



Objective

The student will sort words by categories.

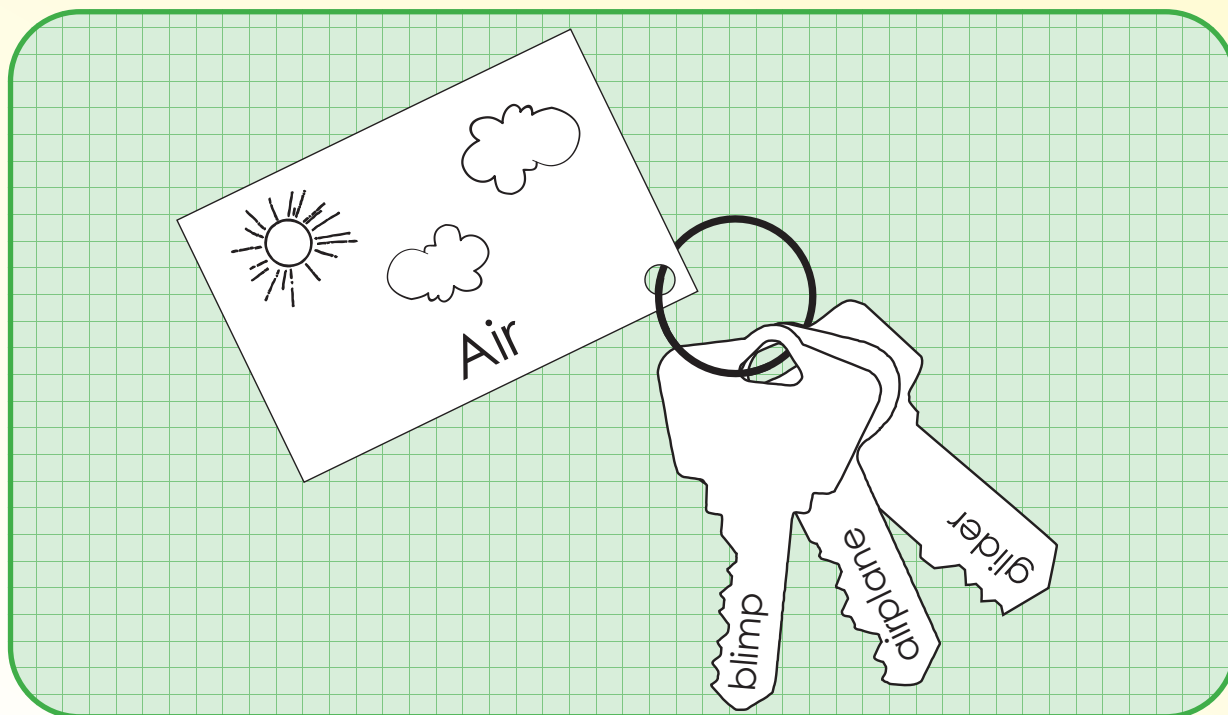
Materials

- ▶ Transportation category cards
Copy on card stock, laminate, hole punch, and cut.
- ▶ Word keys
Copy on card stock, laminate, hole punch, and cut.
- ▶ Key rings or book rings

Activity

Students sort transportation words into categories and group on key rings.

1. Place the transportation category cards face up in a row and the key rings at the center. Place the word keys face down in a stack.
2. Taking turns, the students select and read the category cards, and place each on a separate key ring.
3. Select a word key, read the word, and place it on the key ring with the corresponding category card (e.g., places the glider key card on the key ring with the air category card).
4. Continue until all word keys are sorted.
5. Peer evaluation



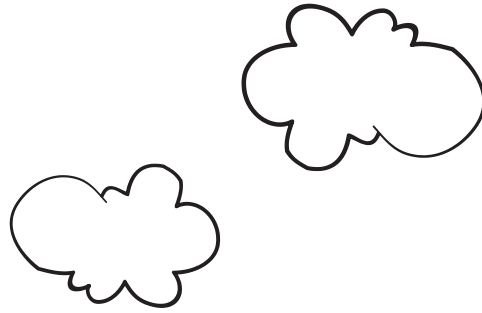
Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Use word keys without category cards and complete an open sort.
- ▶ Use other category cards.

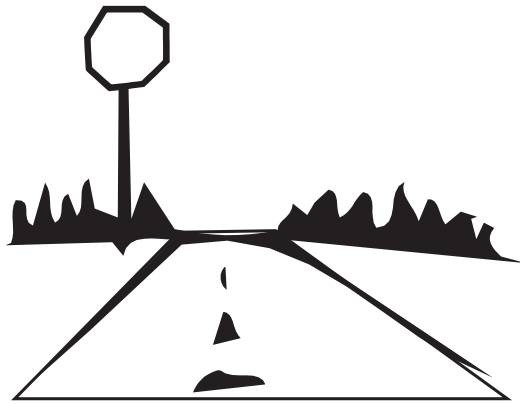
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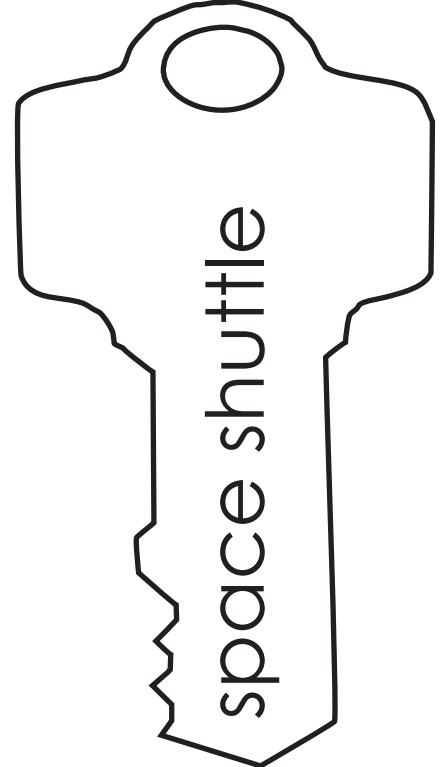
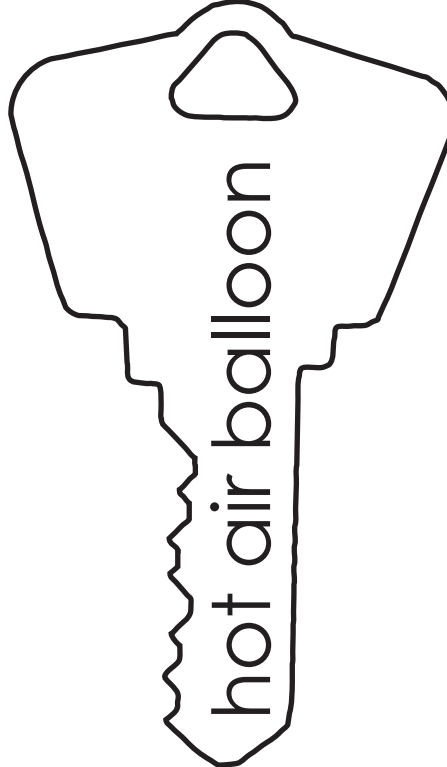
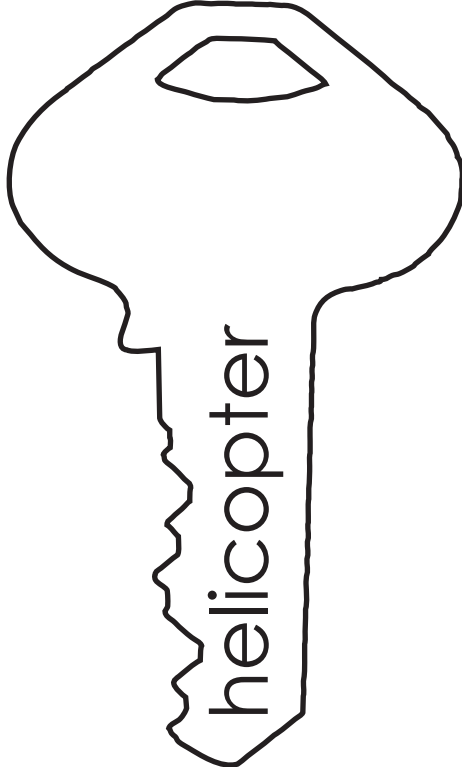
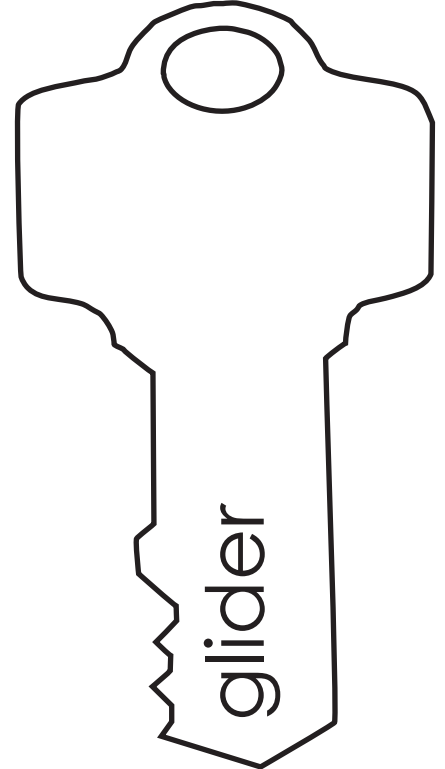
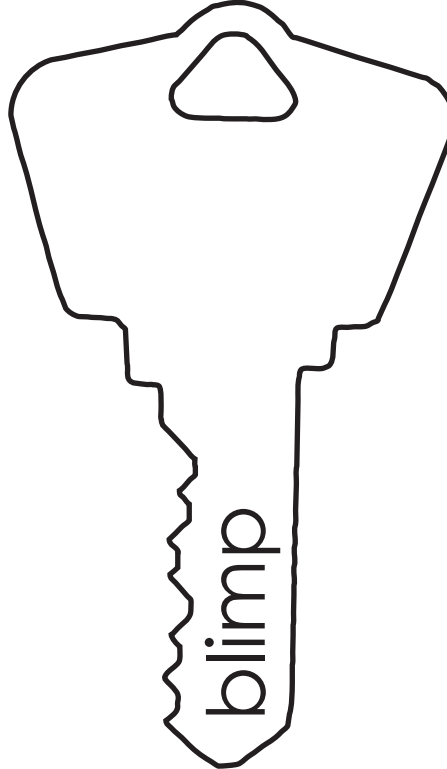
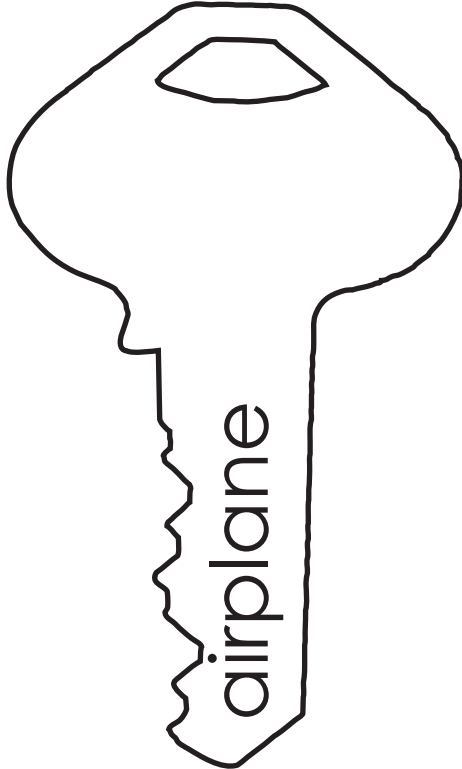


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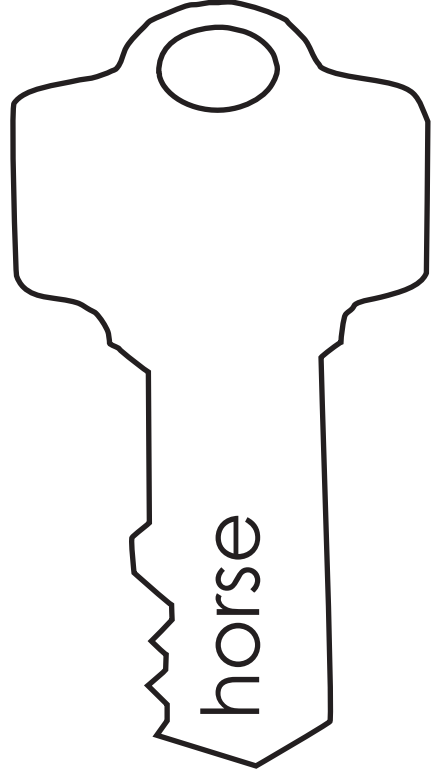
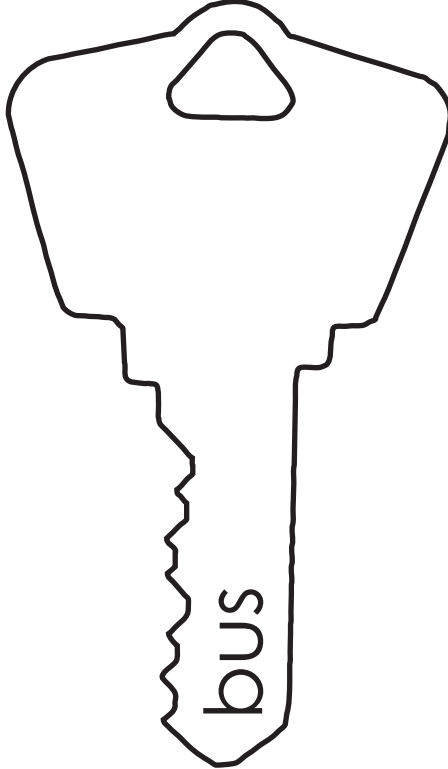
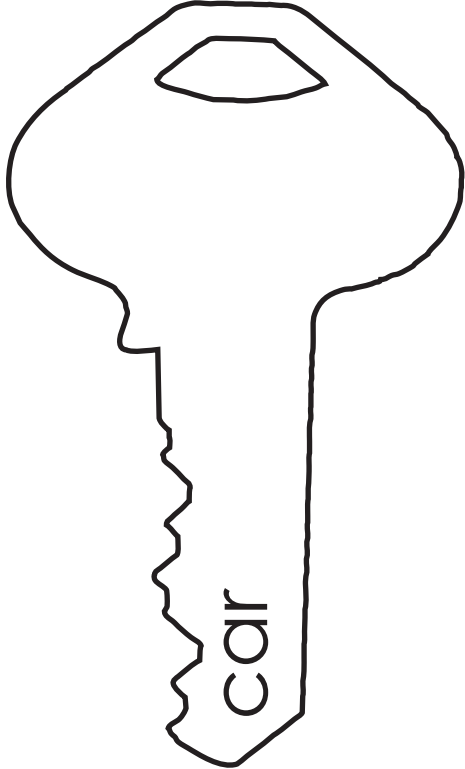
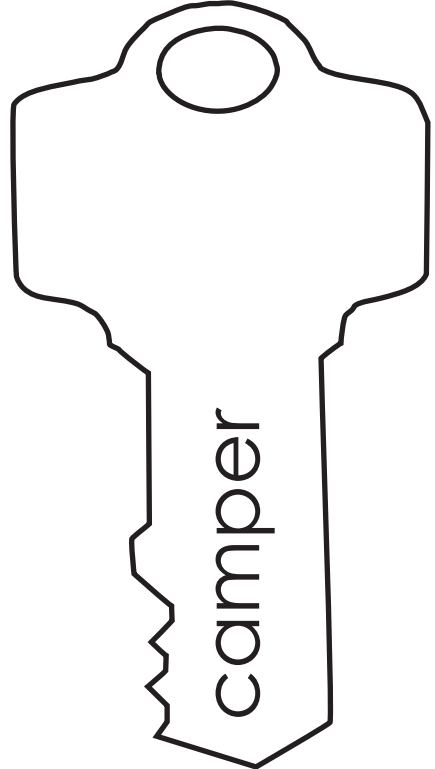
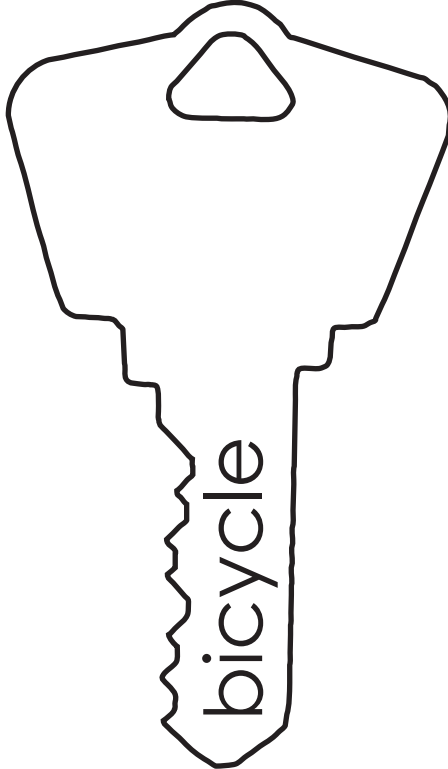
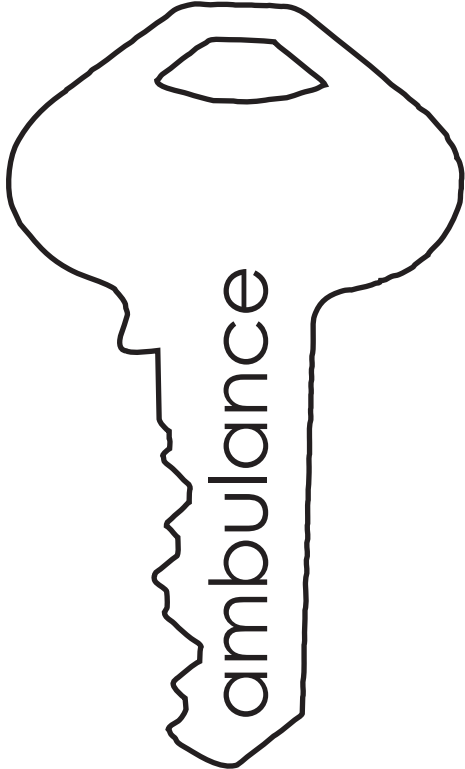
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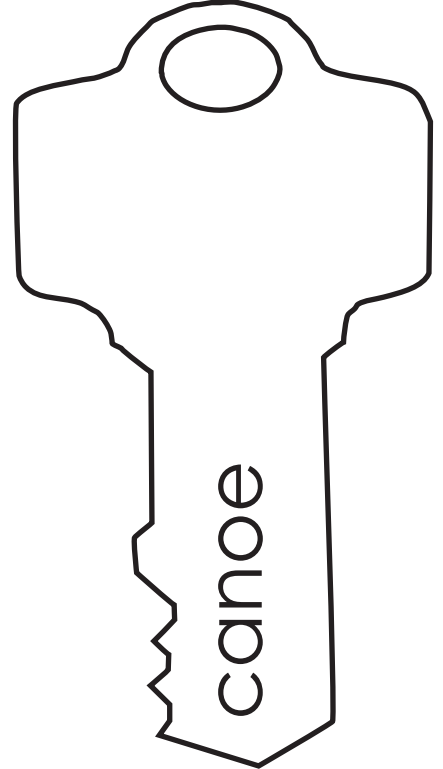
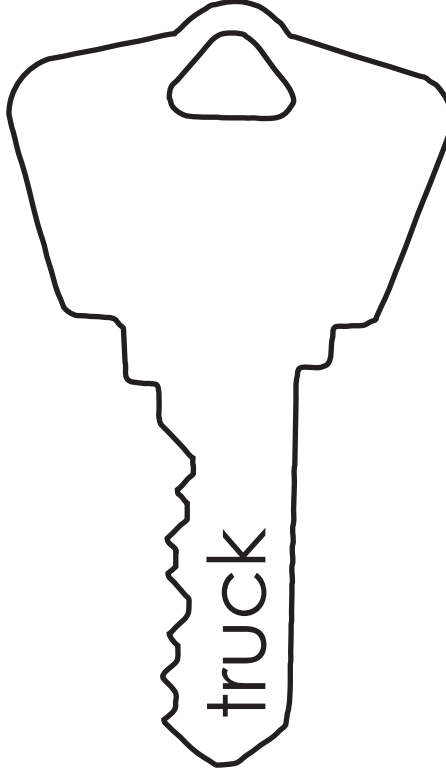
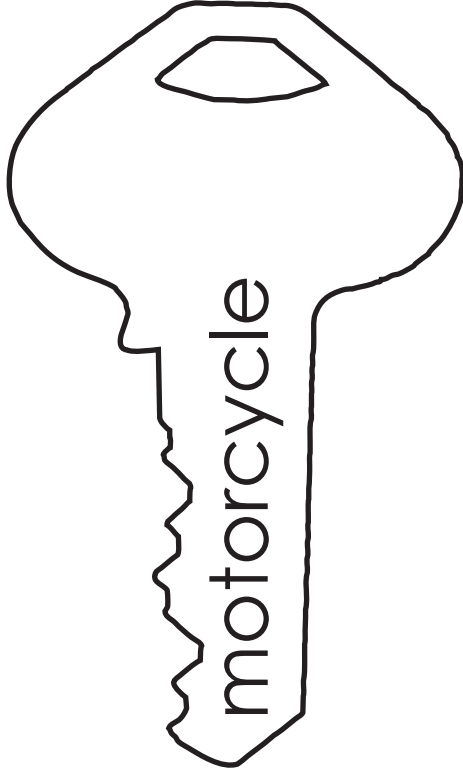
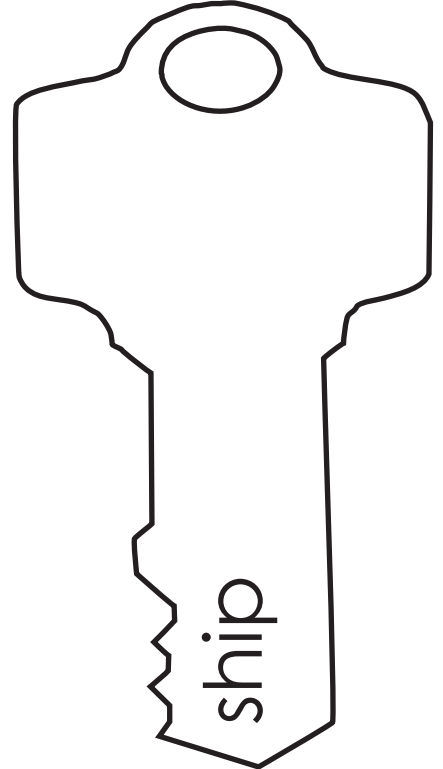
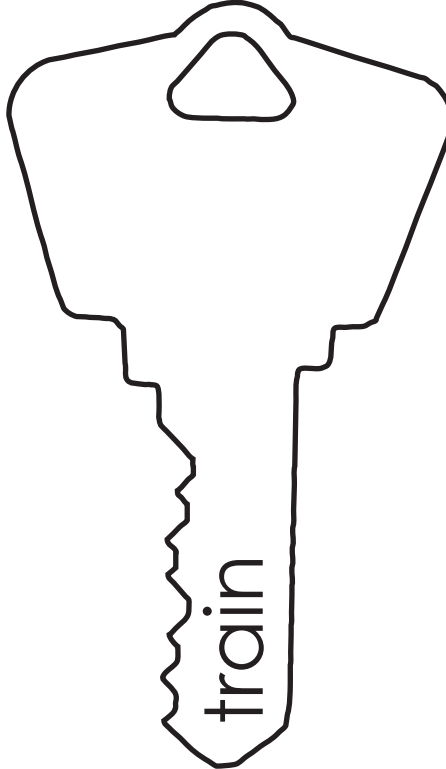
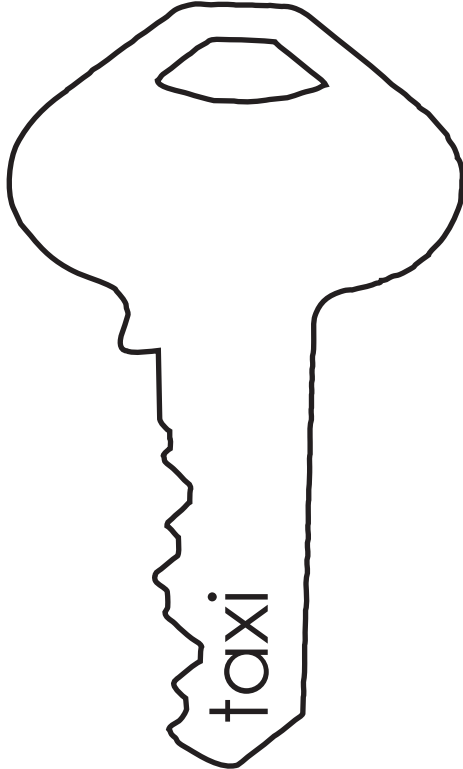


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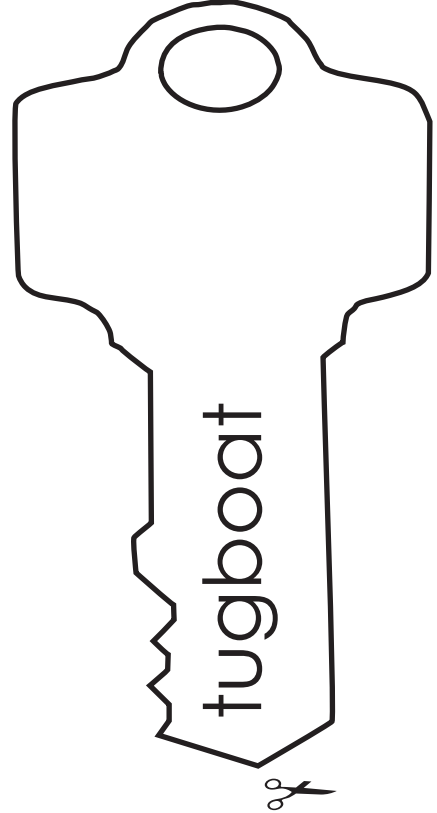
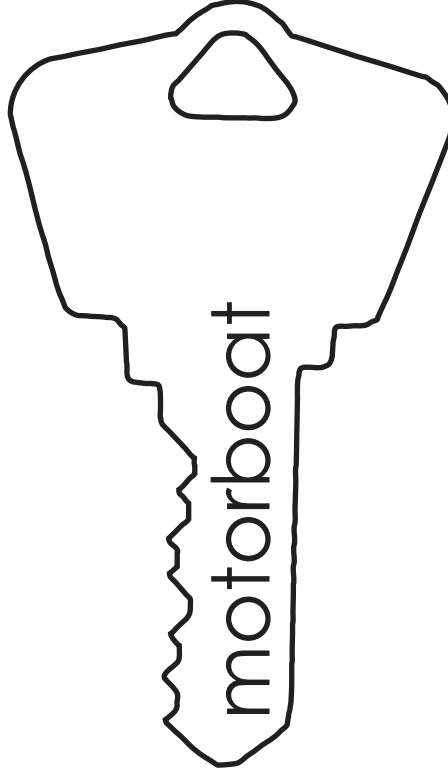
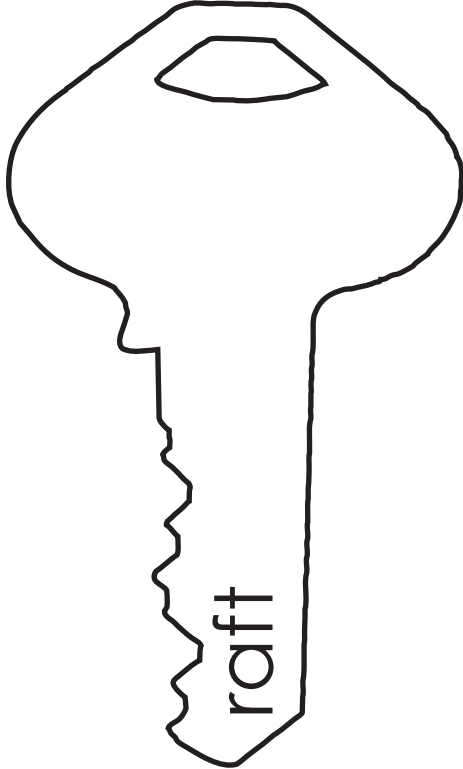
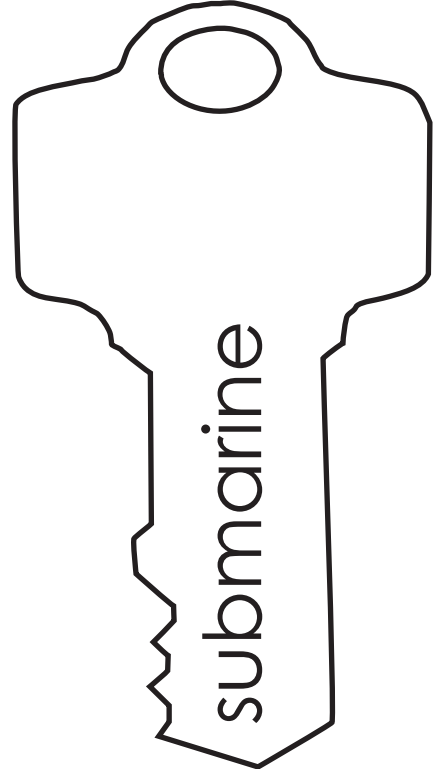
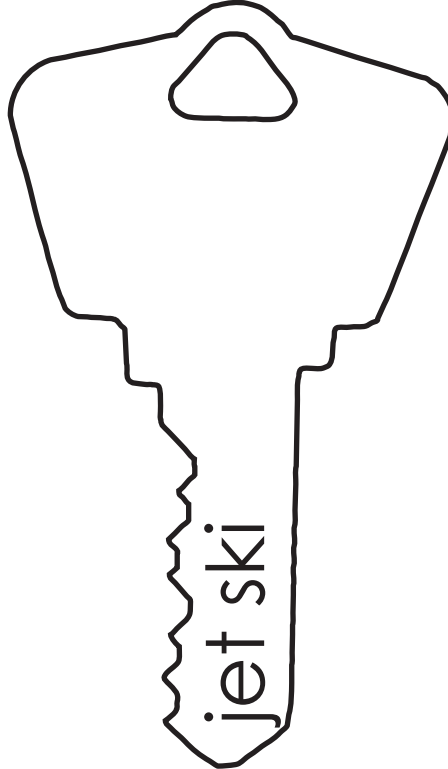
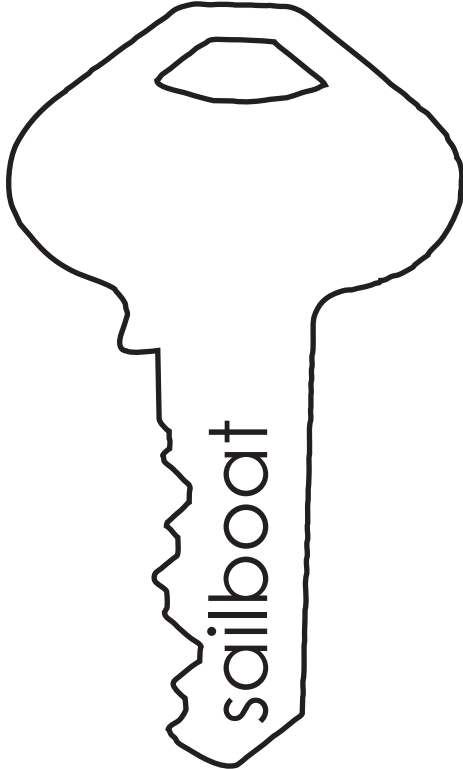




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word keys

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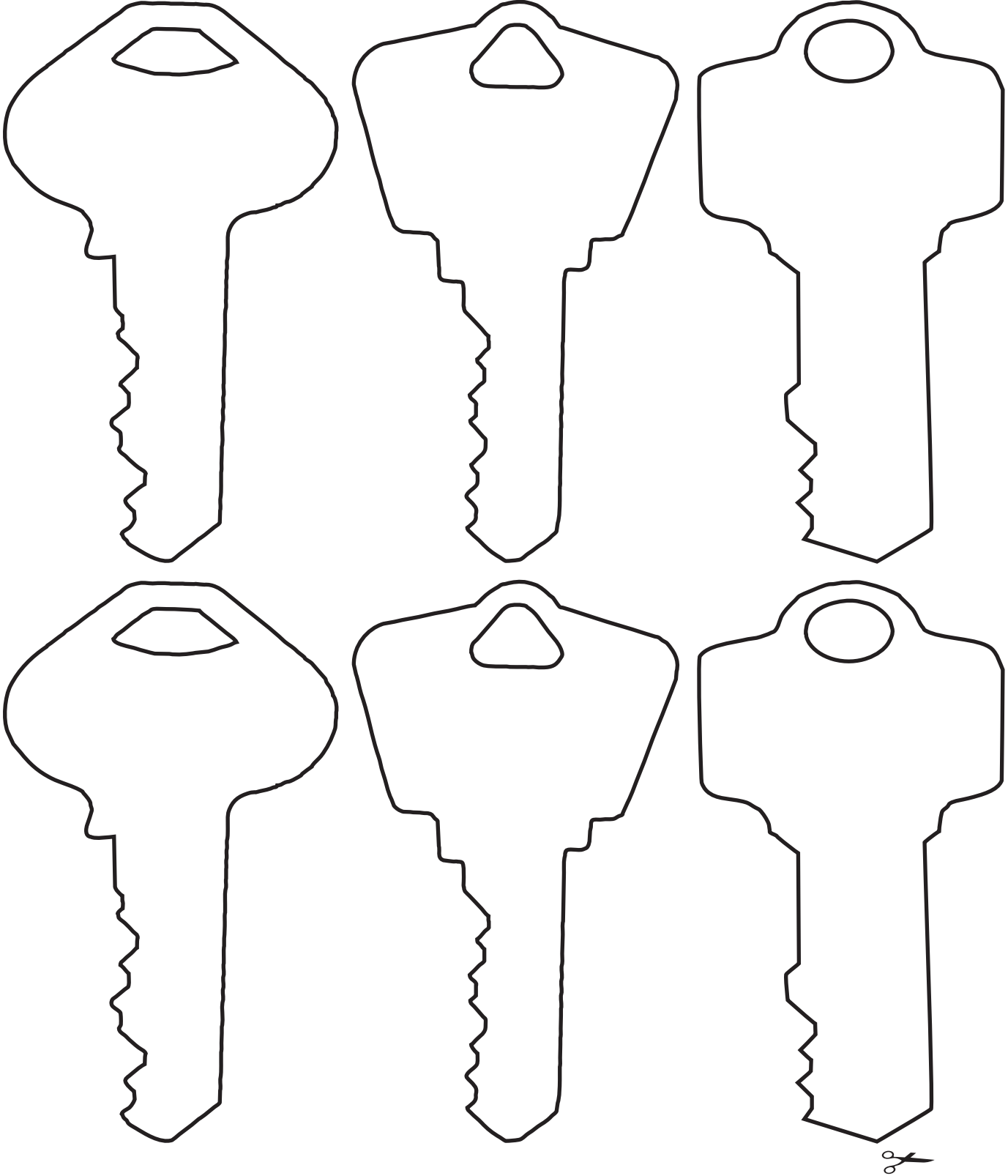
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