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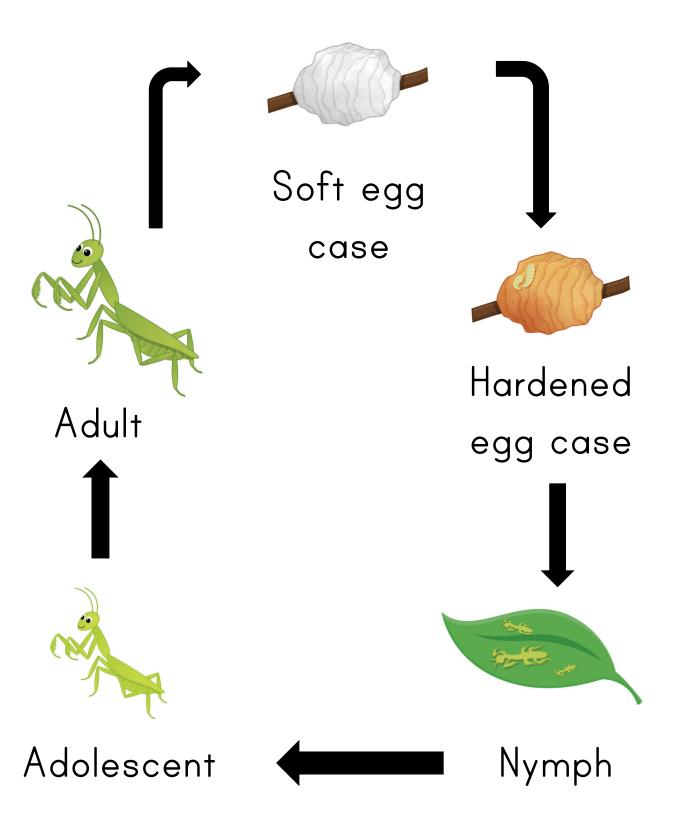
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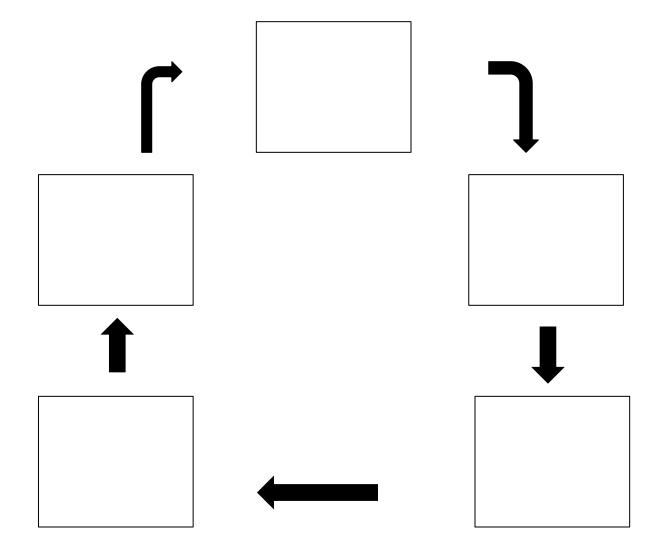




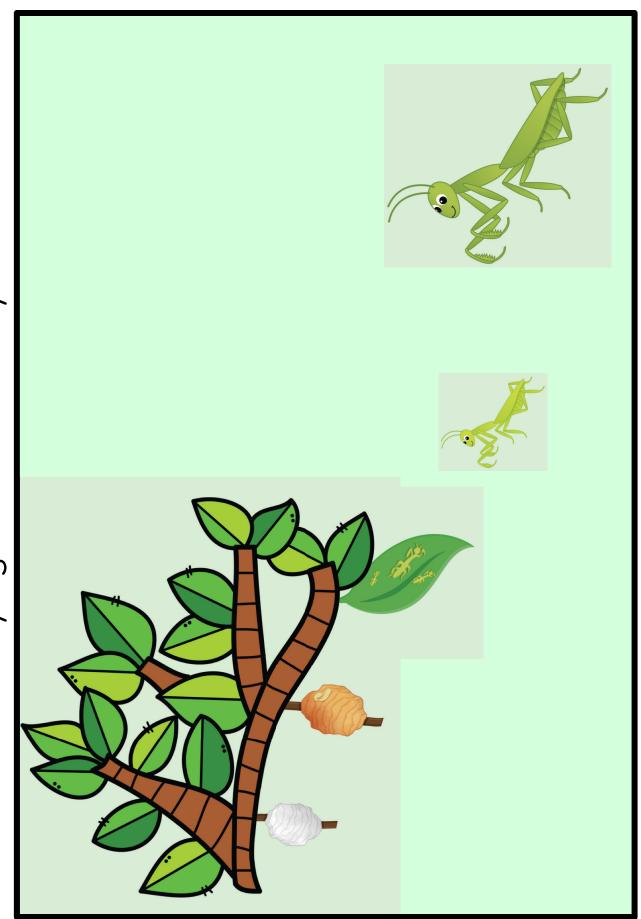
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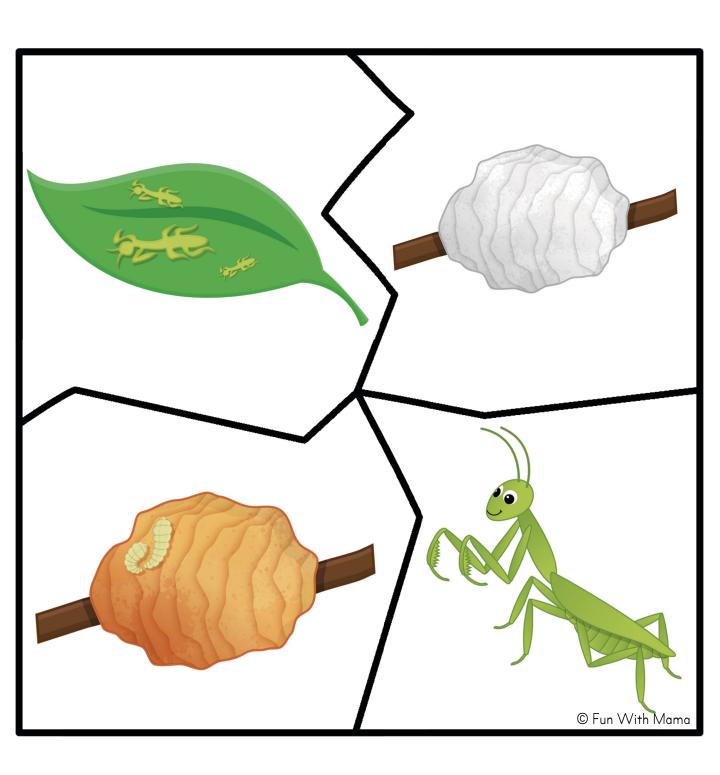
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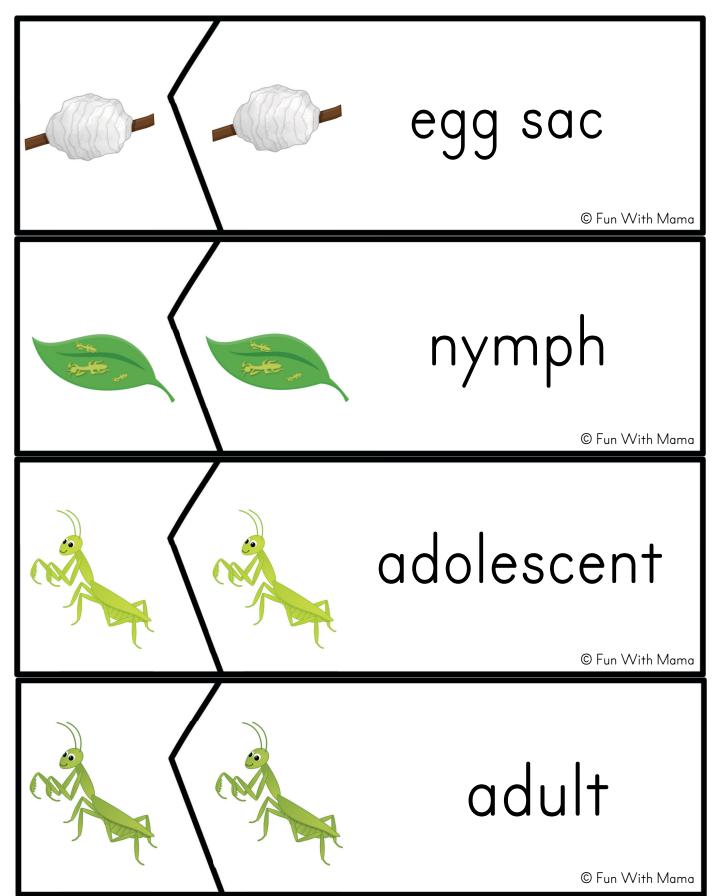


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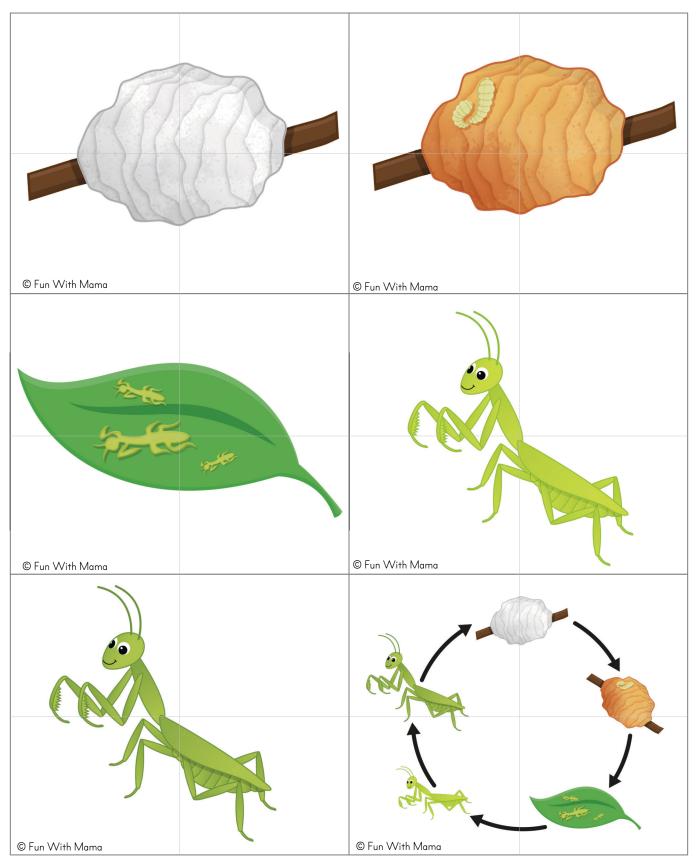


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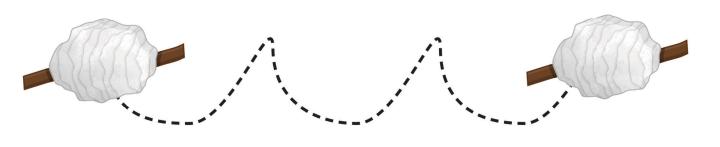


Puzzle Cards - Four Piece



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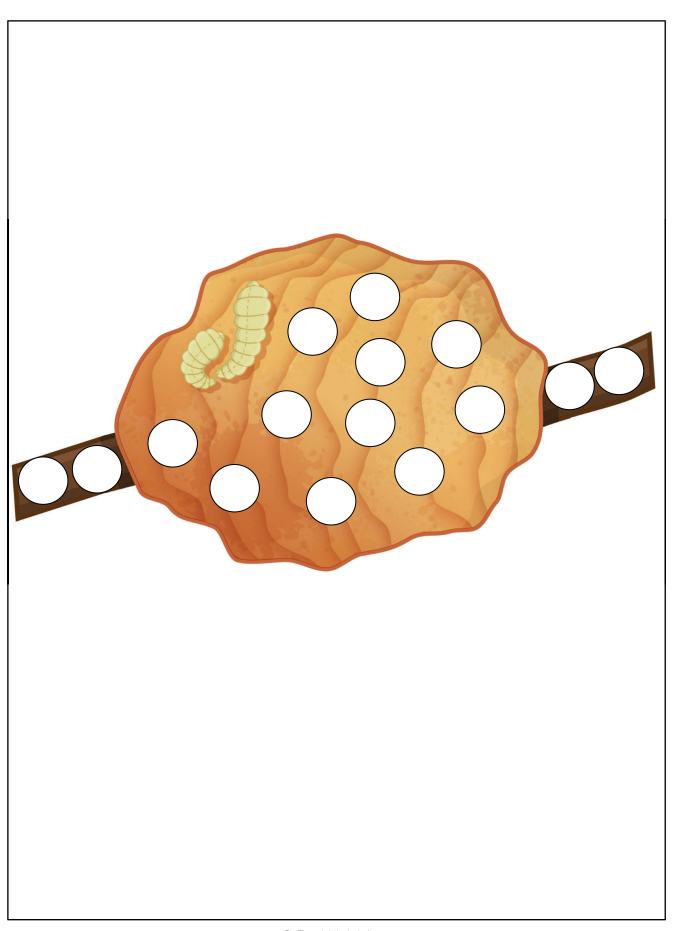
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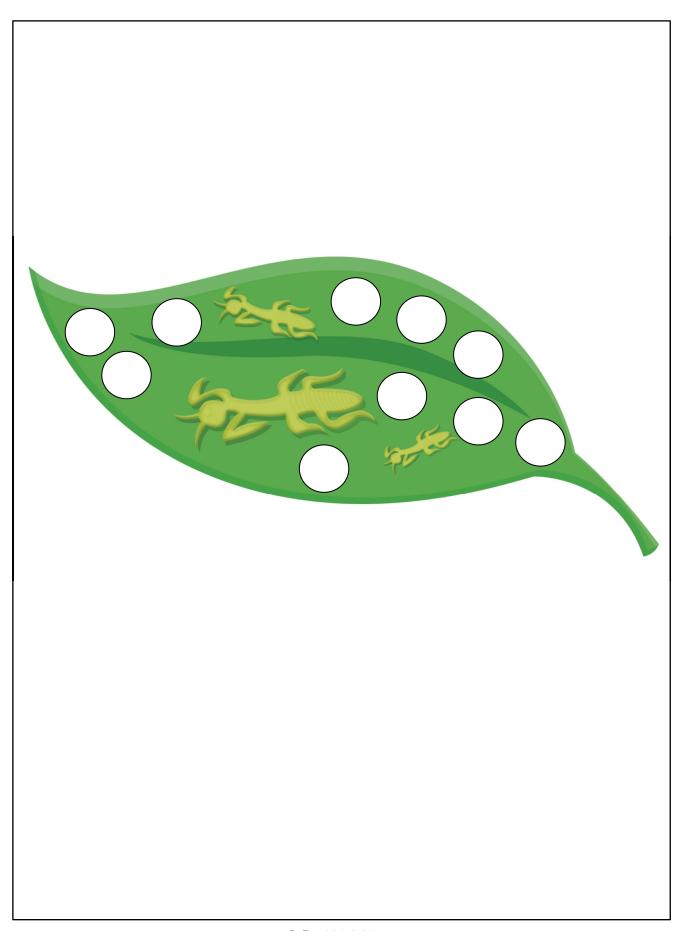


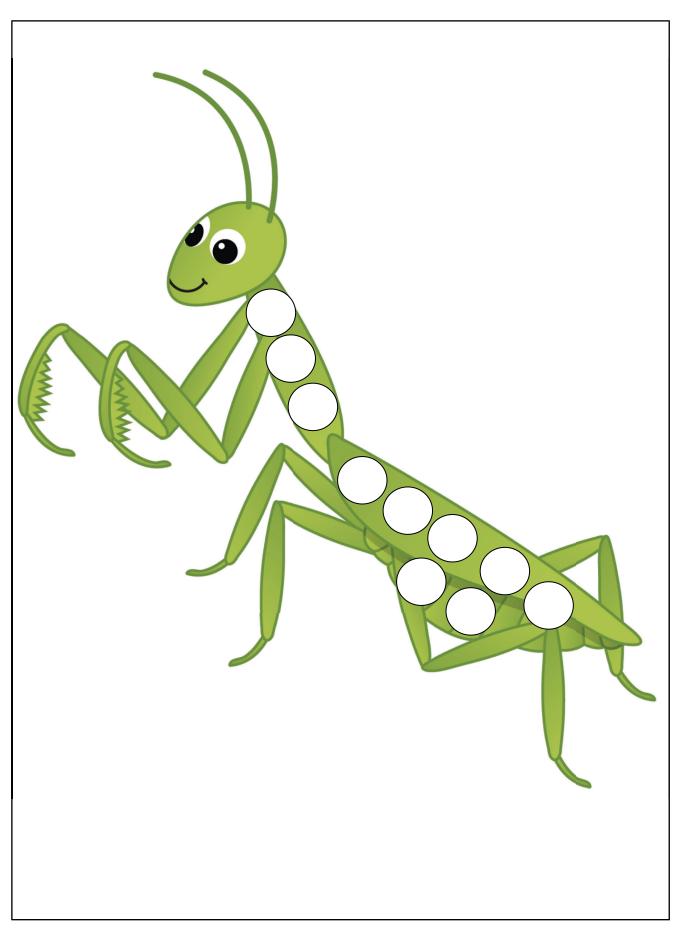




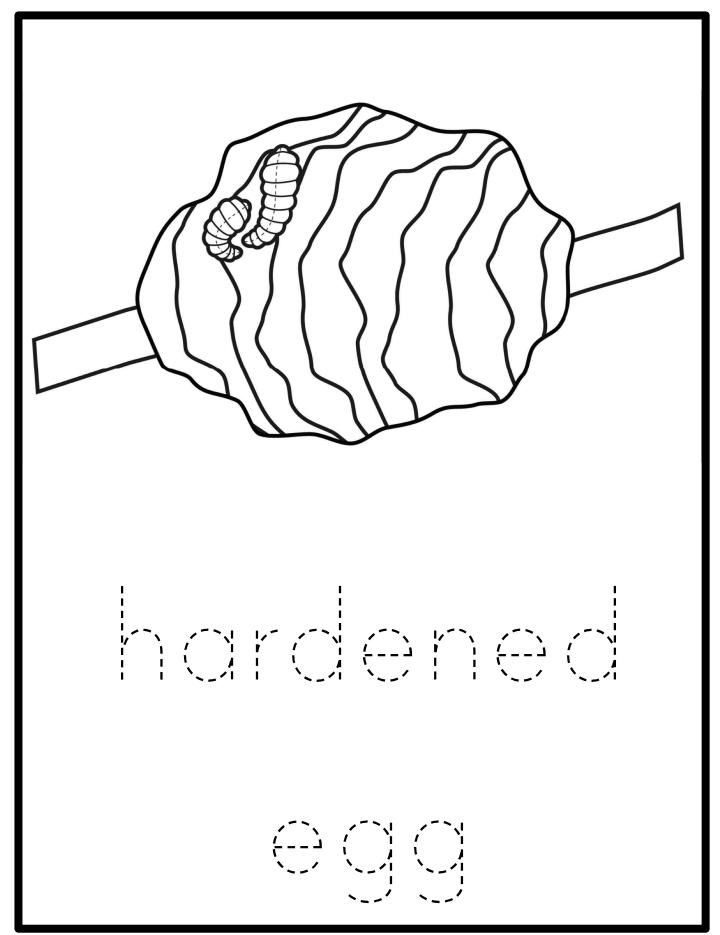


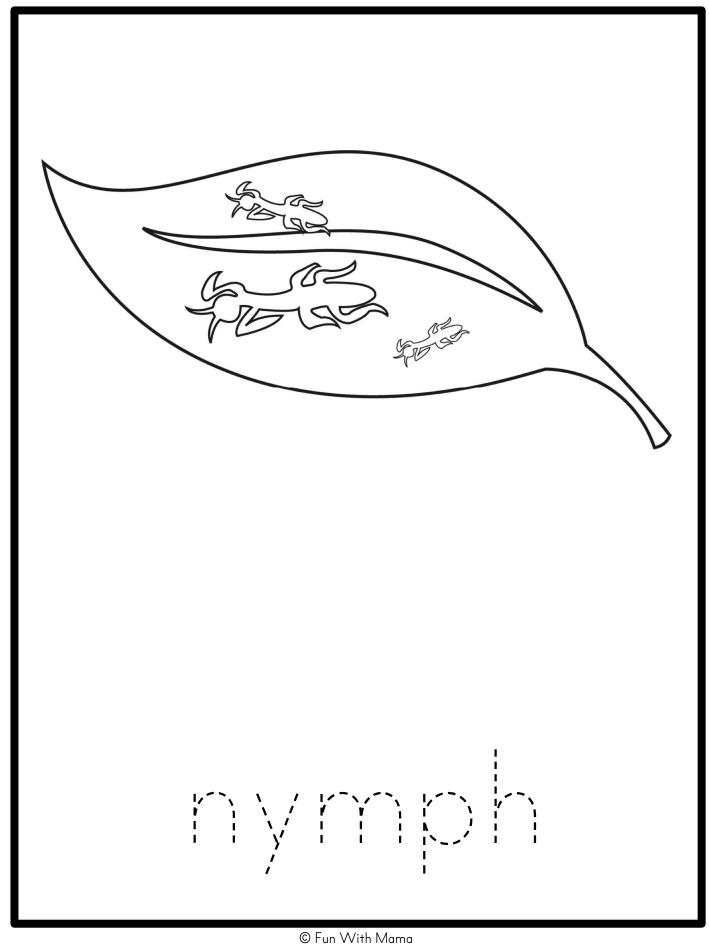


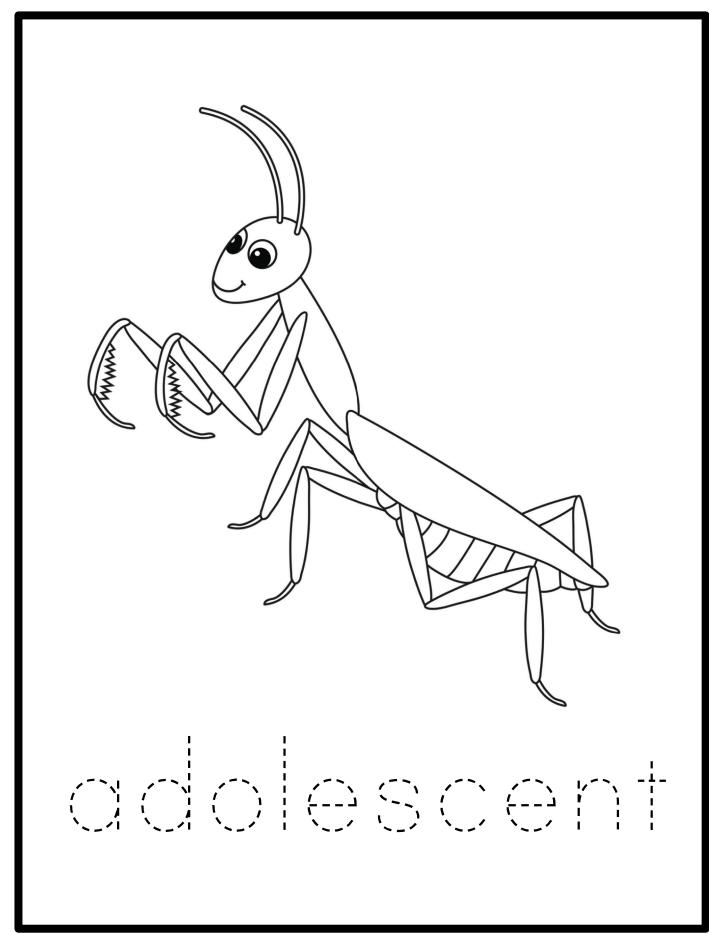


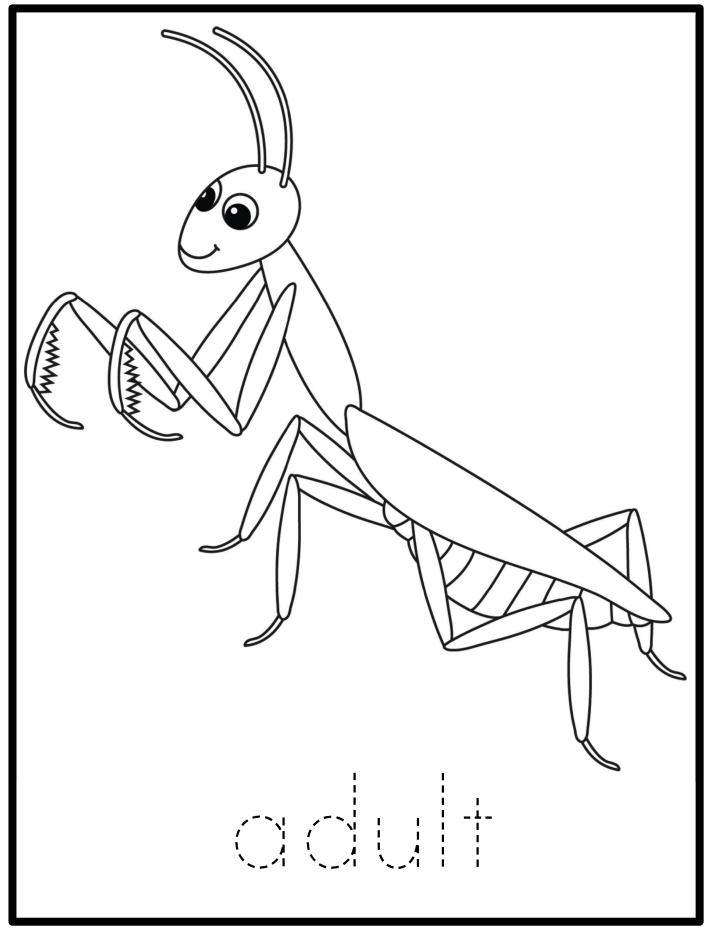


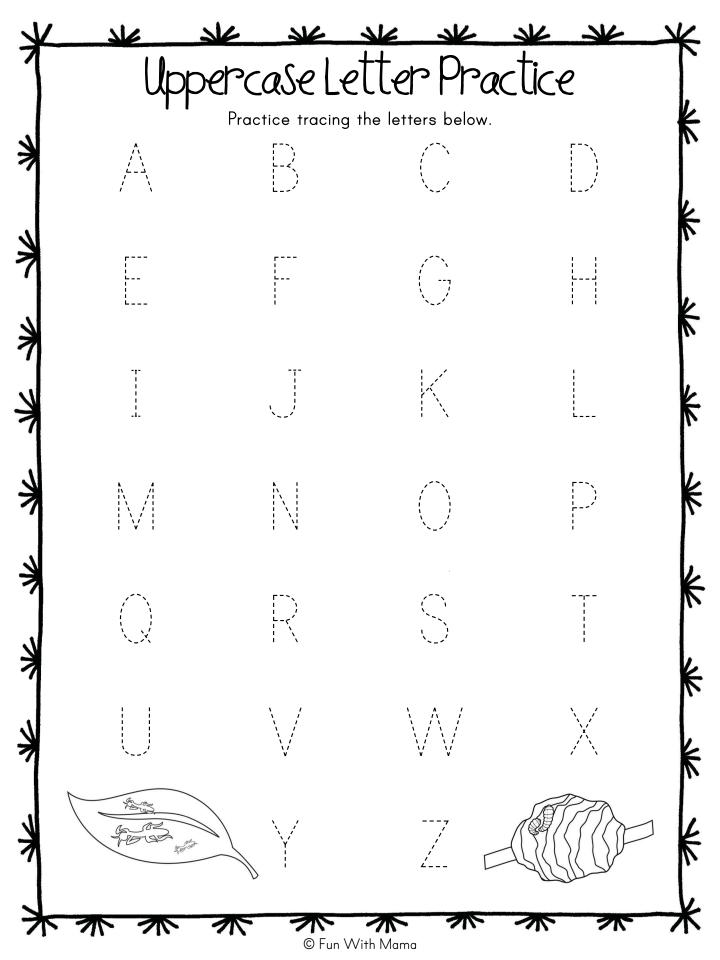


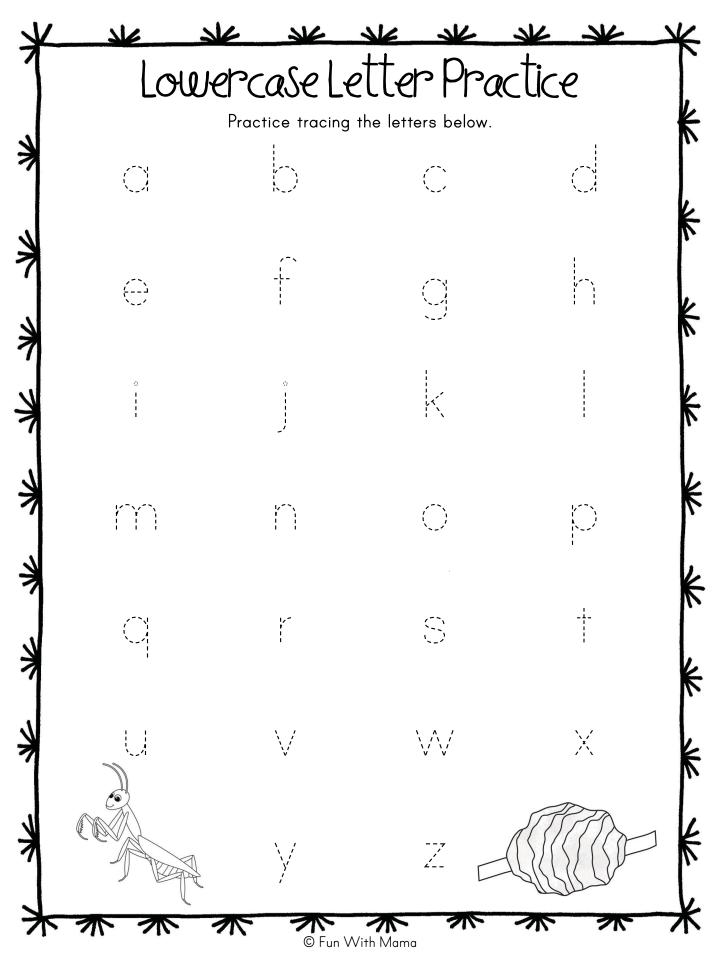












3 Part Cards - Whole

soft egg case	hardened egg	nymph
adolescent	adult	

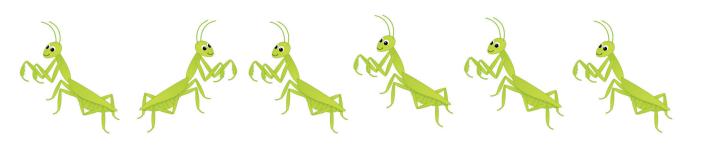
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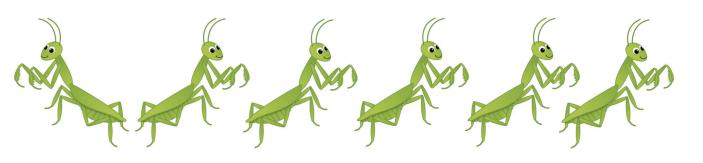
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Which one is different?

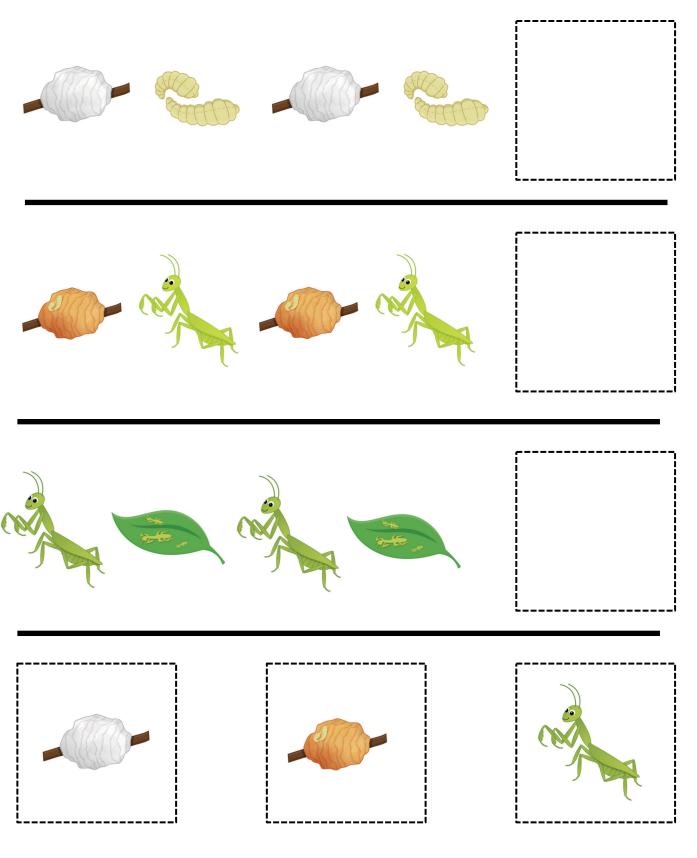






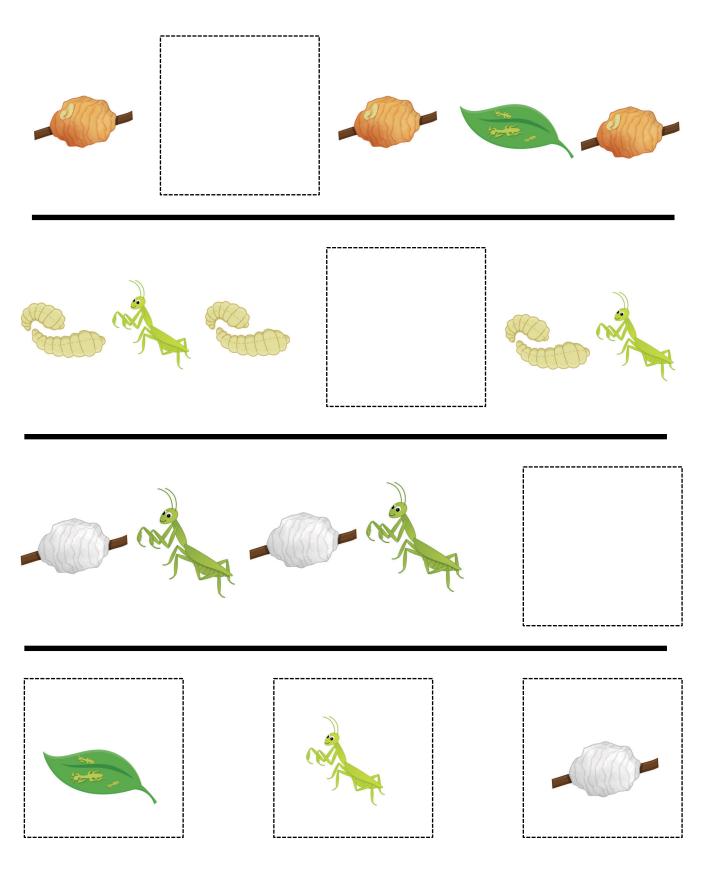


What Comes Next?



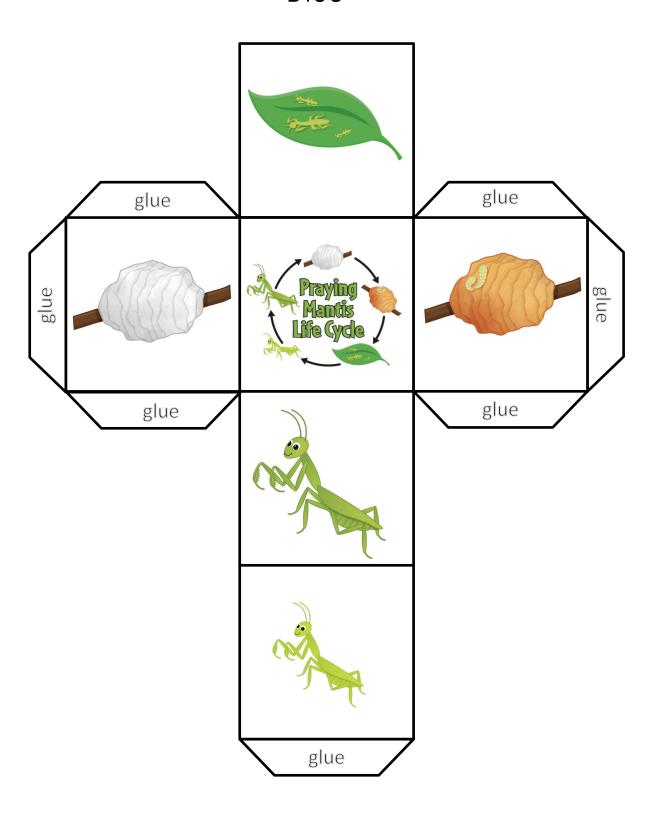
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Finish the Patterns.



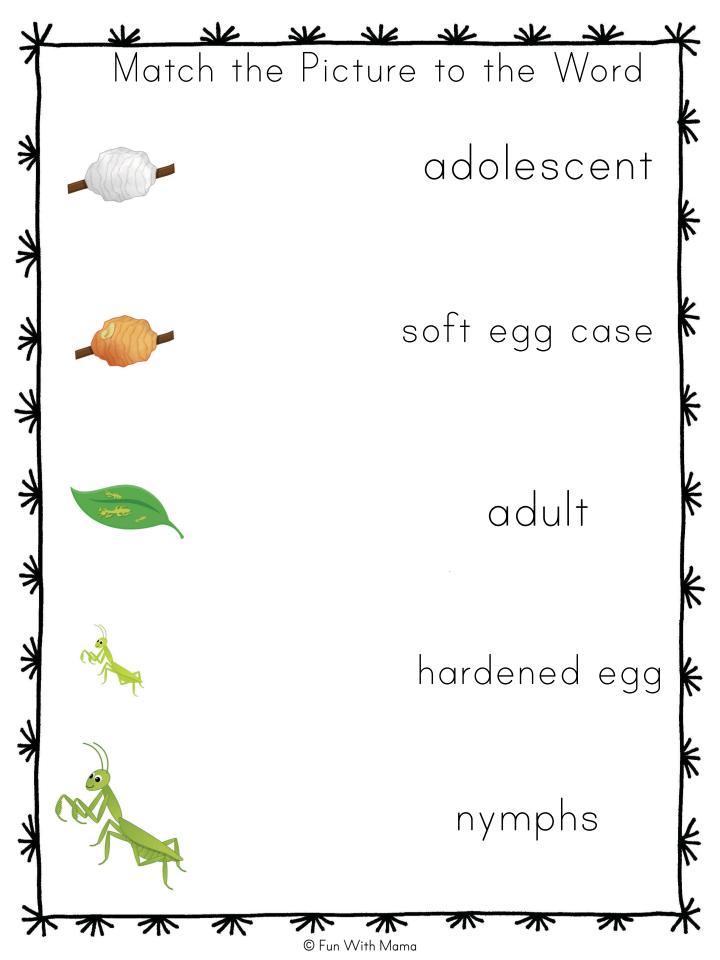
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Dice



Dice Game Make up the dice and roll it and graph the results.

10					
9					
8					
7					
6					
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4					
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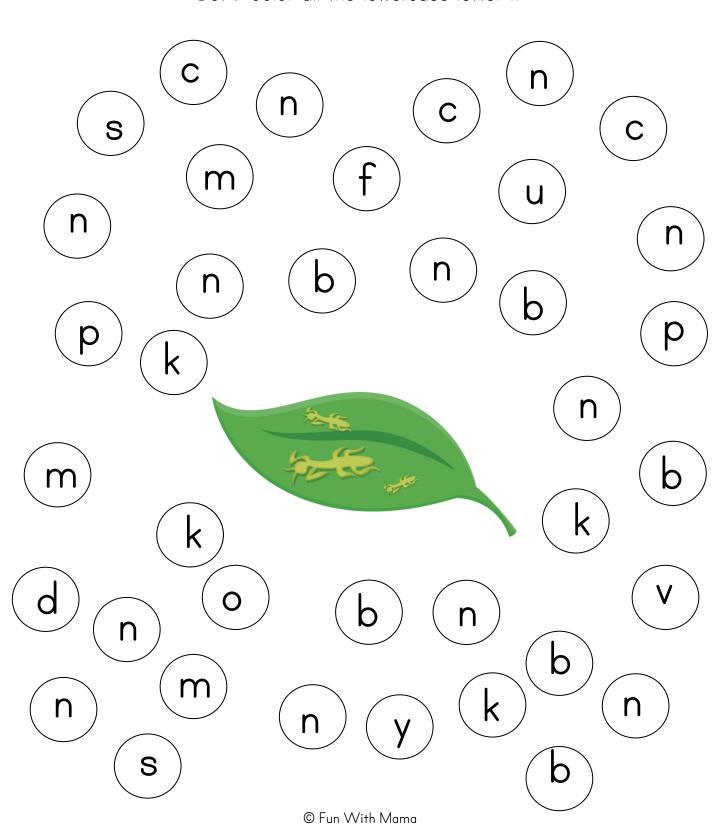
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Dot / Color all the uppercase letter ${\sf P}$

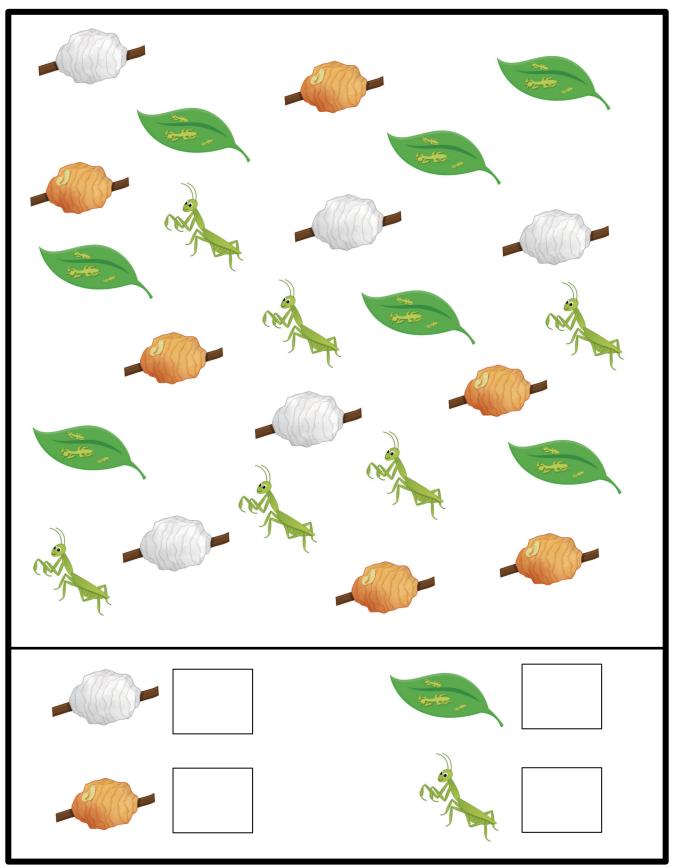
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P B	X	B P	W F R	P B

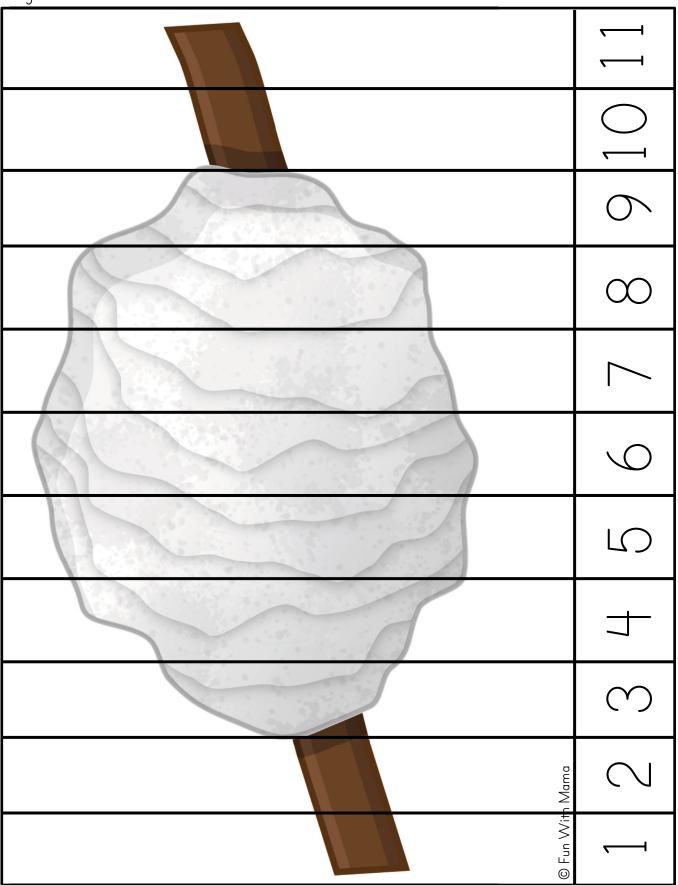
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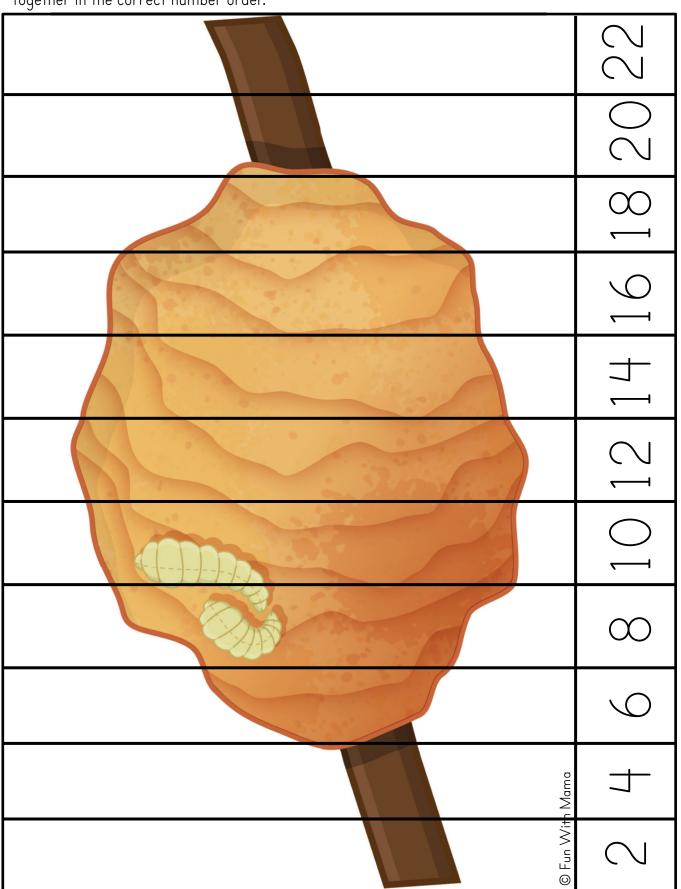
Dot / Color all the lowercase letter n



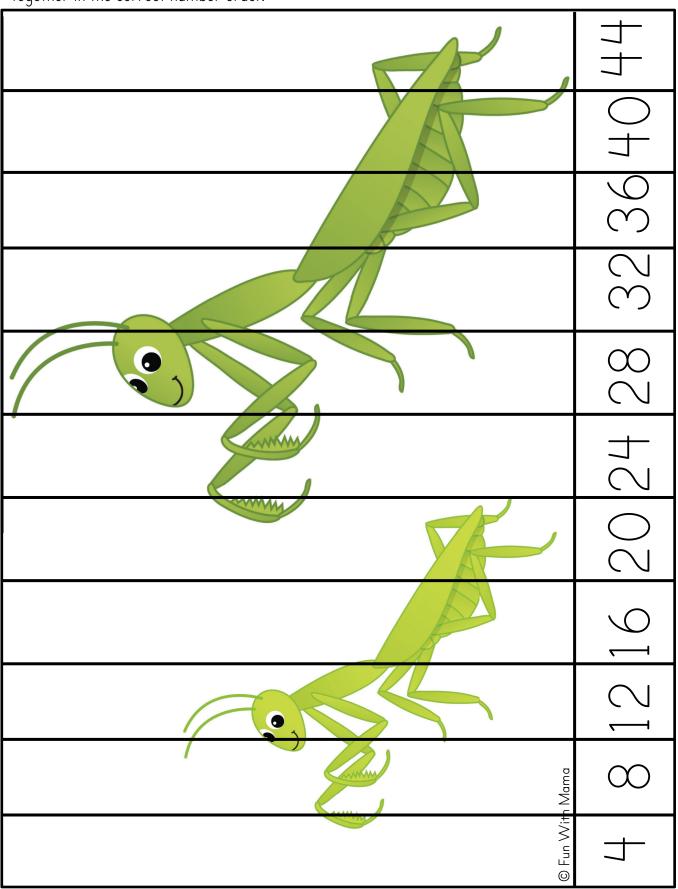
Count the Animals

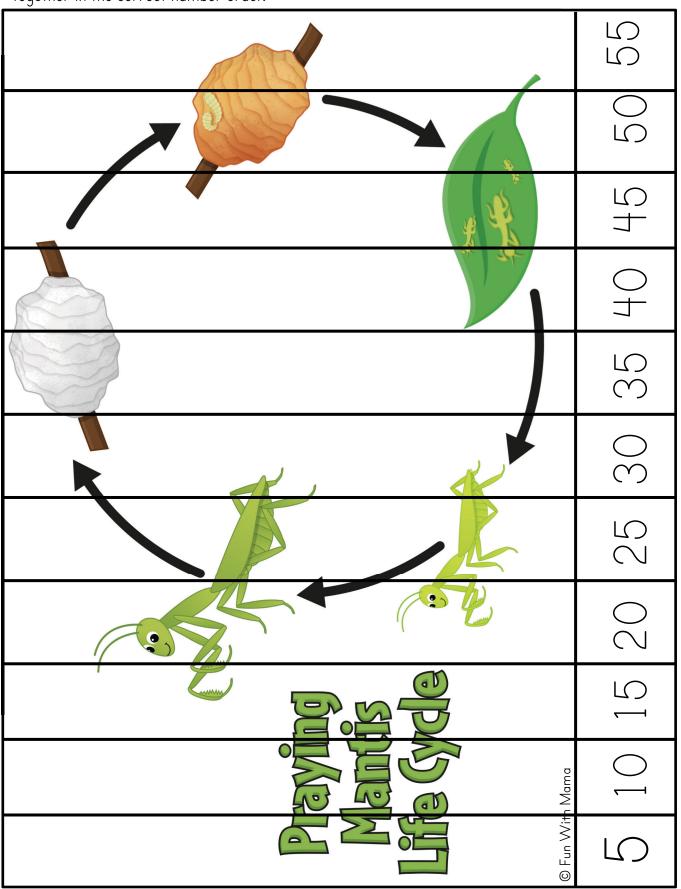


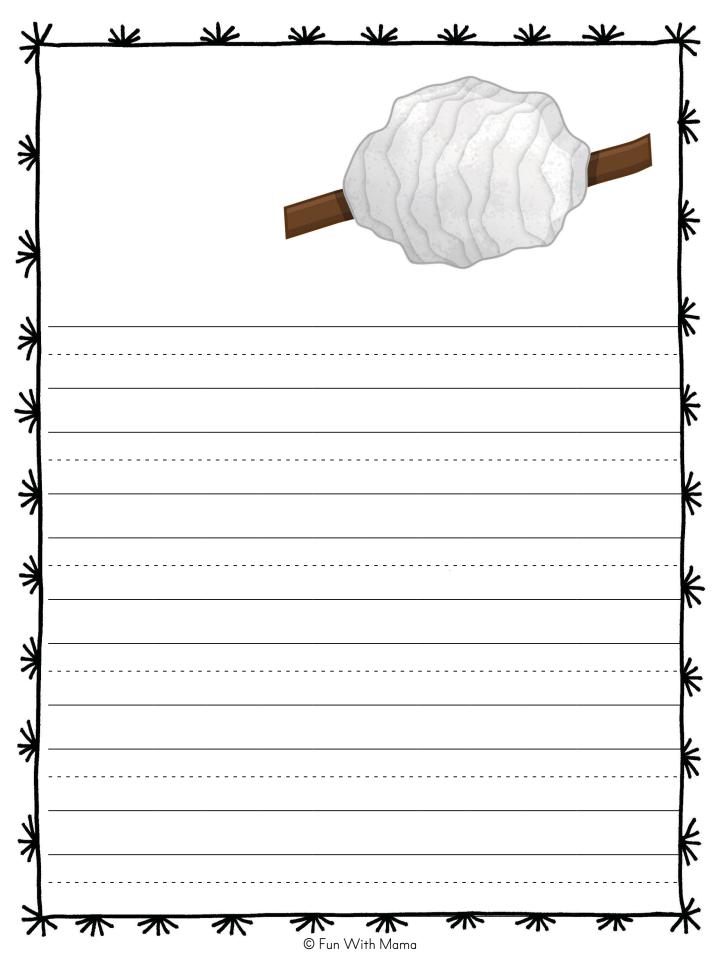


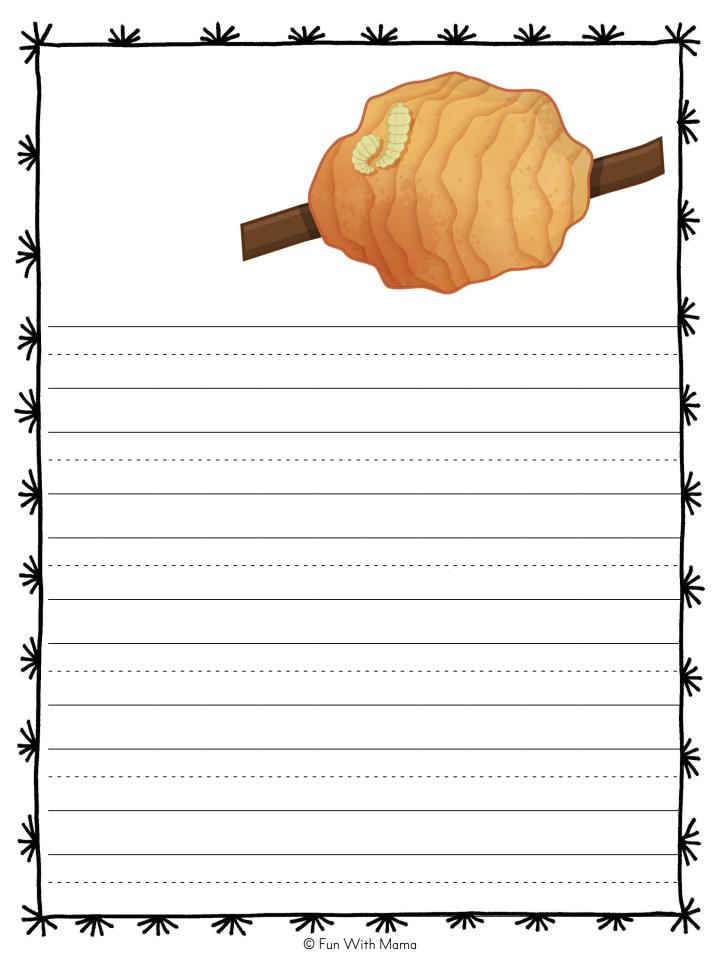


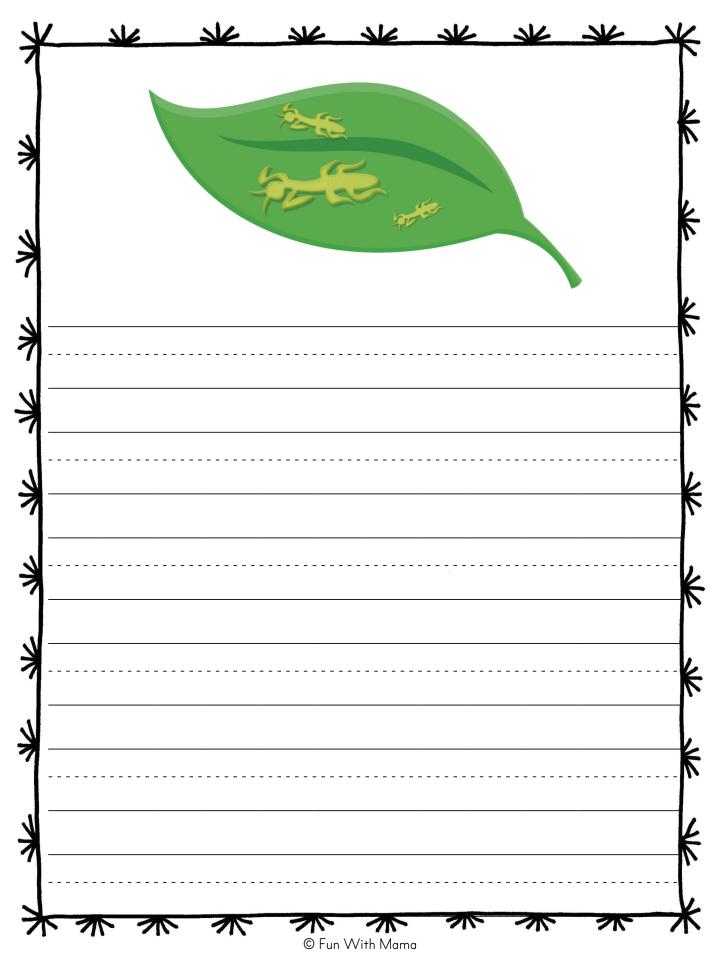
together in the correct number order.	
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	30 33
	27
	24
	21
	15
	12
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Mama	9
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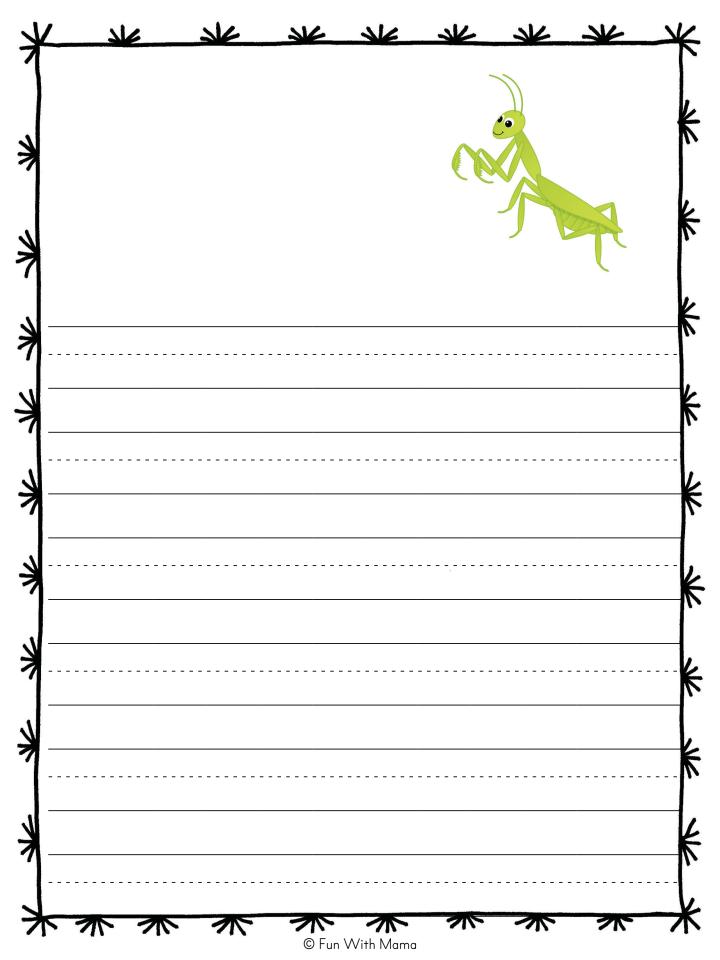


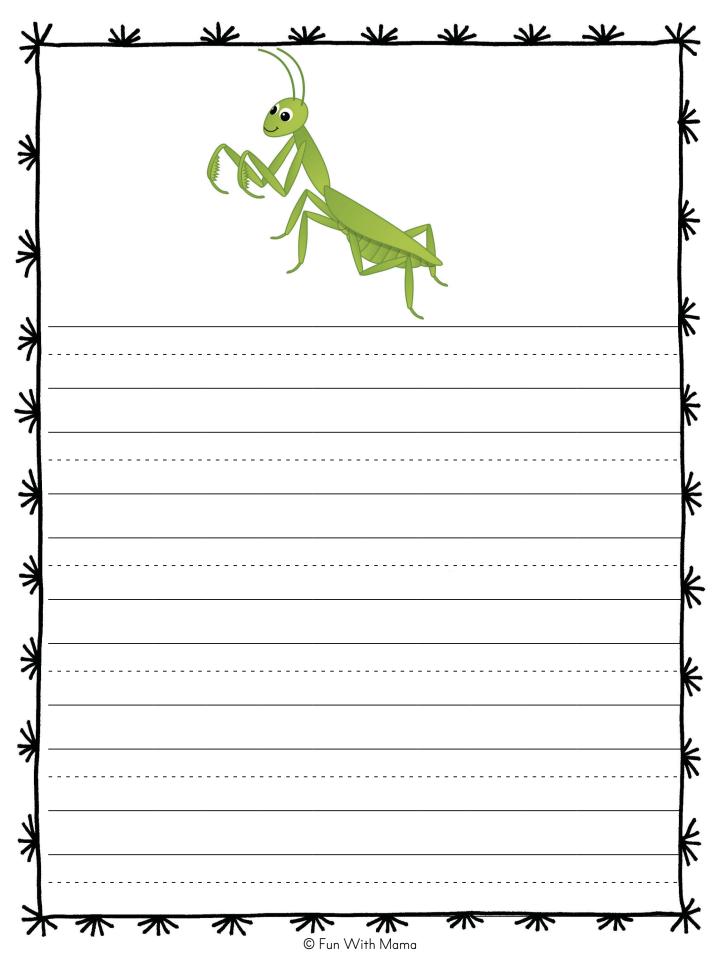


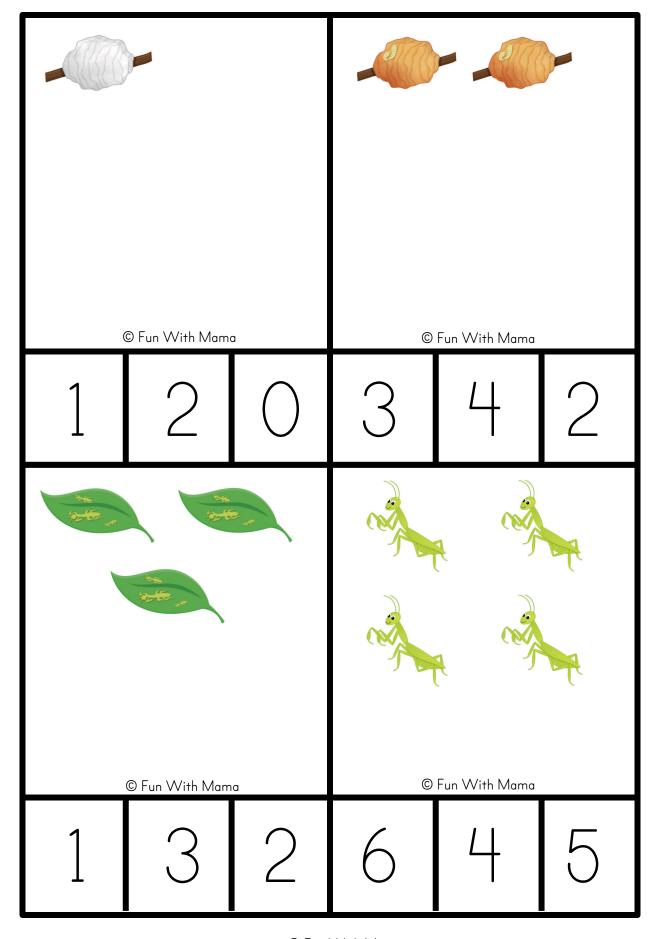


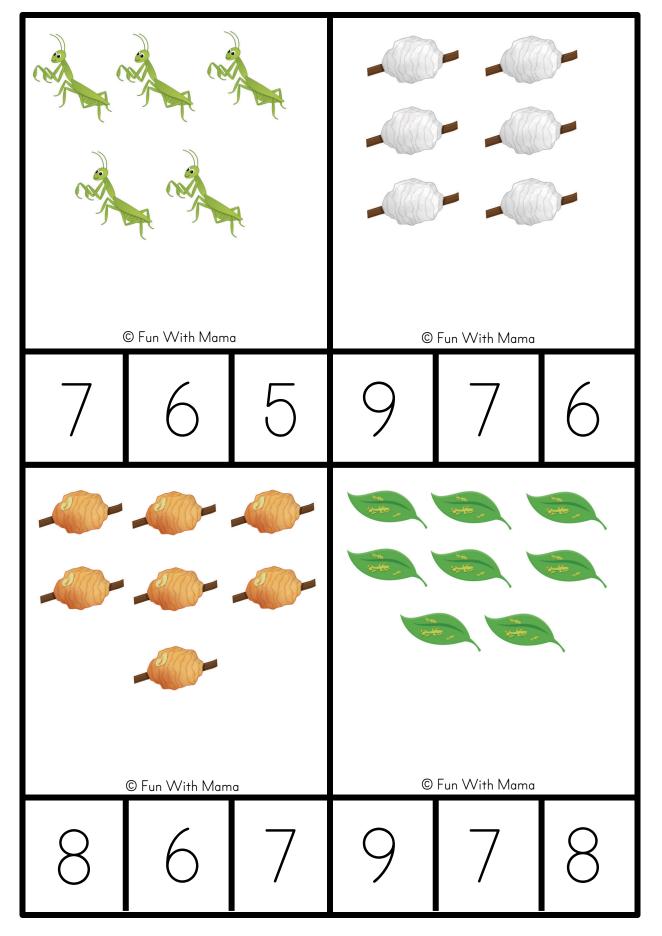




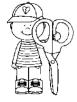


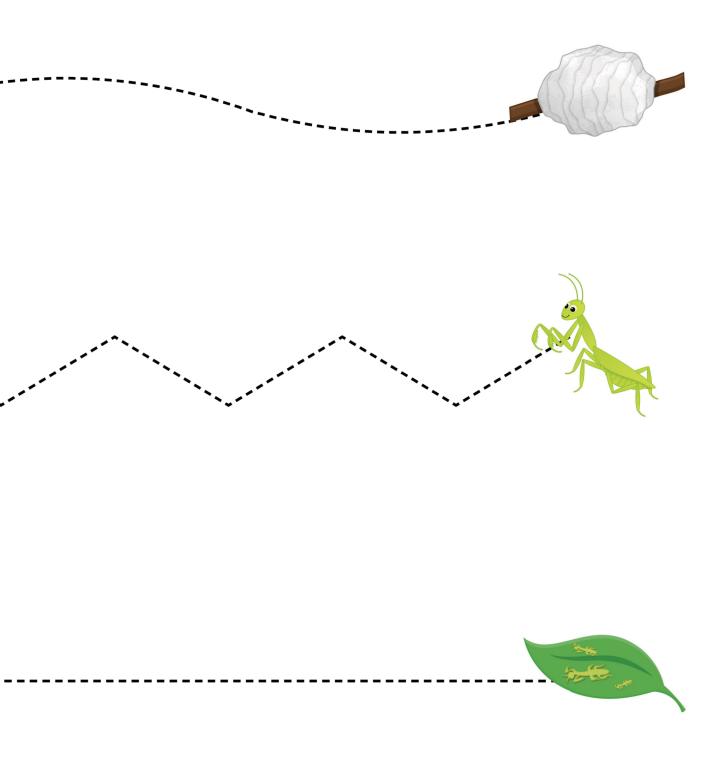


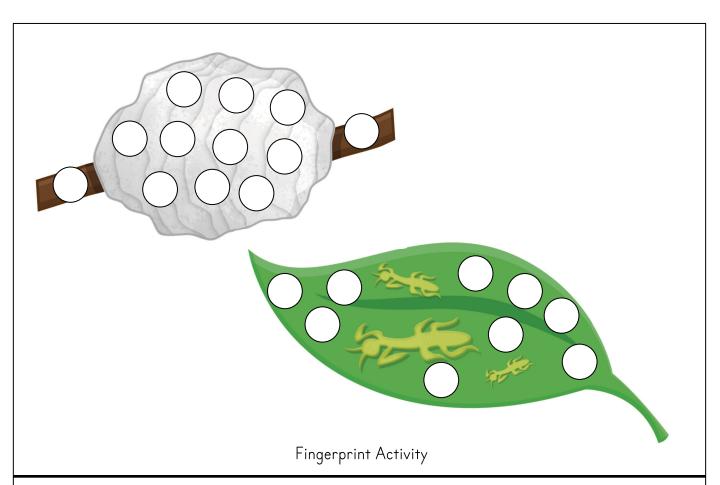


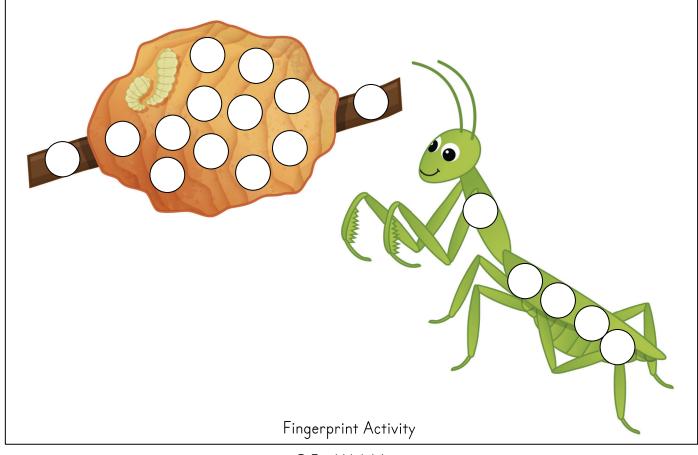


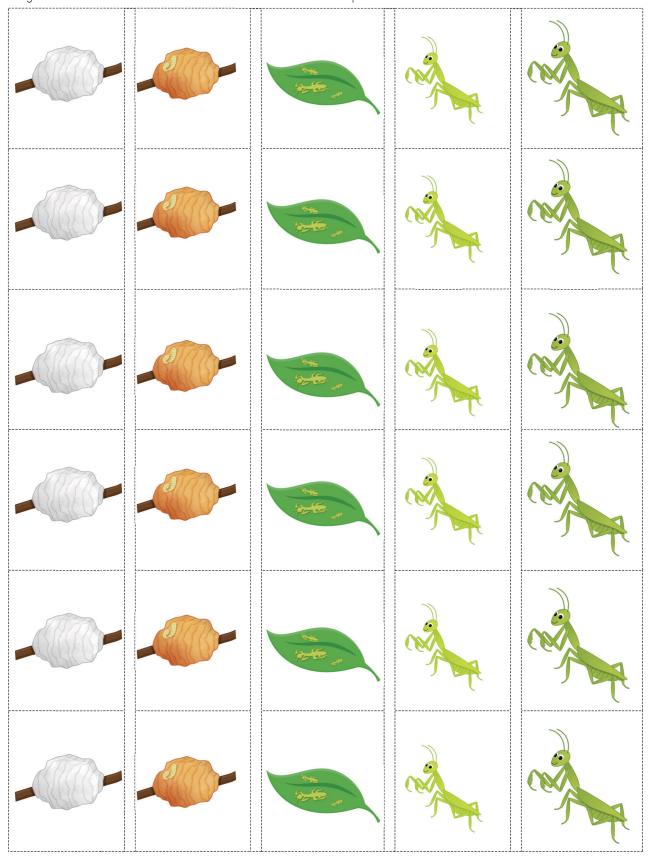
Cutting Practice





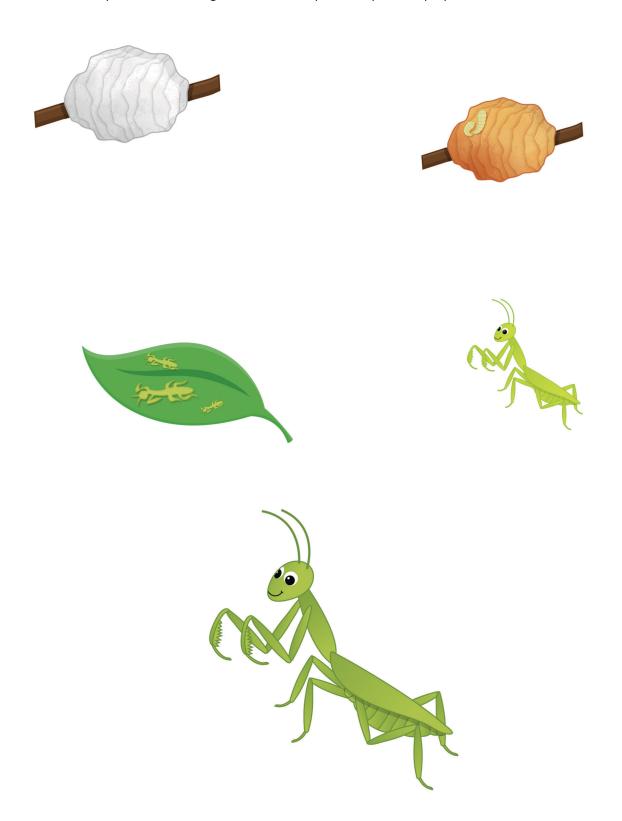


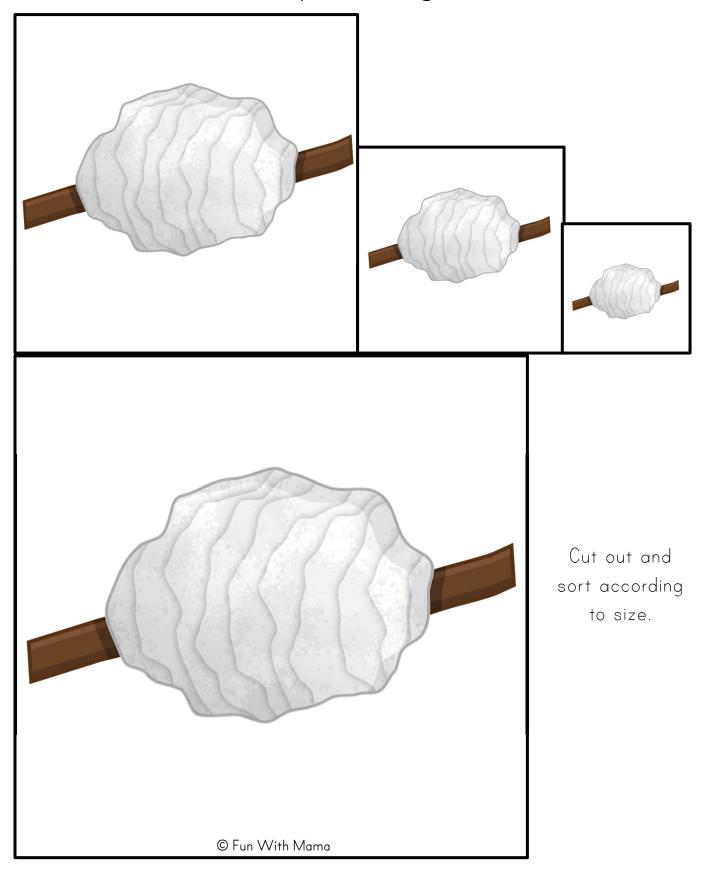


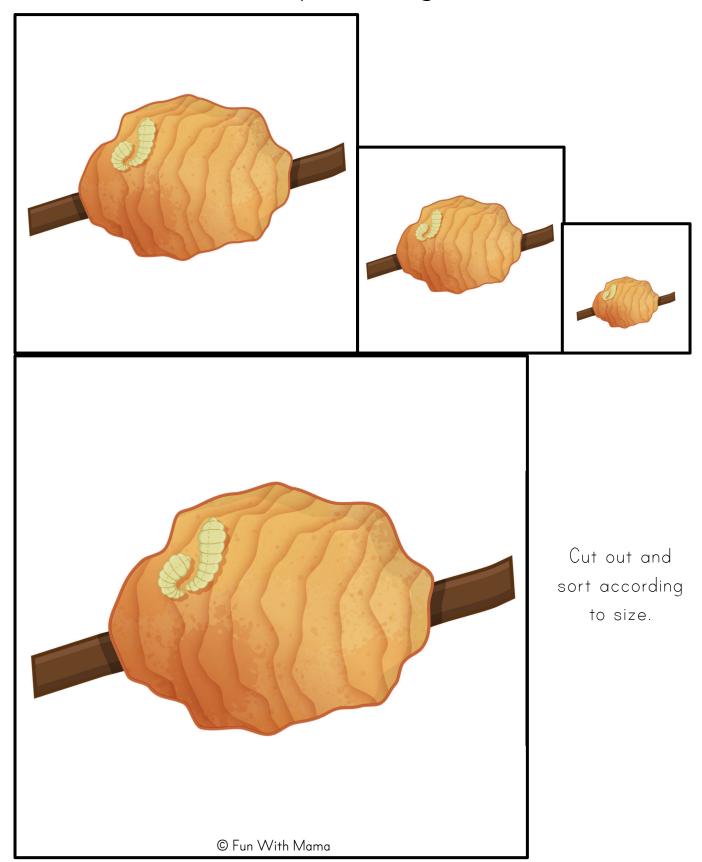


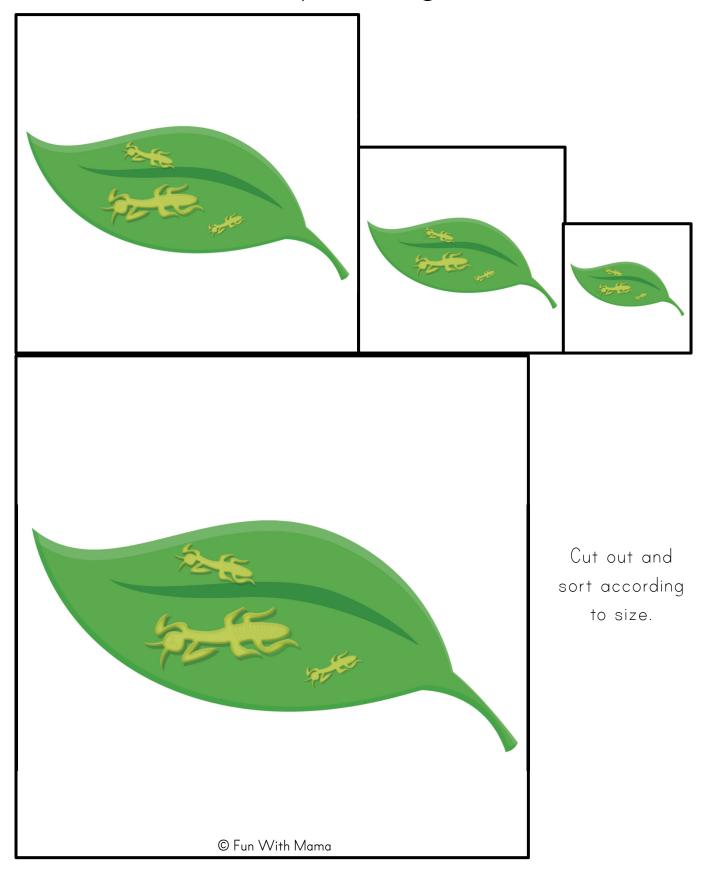
Praying Mantis Puppets

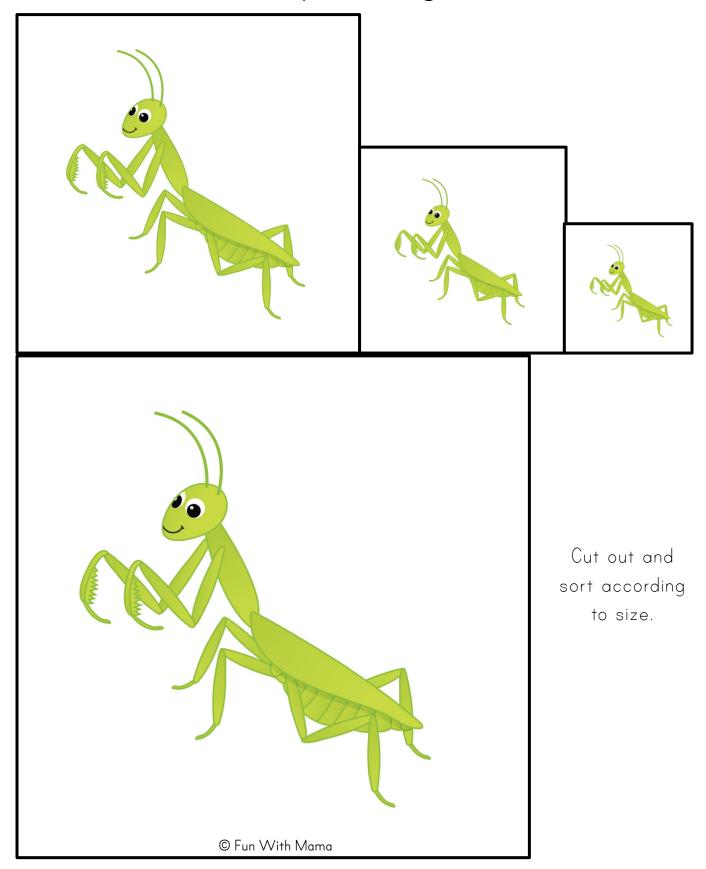
Cut out the pictures and glue to the top of a paddlepop stick and use to retell the story.

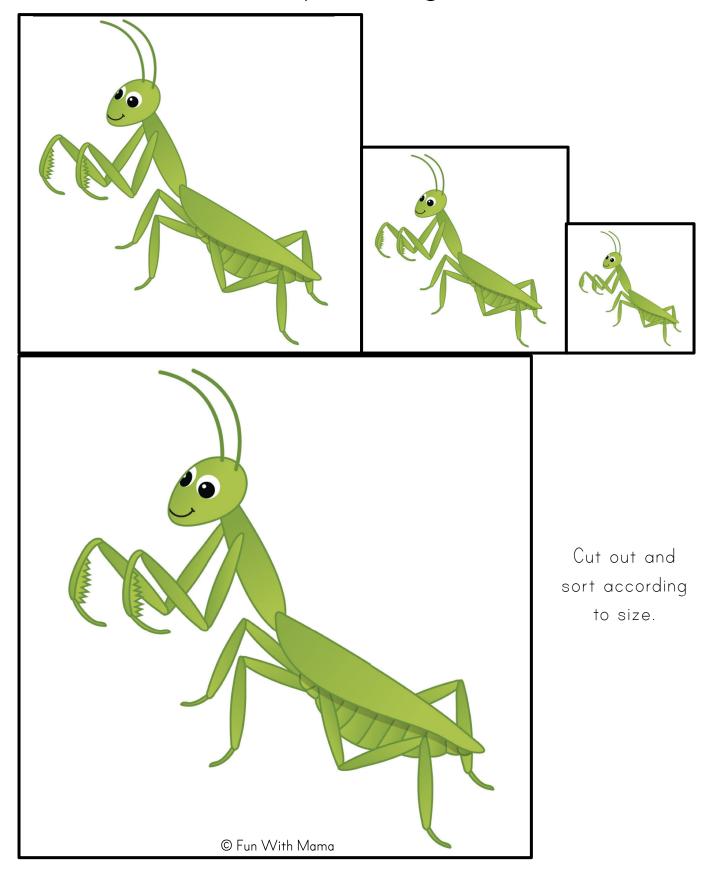


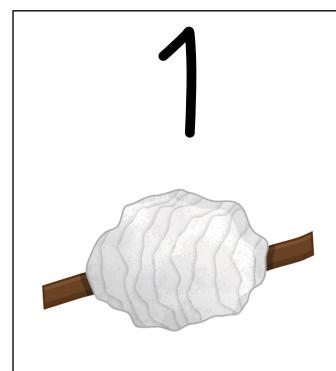












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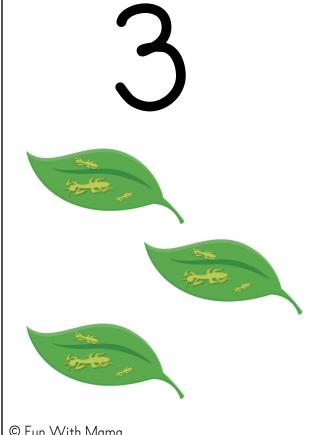


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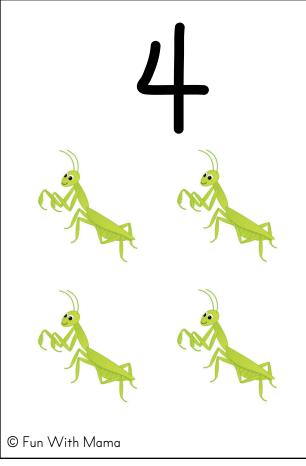


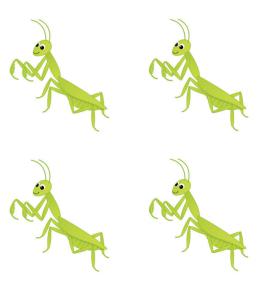


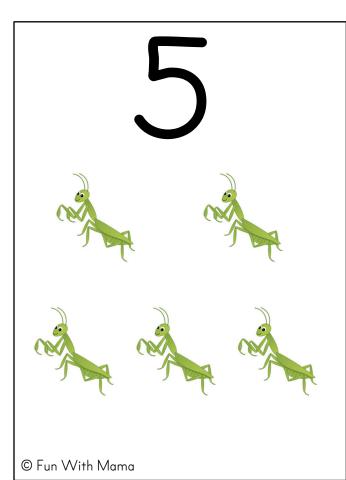


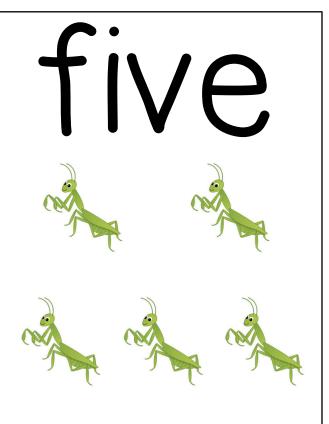
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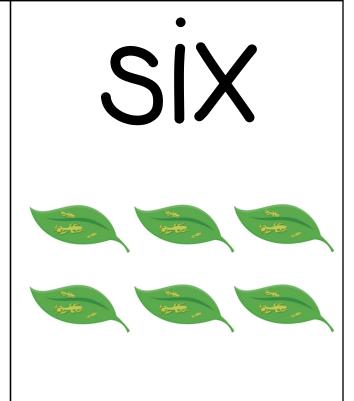


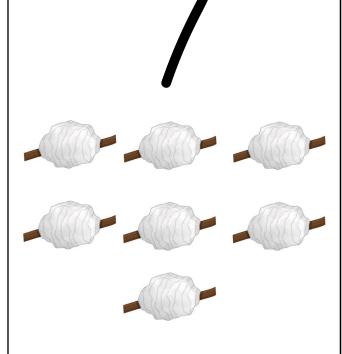




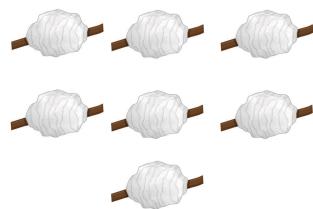








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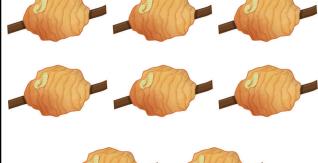
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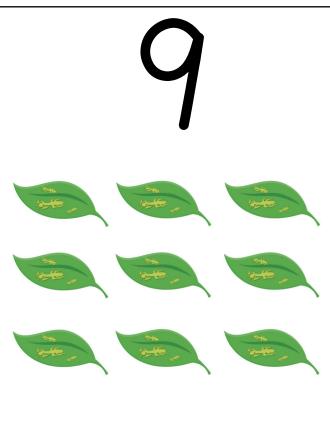


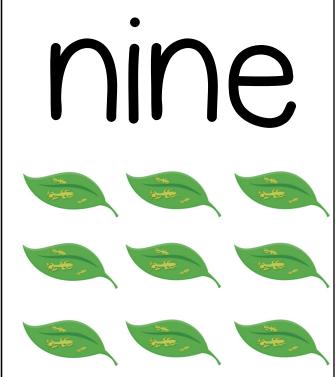
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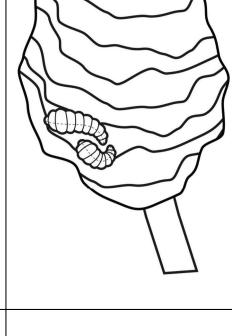


My Praying Mantis Life Cycle Book

Cut out all the rectangle squares and staple

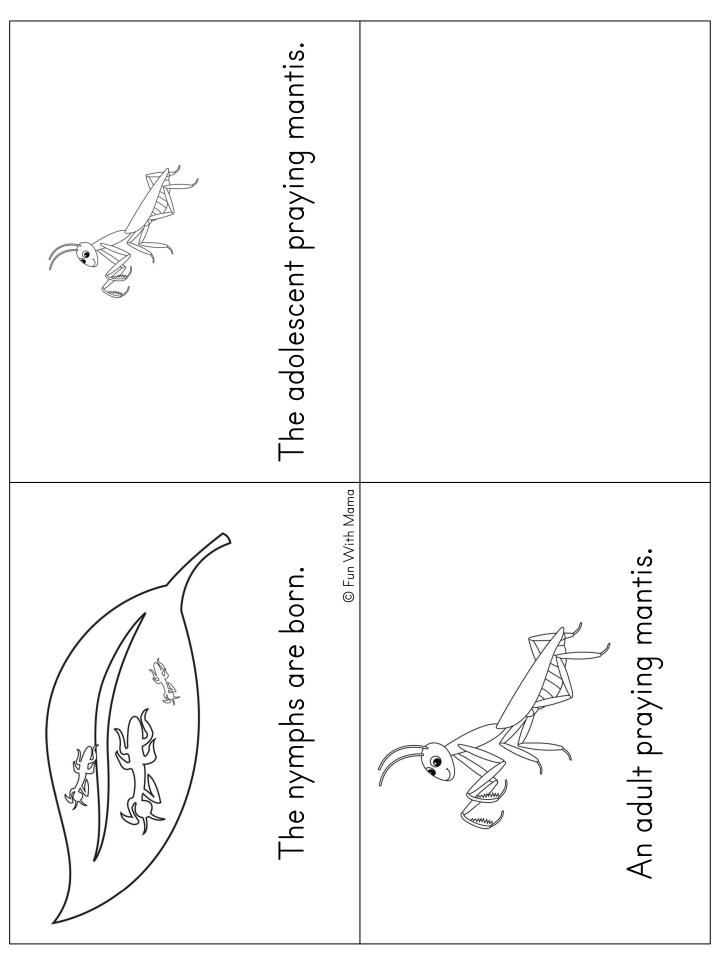
together to make a book.

Read the book and color the pictures.



The hardened egg.

The soft egg case.



Information Cards

In fall, the mother praying mantis lays her eggs on a plant stem or twig in a case known as an ootheca. She makes a protective cover, egg case, for them.

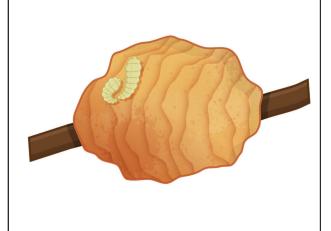
This case starts out foamy. Soon after laying the eggs, the female dies.





soft egg case

The case turns brown and hardens to protect the eggs. Up to 400 eggs will spend the winter inside the case.

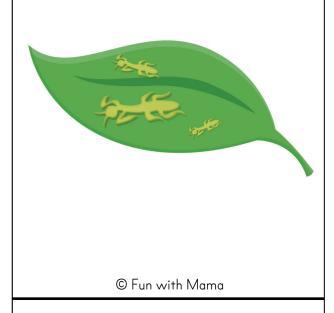




hardened egg

Information Cards

As the weather warms, the tiny praying mantises, known as nymphs, burst out of the egg case. The nymphs do not have wings yet. They eat any insects like crickets and flies. They will even eat each other if there is no other food





nymphs

As the praying mantis grows, they shed their outer shell known as an exoskeleton. They will shed their skin many times as they grow.

Their wings also start to grow.





adolescent

Information Cards

The praying mantis is the only insect that is able to turn from side to side in a 180° angle. The have powerful jaws and eat flies, crickets, grasshoppers. Once the male and female mate, the female may bite the head off the male or © Fun with Mama even eat adult him all up.

