

Make a Matching Game

You will need:

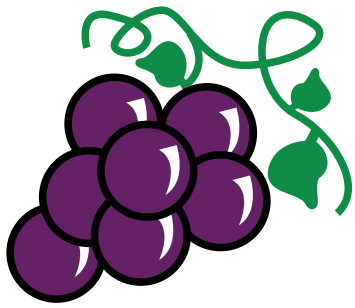
1. 16 3x5 Index cards (Cardboard from a cardboard box, cut into 3x5 pieces will work, too)
 - Index cards need to be the same color, but any color will be fine.
2. A pair of utility scissors
 - You will want to ask an adult to use the scissors. Do not use them yourself!
3. Glue
 - Any glue should work.
4. Memory game pattern
 - The pattern is on the next two pages.

Let's Get Started!

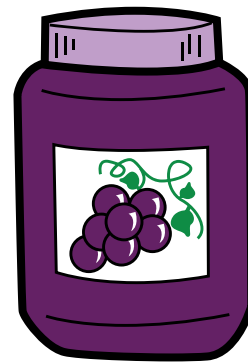
1. Begin this project by printing out the pattern found on the next two pages. Print in color, if you can, but black and white will work, too.
2. Cut out the game pieces from the printed pattern. This may be difficult so be sure to have an adult use the scissors.
3. With an adult's help, glue the pieces to the index cards. Make sure that you get the piece completely on the card, so nothing hangs over the edge.
4. Wait for the glue to dry. This might take a full day!

Playing the game:

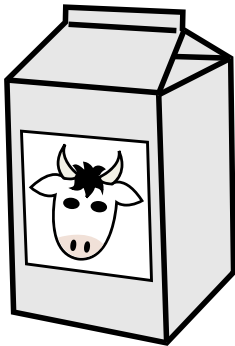
1. When your game pieces are dry, shuffle them together so they are all mixed up.
2. Without looking at any of the card faces, put them on the playing surface (a table or the floor will work fine) face down in rows of four cards each (you should end up with four rows and four columns).
3. When all your cards are face down on a surface, you and a partner should take turns flipping over two cards each, trying to match the product with what it is made of (example: bread matches flour).
4. If the two cards you turn over match, you get to go again and keep the pair of cards that match! Fun! Fun! Fun!
5. The game is over when all the cards are matched. Count your pairs of cards (2 cards that match equal one pair). The person with more matching pairs wins!



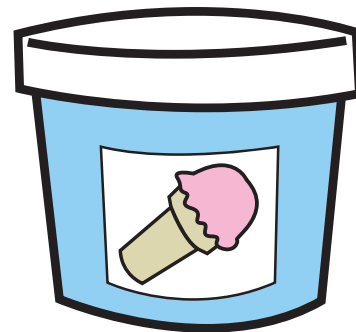
Grapes



Grape Jelly



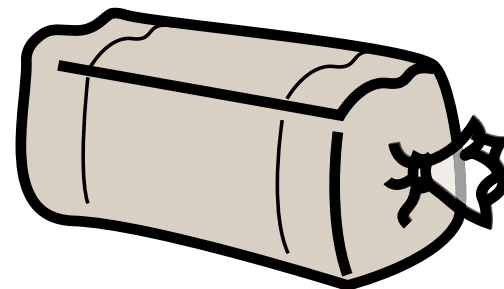
Milk



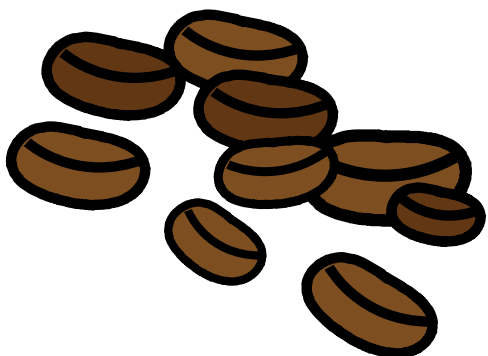
Ice Cream



Wheat Flour



Wheat Bread



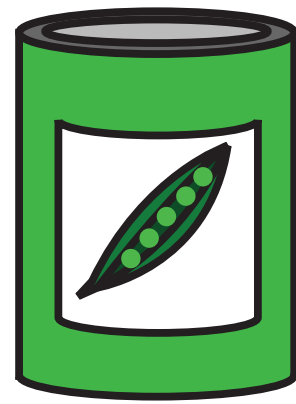
Coffee Beans



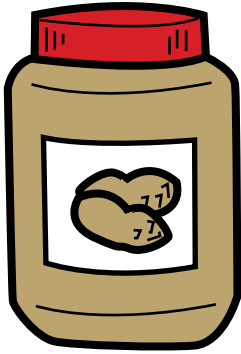
Ground Coffee



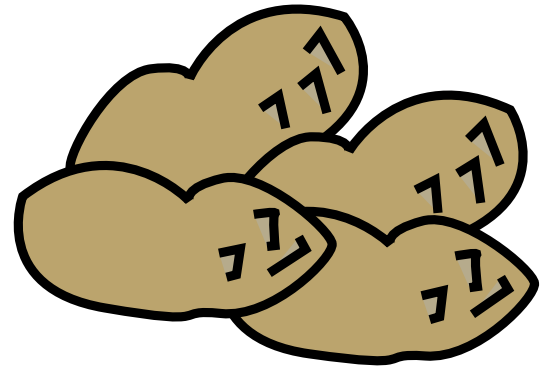
Green Peas



Canned Peas



Peanut Butter



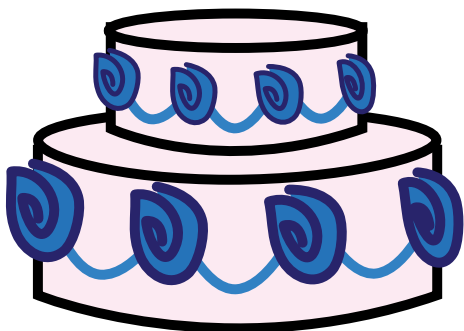
Peanuts



Ears of Corn



Canned Corn



Cake



Cake Mix