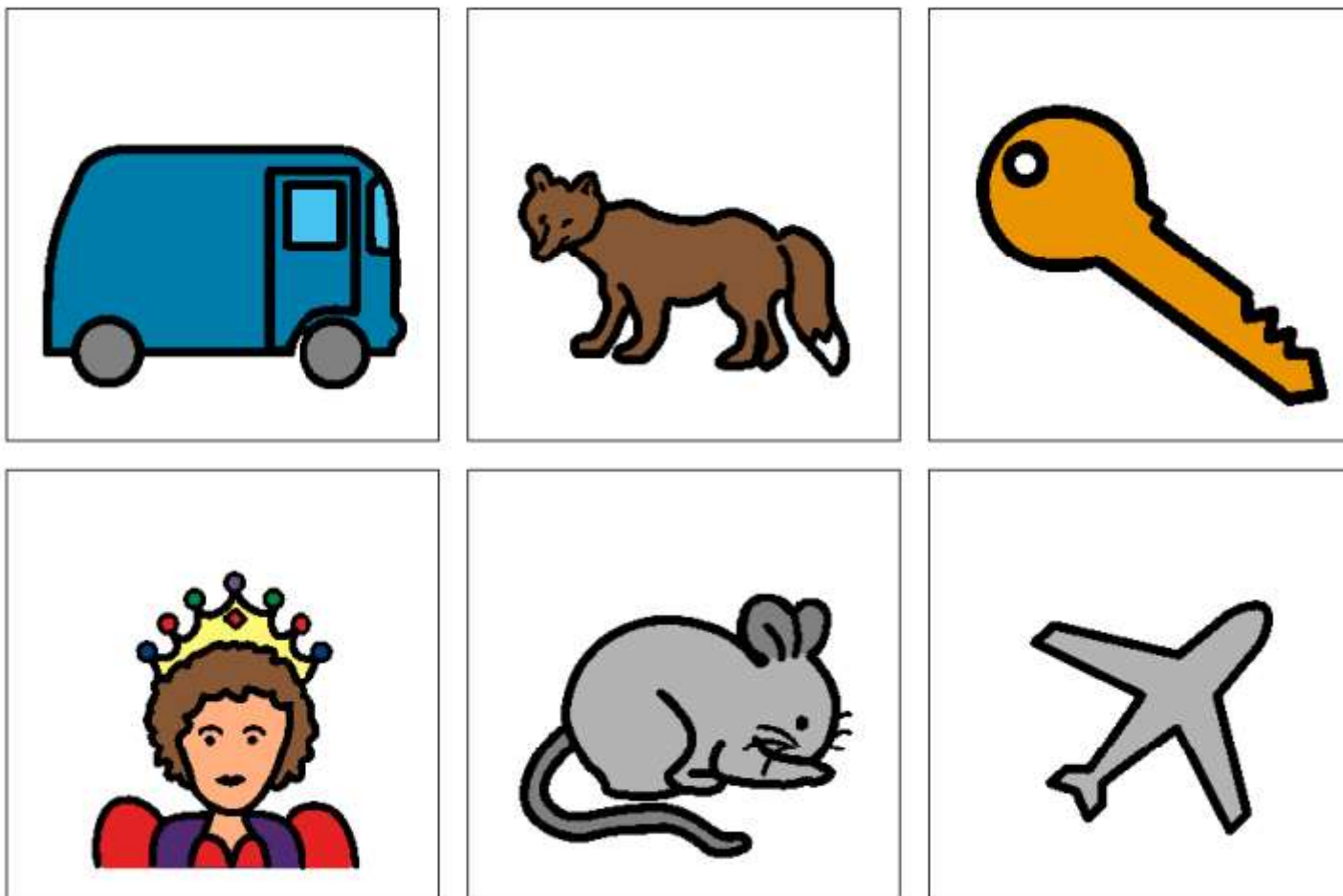


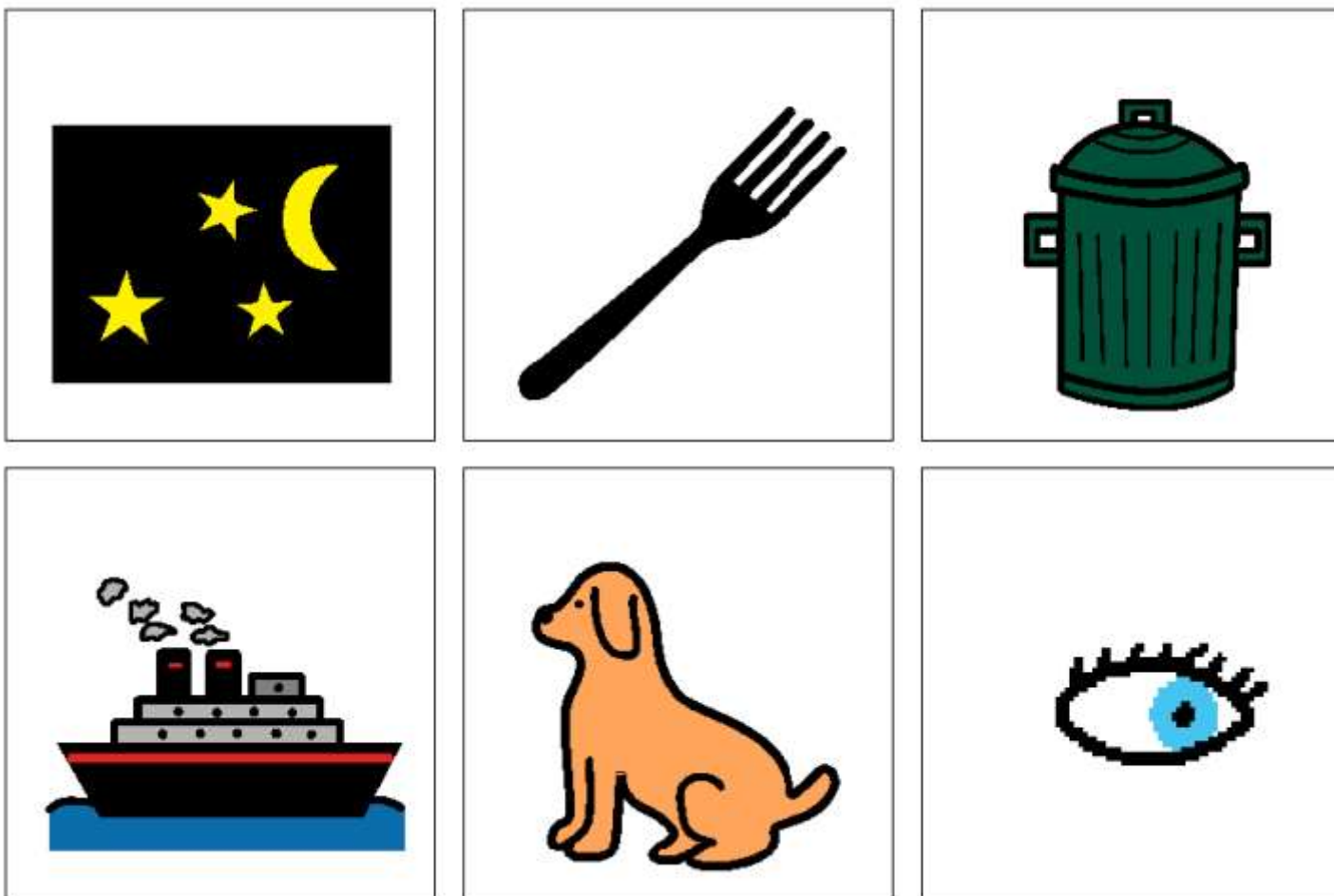


Rhyme lottos

Print out 2 copies of each sound board. Cut 1 copy out. Use 1 copy as the lotto sound boards. See if your child can match the card in their hand to the rhyming word on the lotto board.



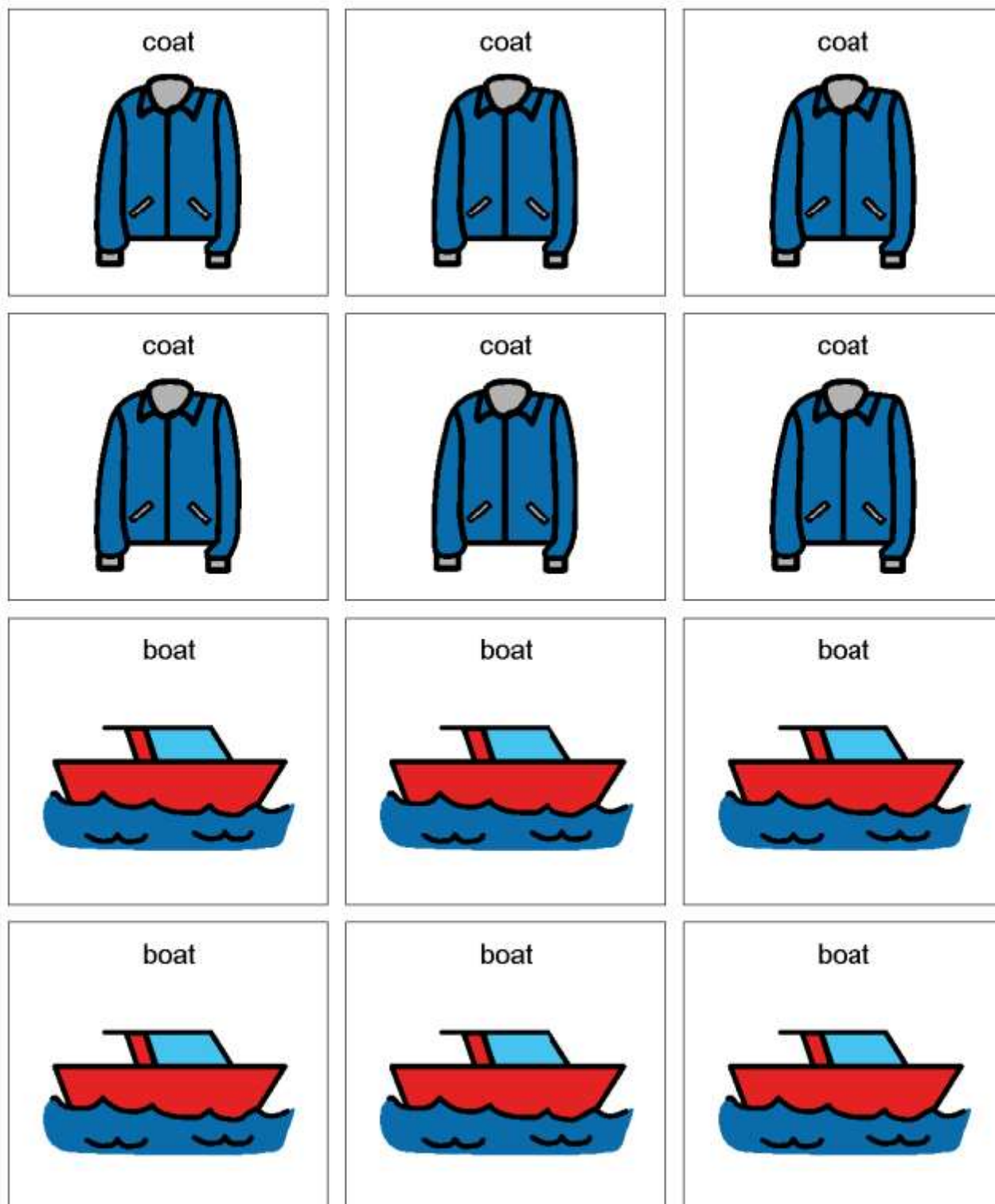


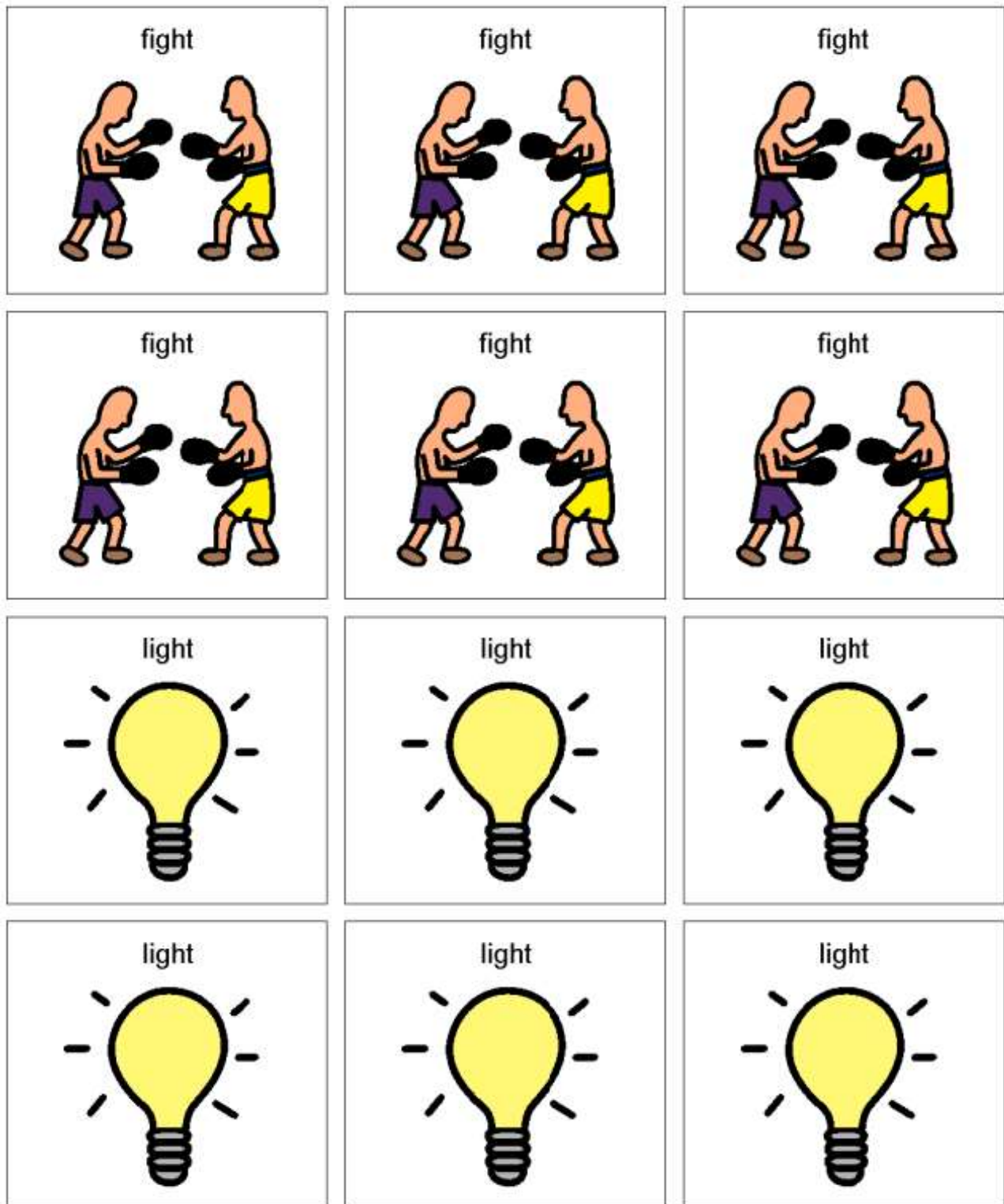




Rhyme snap game

Cut out the cards and share them out. Take it in turns to place a card on the pile and match rhyming pairs







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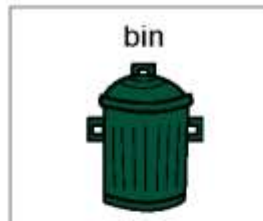
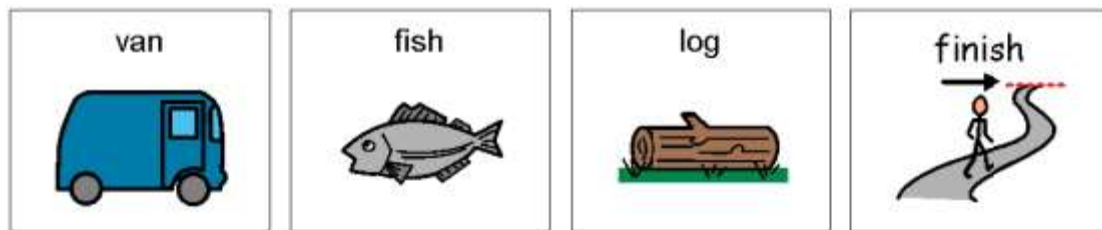


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Rhyme generation game

Let your child match rhyming words on the board or think of their own rhyming words



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