How to Cook a Turkey

CRAFT & WRITING UNIT



58 pages · craft · 3 levels

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How to Cook a Turkey Week — Start Here

Do one activity a day. Pull the page and go.

This week

- [ ] Start each day at circle time with the pictures and words on the vocabulary cards. Children love the repeat, and each day they join in more.
- [ ] Then do that day's activity. Every student page has one short direction and a picture, so a paraprofessional can run it too.
- [ ] Teach the core word **cook** all week: point to it on the talker or core board every time it comes up during the day.
- [ ] Cutting pages are built for small hands: five or more big pieces, lined up so every cut is one straight line. Pre-cut them for students who are not cutting yet.
- [ ] Sorting, counting, letters and writing come in three levels, marked with a small shape so children do not compare: ● starting (errorless matching), ▪ building, ▲ ready for more.
- [ ] Print the color pages, or use the ink-saver pages at the back on a photocopier.
- [ ] **Day 5 craft:** Color the roasting pan and glue it on the left of the paper. Write or draw one step on each card: First, Next, Then, Last. Glue the cards down the right side in order, then glue the turkey in the pan. Read the steps back in order!

DAY	EACH DAY	ALSO PRACTICING
Day 1	Sort: food or not food? (3 levels)	cutting straight lines, gluing, sorting
Day 2	Count the drumsticks and glue or write the number (3 levels)	counting 1–5, 6–10
Day 3	Letter T: find it, match it, or hear it (3 levels); trace or write	letter T, beginning sound, pencil grip
Day 4	Cook dinner: put the steps in order.	life skill: first/next/then/last
Day 5	Craft: write the steps on the cards and build a roasting pan.	writing, cutting straight lines, gluing, following steps

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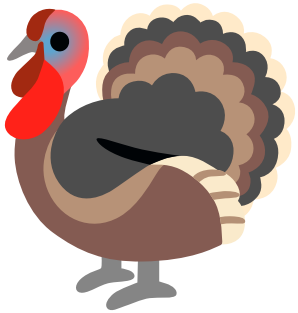
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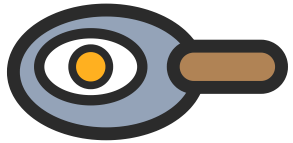
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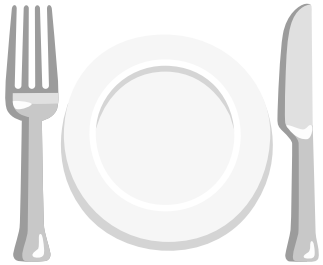
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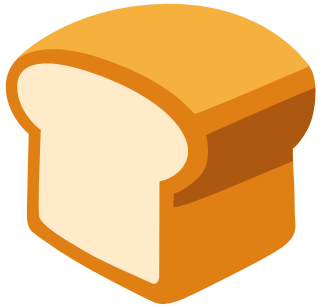
plate



drumstick



pie



bread



thanks

How many? Tap the number!



4 5 6

Find every T and t!



Tt is for turkey

T	I	t	L	T	F
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