BIG AND SMALL SORTING

Size Sort Task Box



3 LEVELS



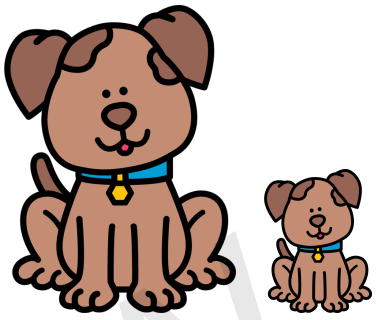
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Big and Small Sorting

A size-sort task box in 3 levels. Start here.

What's inside



- 3 levels, each with its own sort mat and a cut page of 12 pictures (36 pieces in all)
- Level 2 also as an ink-saver mat and cut page (12 more pieces)
- A Level 3 write page, size words, answer key, data sheet, filled example, progress roll-up, helper card, note for home and a binder set

The three levels

- **Level 1, circle.** BIG and SMALL bins. A faint picture of the right size sits in each bin, so the student can match first.
- **Level 2, square.** The same bins with words only and no picture cue. New pictures, each once big and once small.
- **Level 3, triangle.** A ball is printed on the mat and every picture is the same size, so the student thinks about the real thing: is a cow bigger or smaller than a ball? Then the student writes it down.

Three steps

- 1. Print one mat and its cut page for each student.
- 2. The student cuts out the 12 pictures and glues each one in a bin.
- 3. Check with the answer key, mark the data sheet, and move up or back a level when you decide.

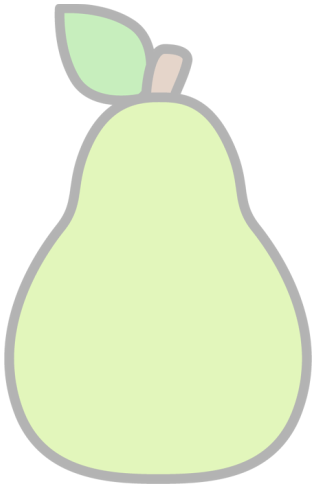
The pieces touch edge to edge with dashed lines, so cutting is straight lines only. The level is named in the small footer line on each student page.

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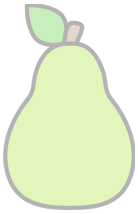
Glue each picture in its bin.

My name _____

BIG



SMALL



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My name _____

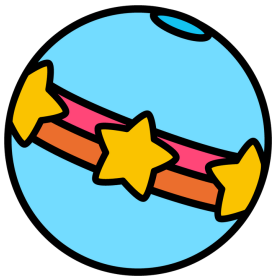
BIG	SMALL
glue here	glue here

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Bigger or smaller than a ball? Glue it.

My name _____



a ball

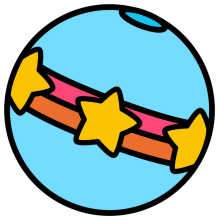
BIGGER

SMALLER

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Write what you sorted.

My name _____



Pick a picture from the mat. Is the real thing bigger or smaller than a ball?

The _____ is bigger than a 

The _____ is bigger than a 

The _____ is bigger than a 

The _____ is smaller than a 

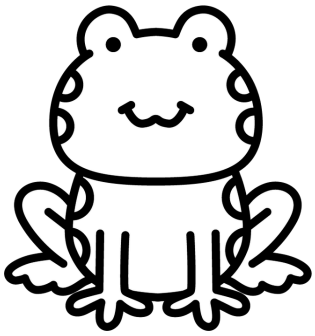
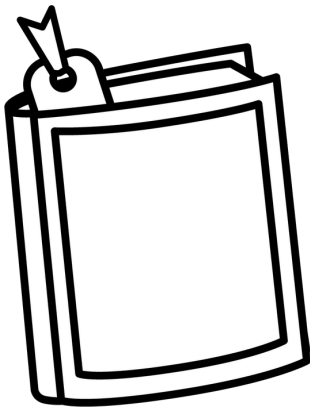
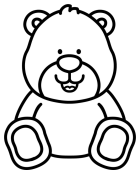
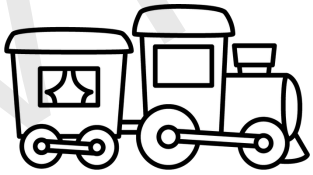
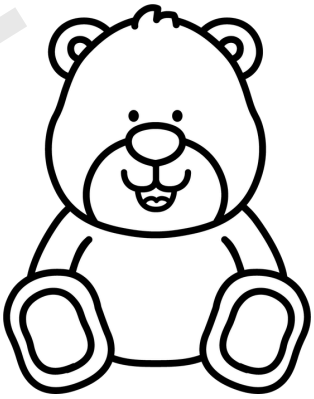
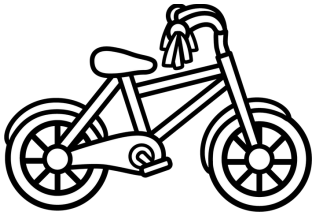
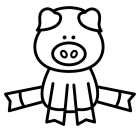
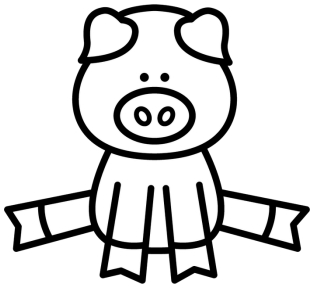
The _____ is smaller than a 

The _____ is smaller than a 

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Cut out each picture.

My name _____

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

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Data Sheet

Student: _____ Goal:

_____

Date	Level	Correct / 12	Notes

Move up when the student is ready, and back when the task is too hard. Write your own rule here: _____

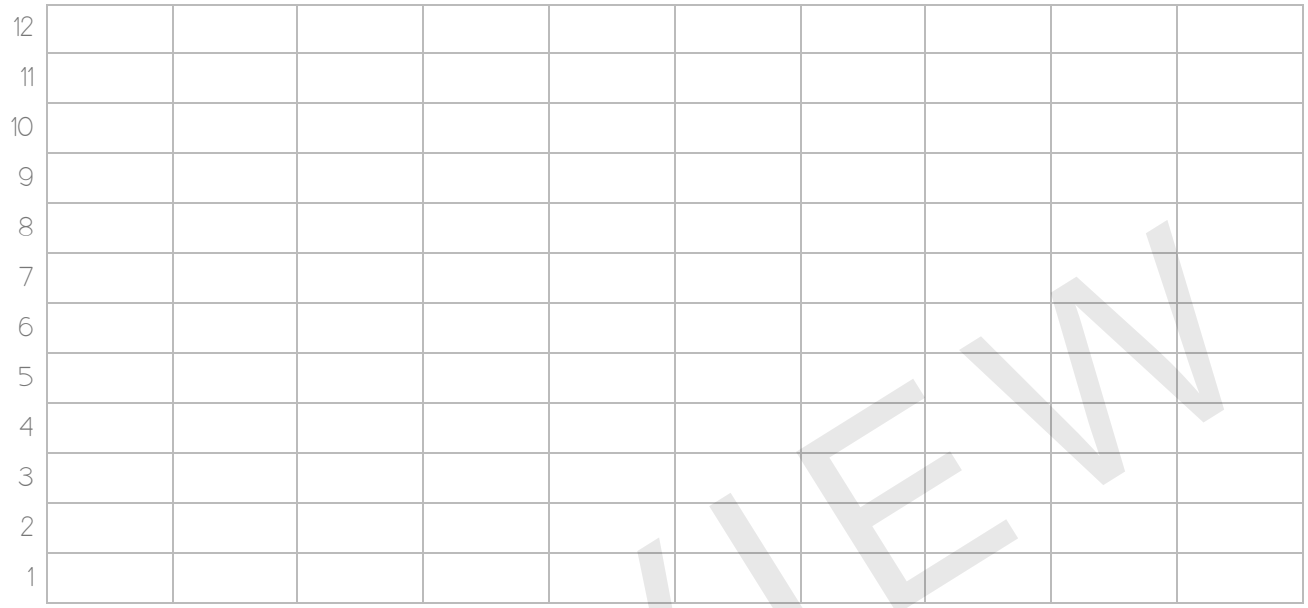
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Progress Roll-Up

Student: _____ Dates: _____ to _____

After each session, color one column up to the number correct. Write the level under the column.



Summary for the team

	First score	Best score
Level 1	_____ / 12	_____ / 12
Level 2	_____ / 12	_____ / 12
Level 3	_____ / 12	_____ / 12

What I noticed: _____

_____

Next step, in my own words: _____

_____

Next check date: _____ Shared with: _____

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Big and Small at Home

Dear family, today we practiced telling big things from small things. Here are easy ways to practice at home.

Try this

- Find one big thing and one small thing in the kitchen. Say "big" and "small" together.
- Line up three shoes or cups from smallest to biggest.
- Ask, "Is this bigger or smaller than your hand?"
- Take a walk and point out one big thing and one small thing outside.

Words we used

big, small, bigger, smaller

A note from school

_____

_____

Teacher: _____ Date: _____

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Teacher prep: cut. Slide into the binder spine.

Big and Small

Level 1

Level 2

Level 3

My Own

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What's Next

Keep going with sorting

- Sort the same cut pieces a second way: by what they are (animals, vehicles, things) instead of by size.
- Mix the Level 1 and Level 2 pieces into one pile and sort them on the Level 2 mat.
- Draw two things of your own on a blank page: one big, one small.

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