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Word Analysis

Analogy Basketball

Objective

The student will identify words to complete analogies.

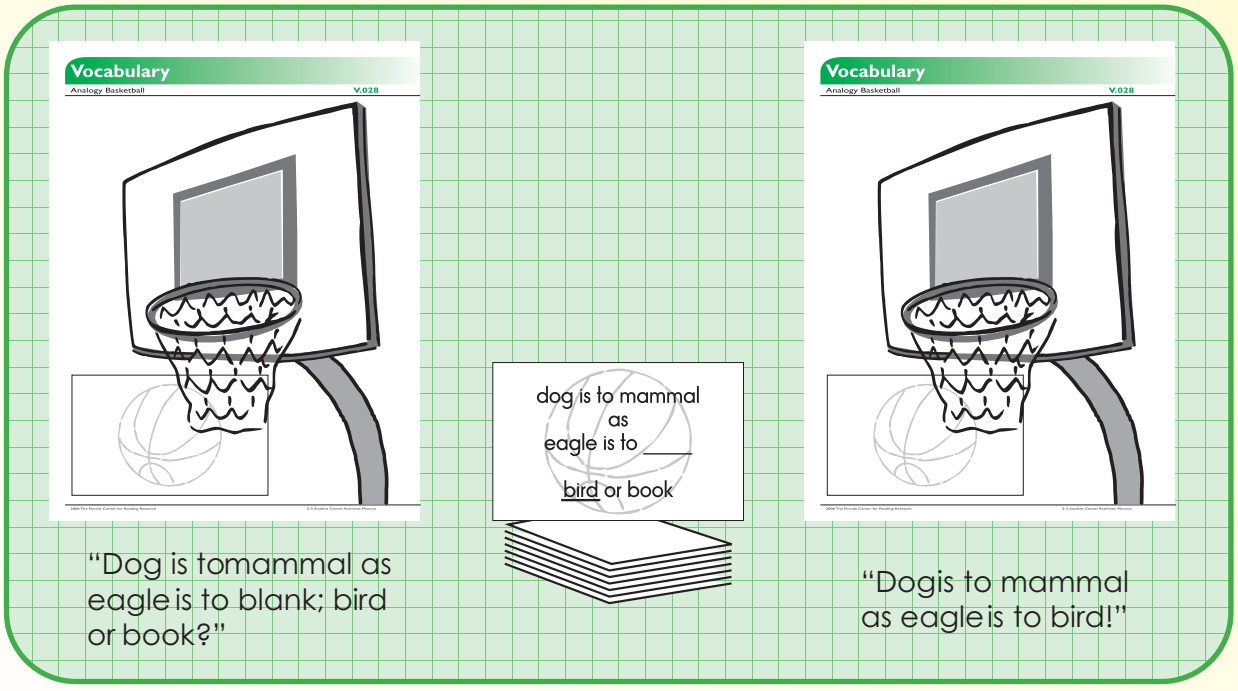
Materials

- Analogy Basketball hoops
  Make two copies and laminate.
- Analogy Basketball cards
  Answers are provided on the card with word underlined.

Activity

Students complete analogies by playing a basketball game.

1. Place two basketball hoops at the center. Place analogy basketball cards face down in a stack.
2. Taking turns, student one draws the top card from the stack and reads the phrase and answer choices to student two (e.g., dog is to mammal as eagle is to _____. bird or book).
3. Student two chooses one of the words to fill in the blank and repeats the phrase with the answer (i.e., dog is to mammal as eagle is to bird).
4. If correct, student one gives the card to student two who places it on his hoop. If incorrect, the card is placed at the bottom of the stack.
5. Reverse roles.
6. Continue until all basketball analogies are completed.
7. Peer evaluation



Extensions and Adaptations

- Make other analogy basketball cards.

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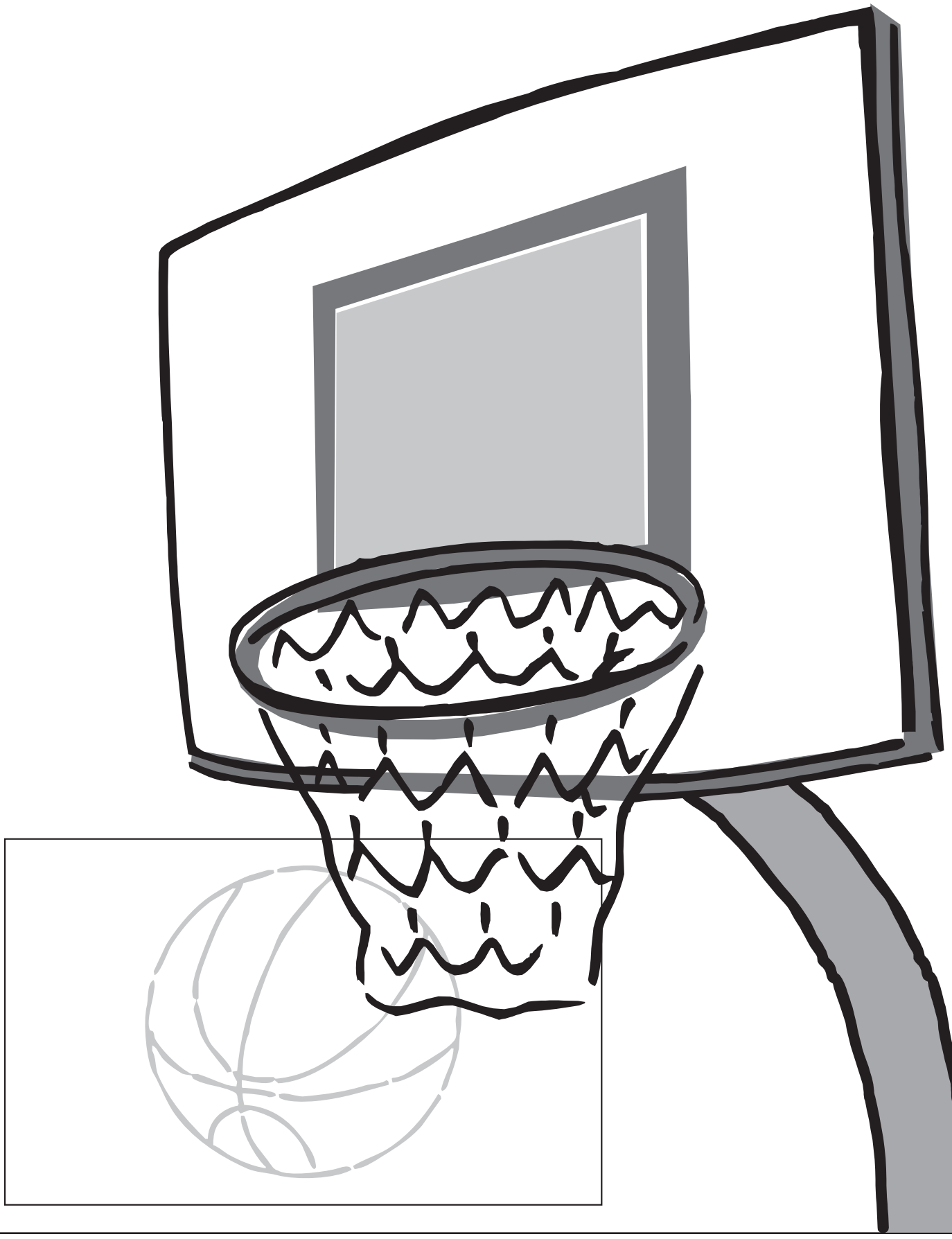

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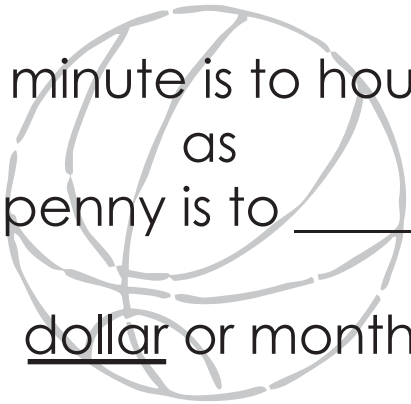
night is to day
as
on is to _____

ride or off

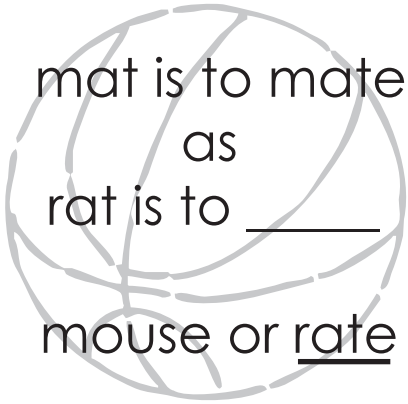


minute is to hour
as
penny is to _____

dollar or month

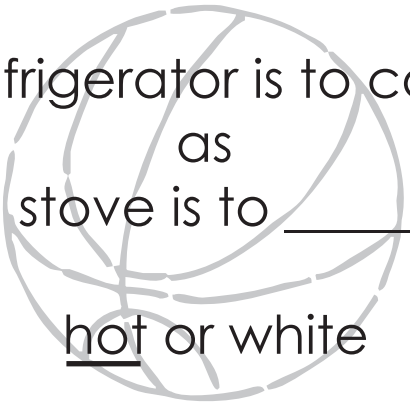
dog is to mammal
as
eagle is to _____

bird or book



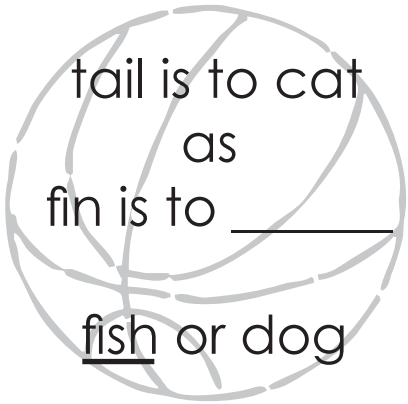
mat is to mate
as
rat is to _____

mouse or rate



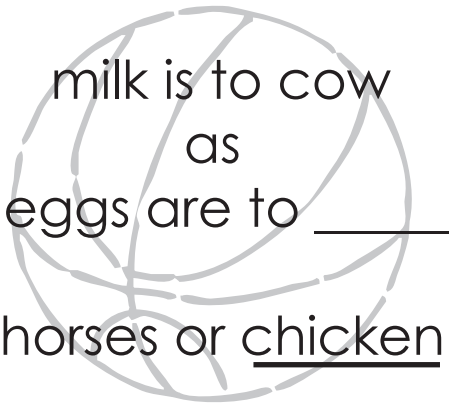
refrigerator is to cold
as
stove is to _____

hot or white



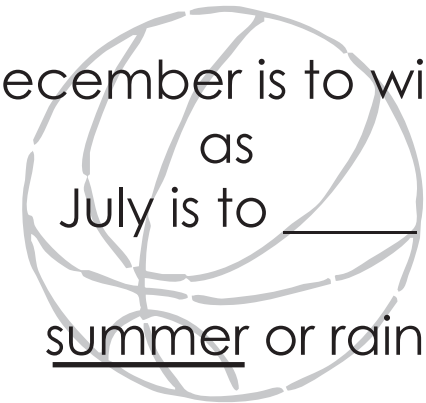
tail is to cat
as
fin is to _____

fish or dog



milk is to cow
as
eggs are to _____

horses or chicken



December is to winter
as
July is to _____

summer or rain

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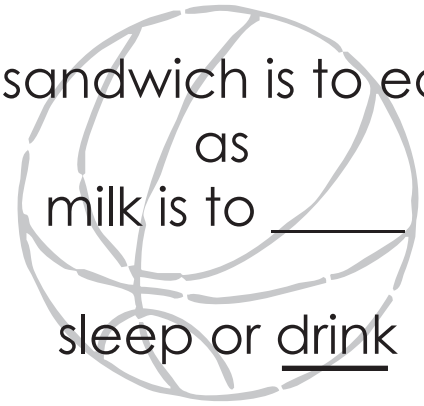
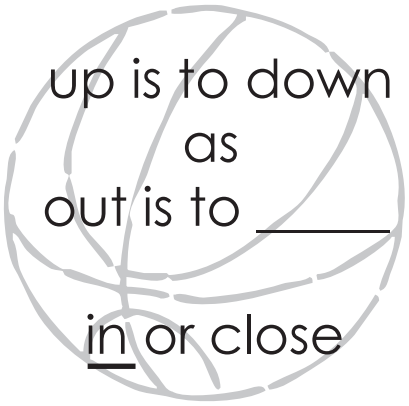


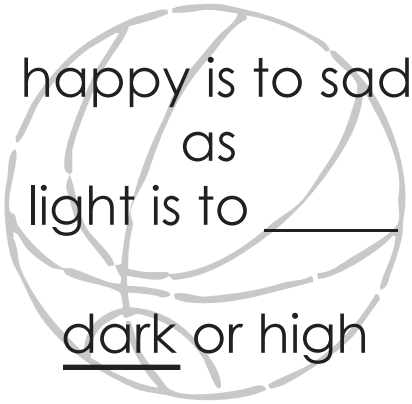
sandwich is to eat
as
milk is to _____

sleep or drink



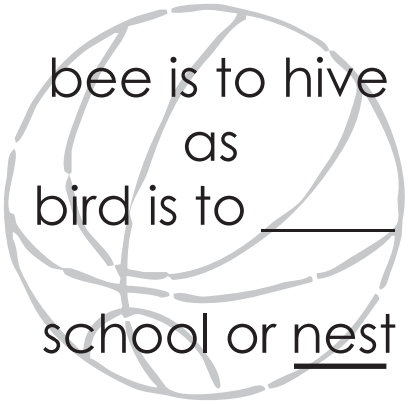
up is to down
as
out is to _____

in or close



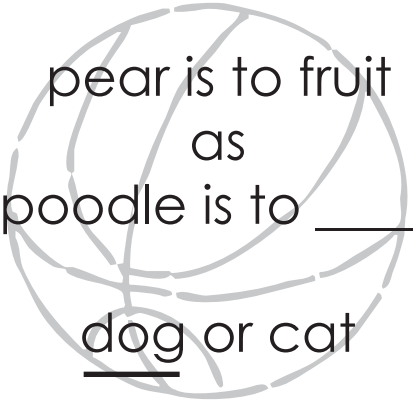
happy is to sad
as
light is to _____

dark or high



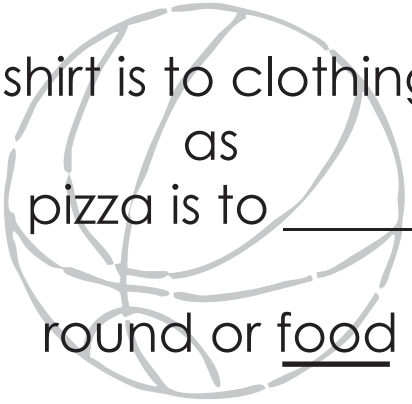
bee is to hive
as
bird is to _____

school or nest



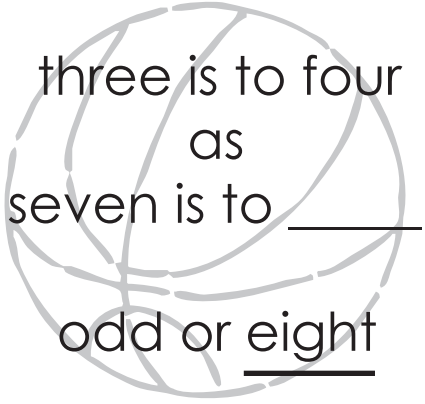
pear is to fruit
as
poodle is to _____

dog or cat



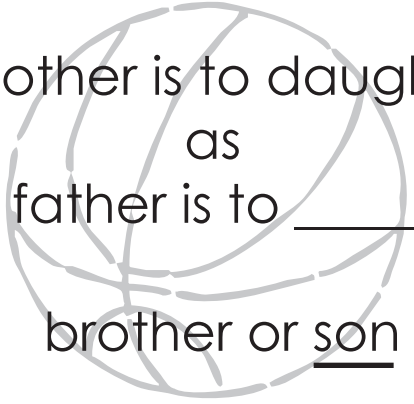
shirt is to clothing
as
pizza is to _____

round or food



three is to four
as
seven is to _____

odd or eight



mother is to daughter
as
father is to _____

brother or son

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_____ is to _____ as _____ is to _____	_____ is to _____ as _____ is to _____
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