

Introduction

This book includes high-interest activities that can be used to strengthen articulation skills as students talk about situations presented in pictures. The pictures can also be used to enhance awareness of differences between closely related sounds that often cause confusion during classroom reading and writing activities. The activities were developed primarily for children in the elementary school grades.

The worksheets are divided into three sections:

1. **Worksheets for L, R, and S-** The worksheets in this section are used in conjunction with the corresponding 8.5" x 11" picture scenes on pages 76 to 135 of this manual. Each worksheet targets a specific sound. Present the activities in the following manner.
 - A. Ask the child to find each of the *key words* in the picture scene. The key words are listed on the page opposite the picture. Clues may be presented, if necessary, to help the student locate specific words.
 - B. Read the story starter to the student. Ask him/her to "retell" the story from the beginning and to describe what happened next. Encourage the student to include as many words as possible with the target sound when telling the story.
 - C. Record the student's story on the worksheet. Students with basic literacy skills may be able to write out their own stories.
2. **Worksheets for Sound Contrasts-** The worksheets in this section are used in conjunction with the corresponding picture scenes on pages 136 to 175 of this manual. The worksheets target the following contrasts:

T and D
K and G
F and V
SH and CH

These worksheets can be used to improve speech sound production and/or to enhance the student's awareness of differences between related sounds. Some students, for example, may confuse **K** and **G** during classroom spelling activities.

By asking children to write stories about the pictures, they are given practice in the use of their target sounds during an activity in which they are encouraged to use language creatively.

- 3. Worksheets for Any Sound-** The worksheets in this section are designed for use with any sound. Students with speech disorders can practice difficult words containing their target sounds. Students can also use the worksheets to practice writing words that begin with specific sounds.

The worksheets in this section can be used to create gameboards. First, write a word in each space on the worksheet. Then ask a student to read the first word. If a correct response is produced, the student moves his/her marker ahead one space. The student "wins" when he/she reaches the final space on the board.

All of the picture cards and worksheets in this book may be reproduced for instructional use with individual students. The worksheets can be used in a variety of ways to meet the diverse needs of students.

Word List for Worksheets with the L Sound

Worksheet 1.1

clock
 fireplace
 flame
 hole
 ladle
 ladybug
 leash
 letter
 light bulb
 log

Worksheet 1.2

flower
 four leaf clover
 lamp
 leopard
 lips
 valentine

Worksheet 1.3

flame
 pole
 plow
 roller coaster
 snowflake
 wheel

Worksheet 1.4

blanket
 clouds
 clown
 club
 glass
 milk
 plate
 sleep

Worksheet 1.5

ant hill
 clock
 cloud
 flower
 fly
 glue
 paper clip
 table

Worksheet 1.6

bowl
 doll
 nail
 pill
 smile
 stool
 table
 whale

Worksheet 1.7

alligator
 alphabet
 bowl
 bulldog
 flower
 oil
 pillow
 volcano

Worksheet 1.8

ladder
 lantern
 lemon
 loaf
 lobster
 lock
 tail

Worksheet 1.9

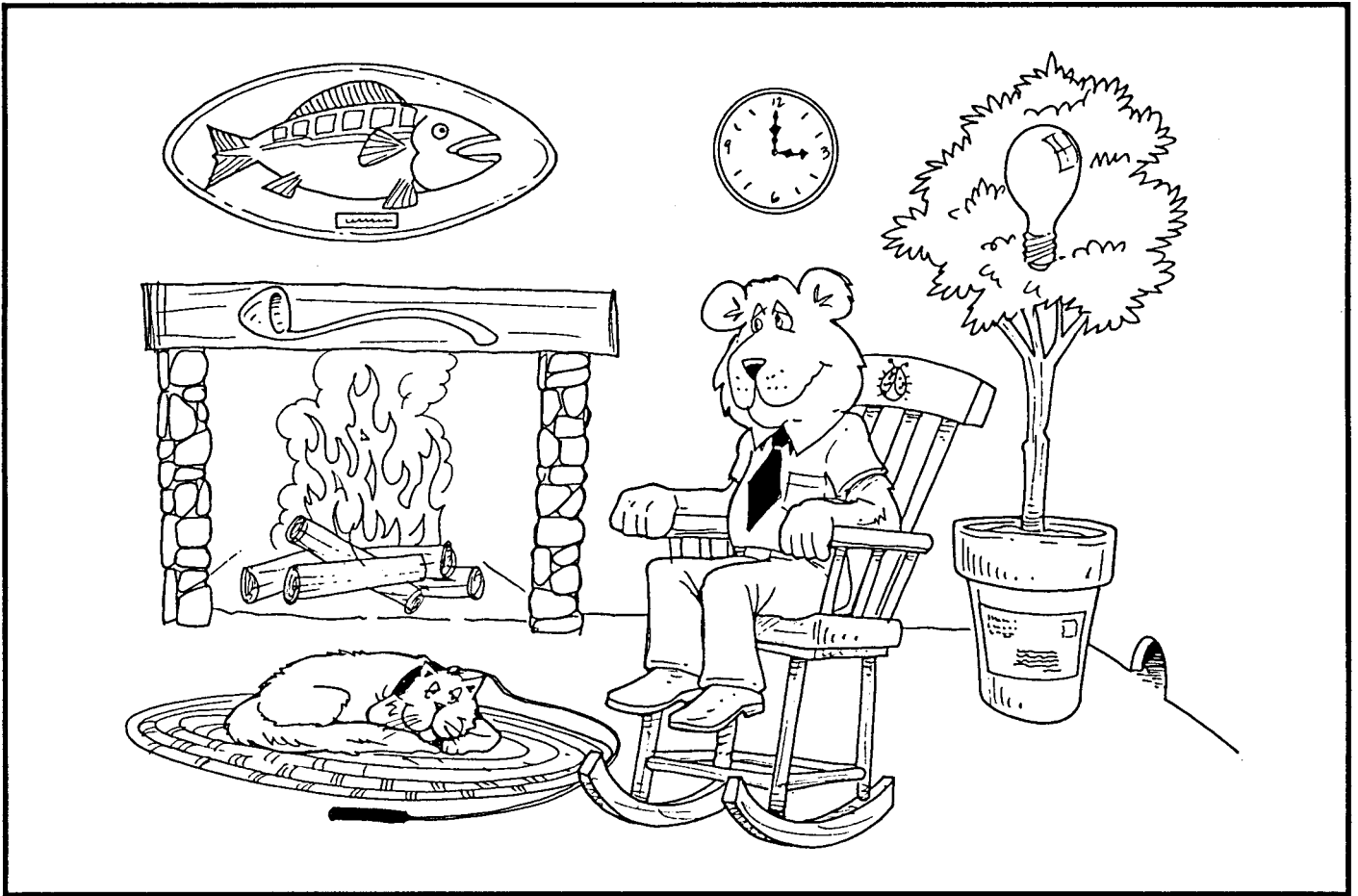
lawn mower
 leash
 lightning
 lion
 seal
 slide
 wheel

Worksheet 1.10

automobile
 gorilla
 leprechaun
 life preserver
 light bulb
 log
 lollipop

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

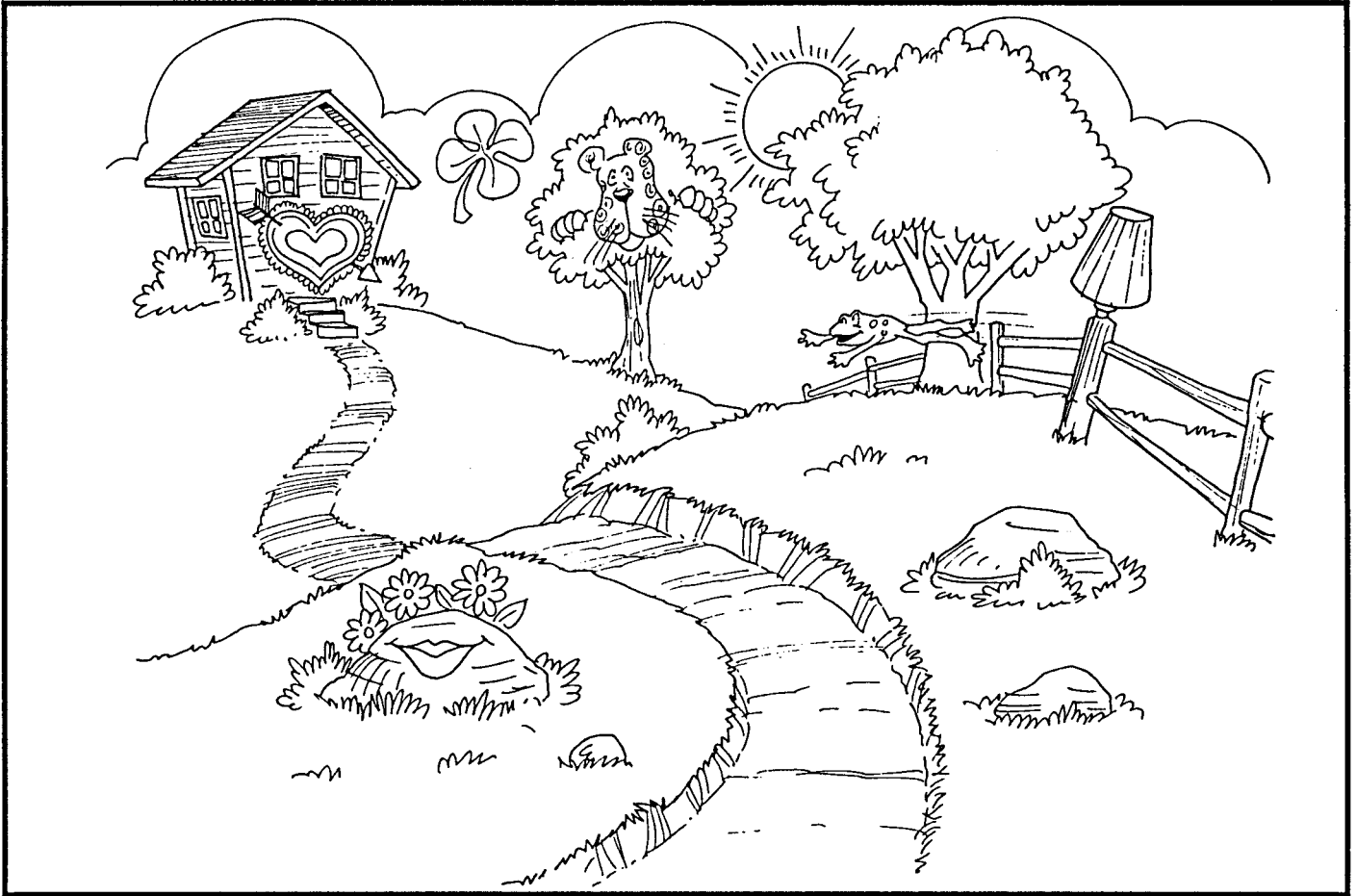


WORKSHEET 1.1- RELAXING AT HOME
SPEECH SOUND: L

Draw a circle around words with the L sound. Say each word. Then make up a story about the picture. Use 5 or more words with L in your story.

NAME: _____

DATE: _____



WORKSHEET 1.2- A QUIET AFTERNOON
SPEECH SOUND: L

Draw a circle around words with the L sound. Say each word. Then make up a story about the picture. Use 5 or more words with L in your story.

SH and CH Adventures

Instructions: Today we are going to talk about the **SH** and **CH** sounds.
Listen to these words. Raise your hand if you hear the **SH** sound.

shoe

chew

chair

share

ship

chip

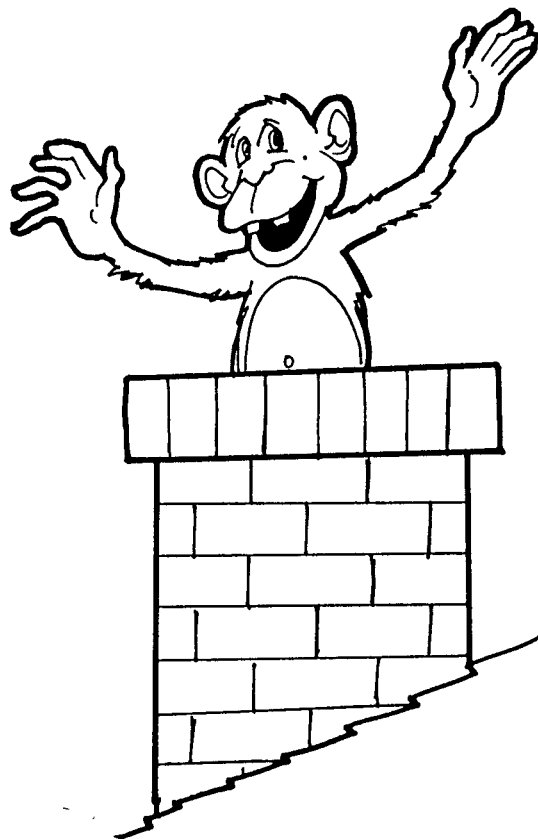
Cut out the pictures below. Have your students color these pictures.

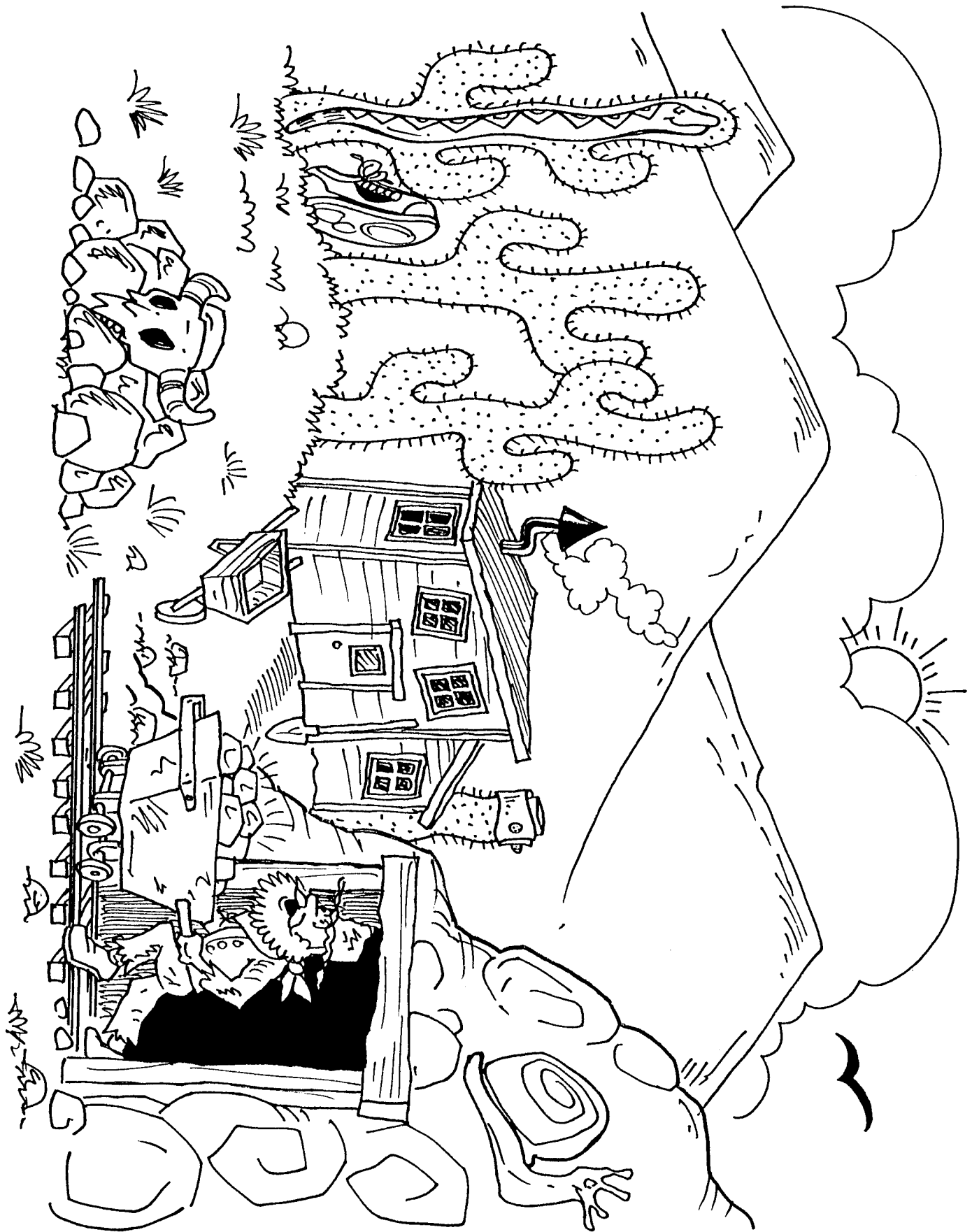
Listen to these words:

chef - chimpanzee

Which word starts with the **SH** sound?

Which word starts with the **CH** sound?





Scene 3.2

Desert Journey

Sound: S

Story Starter: Sammy built a small house in the desert. One day he discovered something surprising.

Key words:

cactus

mustache

skull

sleeve

smoke

snail

snake

sneaker

spade