

Eat your Food Mr Dinosaur! Phonics game

Learning

- For the youngest children recognising when words start with the same sound
- Learning new vocabulary
- Linking sounds and letters

Overview

Each child is given a dinosaur grid, featuring a picture of a dinosaur and a space for three items of food and the name of dinosaur to each grid. Players must collect the food that begin with the same sound as the initial letter of the dinosaur featured on their grid.

How to play

Lay the food cards face up and encourage the children to take turns to find their items one at a time. Encourage them to name them if they can and then say the word clearly yourself, emphasising the initial sounds.

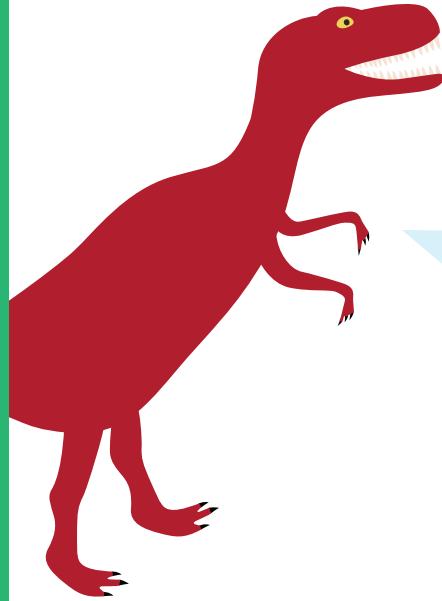
Tip the cards back onto the table and mix them face down.

Children take turns to choose a card - if it's not theirs they return it to the table. The game continues until everyone fills their grid. The first player to finish wins.

To make the game shorter they could give the card to the dinosaur it belongs to if the card does not belong on their grid.

The dinosaur food cards depict the following:

Tiger, turtle, turkey, mouse, monkey, magpie, broccoli, biscuit, banana, daisy, donut, daffodil, pear, pasta, peach



Megalosaurus

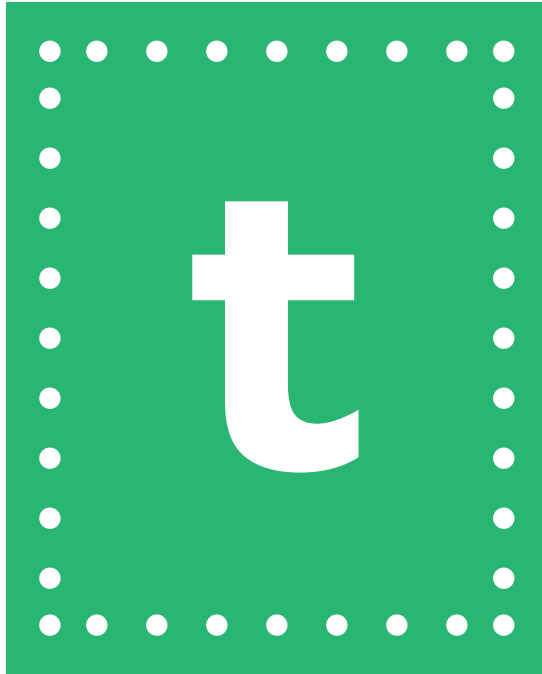
(carnivore)

Can you find all of the words
beginning with the letter 'm'?
These are the things I like to eat.

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Tyrannosaurus

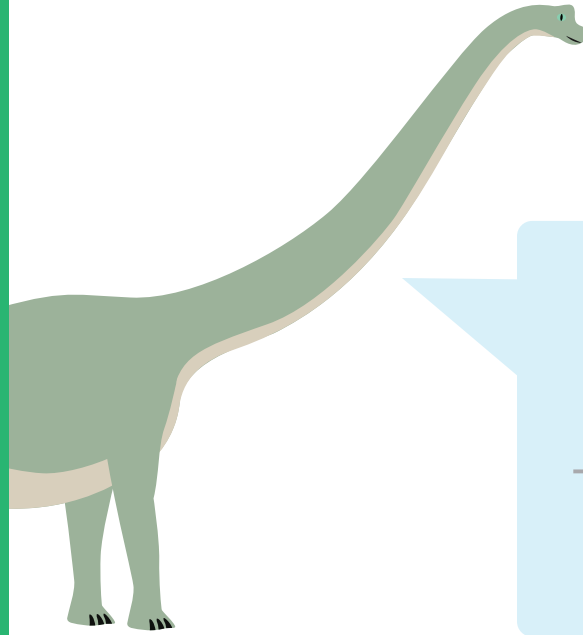
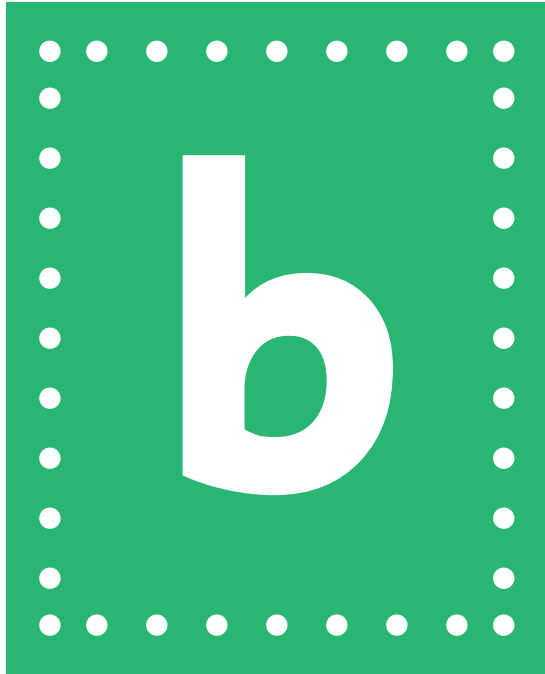
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Can you find all of the words
beginning with the letter 't'?
These are the things I like to eat.

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Brachiosaurus

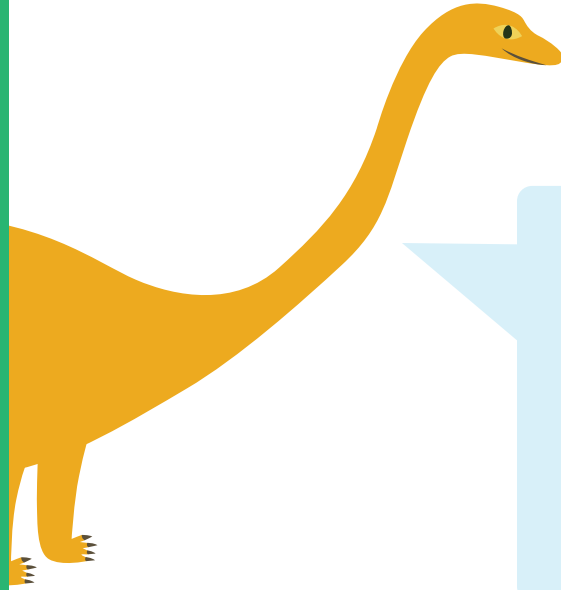
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Can you find all of the words
beginning with the letter '**b**'?
These are the things I like to eat.

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Diplodocus

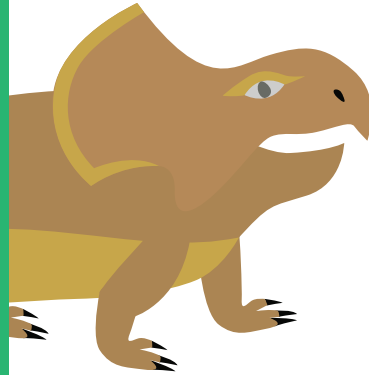
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Can you find all of the words
beginning with the letter 'd'?
These are the things I like to eat.

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Protoceratops

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Can you find all of the words
beginning with the letter '**p**'?
These are the things I like to eat.

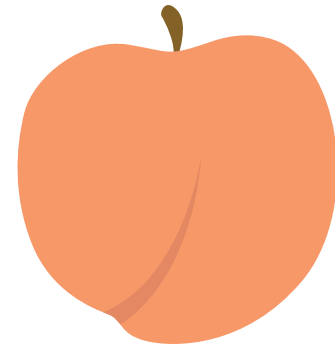
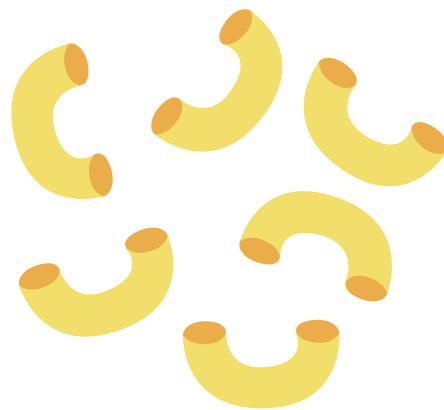
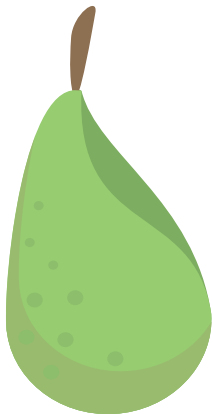
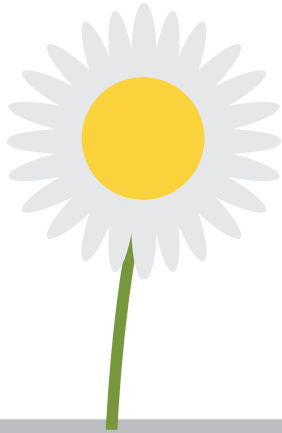
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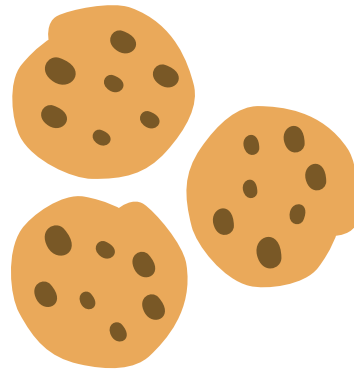
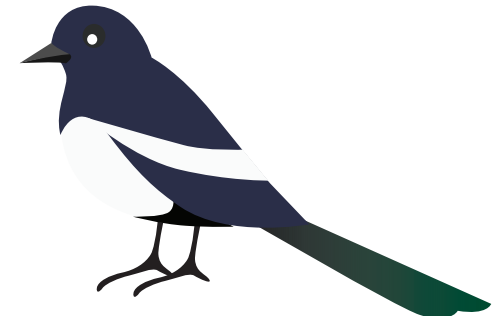
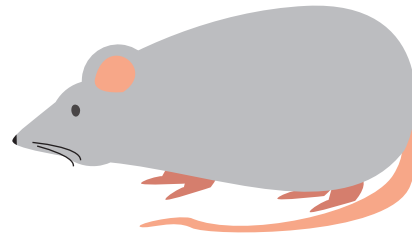
Food cards

Cut out the cards and shuffle.



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