

WORKSHEET OUTPOST | Kindergarten ELA

Blending Onset and Rime

k-035-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can blend the parts of a word and say the whole word.

Name: _____ Date: _____

For adults: Read each prompt aloud. Say the sound for any letters between slashes. Children may answer aloud or use counters.

1. Blend /m/ and /ap/.

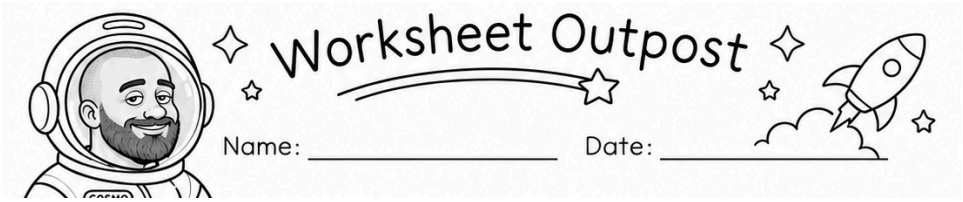
2. Blend /s/ and /un/.

3. Blend /f/ and /ish/.

4. Ask an adult to try the same activity with a new word. Listen to the word and take your turn.

5. Pick a new word. Ask a partner to try the same activity with your word.

You can point, speak, draw, or write. Adults can note any help they give.



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Blending Onset and Rime

k-035-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can blend the parts of a word and say the whole word.

Name: _____ Date: _____

For adults: Read each prompt aloud. Say the sound for any letters between slashes. Children may answer aloud or use counters.

1. Blend /f/ and /ish/.

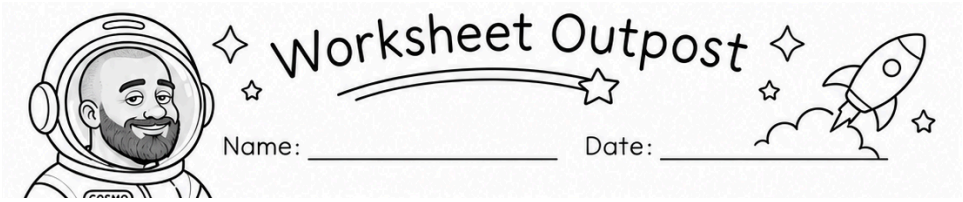
2. Blend /s/ and /un/.

3. Blend /m/ and /ap/.

4. Ask an adult to try the same activity with a new word. Listen to the word and take your turn.

5. Pick a new word. Ask a partner to try the same activity with your word.

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Isolating, Blending, and Segmenting Phonemes

k-036-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can say each sound in a word in order.

Name: _____ Date: _____

For adults: Read each prompt aloud. Say the sound for any letters between slashes. Children may answer aloud or use counters.

1. Say cup. What sound is in the middle?

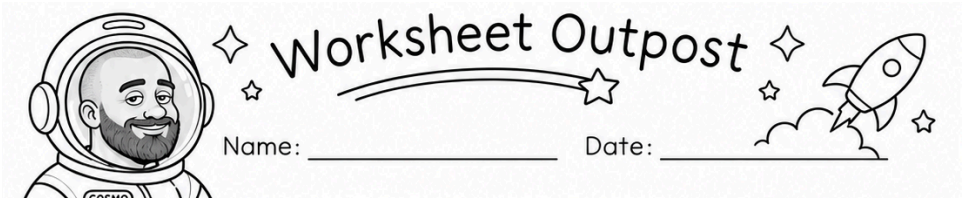
2. Blend /s/ /u/ /n/. Use the short u sound.

3. Say fish. Push one counter for each sound.

4. Say net. What sound is last?

5. Say log. What sound is first?

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Isolating, Blending, and Segmenting Phonemes

k-036-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can say each sound in a word in order.

Name: _____ Date: _____

For adults: Read each prompt aloud. Say the sound for any letters between slashes. Children may answer aloud or use counters.

1. Say log. What sound is first?

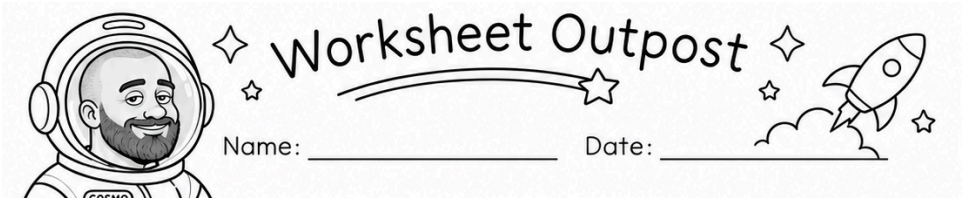
2. Blend /sh/ /i/ /p/. Use the short i sound.

3. Say stop. Count the sounds.

4. Say map. Tap each sound.

5. Say cup. What sound is in the middle?

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Initial s-blends

k-186-1 | Five questions

Success criteria

I can read each word and point to the letters that make the target sound.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Practice words: stop, spin, step, swim, spot, snack.

1. Read each word. Mark the letters that show the spelling pattern you are practicing.

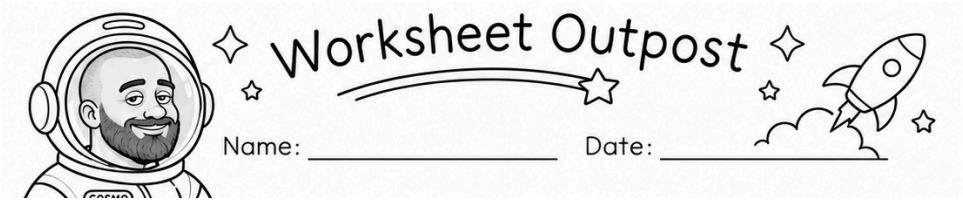
2. Choose two words. How are their spellings alike? How are they different?

3. Use one word in a sentence. Read your sentence aloud.

4. Choose a practice word. Say each sound, then read the whole word.

5. Choose a different practice word. Cover it, write it, and check its spelling.

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Initial s-blends

k-186-2 | Five questions

Success criteria

I can read each word and point to the letters that make the target sound.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Practice words: snack, spot, swim, step, spin, stop.

1. Read each word. Mark the letters that show the spelling pattern you are practicing.

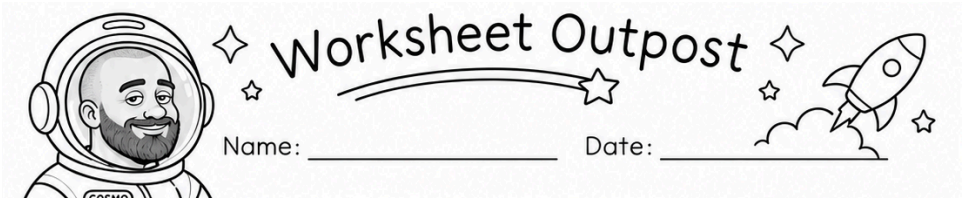
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5. Choose a different practice word. Cover it, write it, and check its spelling.

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Initial l-blends

k-187-1 | Five questions

Success criteria

I can read each word and point to the letters that make the target sound.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Practice words: clap, flag, slip, glad, plug, flat.

1. Read each word. Mark the letters that show the spelling pattern you are practicing.

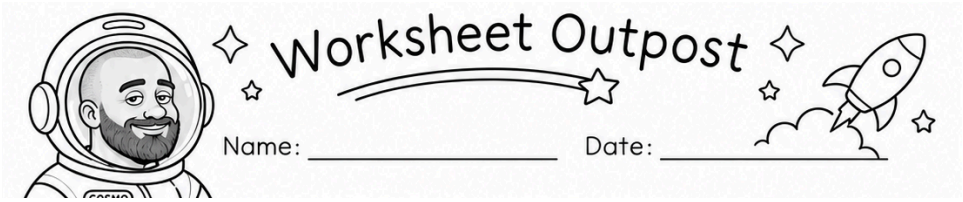
2. Choose two words. How are their spellings alike? How are they different?

3. Use one word in a sentence. Read your sentence aloud.

4. Choose a practice word. Say each sound, then read the whole word.

5. Choose a different practice word. Cover it, write it, and check its spelling.

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Initial l-blends

k-187-2 | Five questions

Success criteria

I can read each word and point to the letters that make the target sound.



Name: _____ Date: _____

Practice words: flat, plug, glad, slip, flag, clap.

1. Read each word. Mark the letters that show the spelling pattern you are practicing.

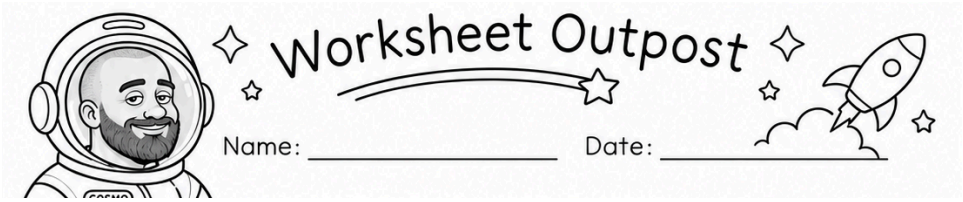
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Manuscript: l, t, i

k-188-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can form the letters shown and write them on my own.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Watch an adult write each letter on the first line. Notice where it starts and ends. Copy it, then try it from memory.

1. Watch an adult write l. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

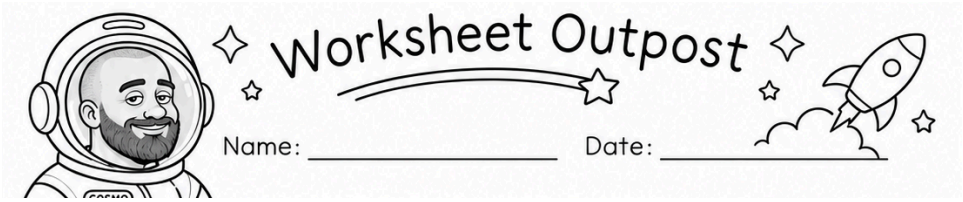
2. Watch an adult write i. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

3. Watch an adult write l. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

4. Watch an adult write i. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

5. Watch an adult write l. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

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Manuscript: l, t, i

k-188-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can form the letters shown and write them on my own.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Watch an adult write each letter on the first line. Notice where it starts and ends. Copy it, then try it from memory.

1. Watch an adult write t. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

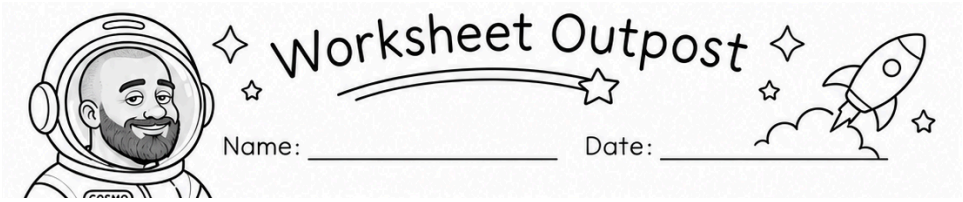
2. Watch an adult write t. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

3. Watch an adult write t. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

4. Watch an adult write t. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

5. Watch an adult write t. Copy the letter, then try again on your own.

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Review

k-123-1 | Five questions

Success criteria

I can read the words, cover them, and spell them from memory.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Words: the, was, you, said, have, one

1. Read each word. Circle the part you need to remember.

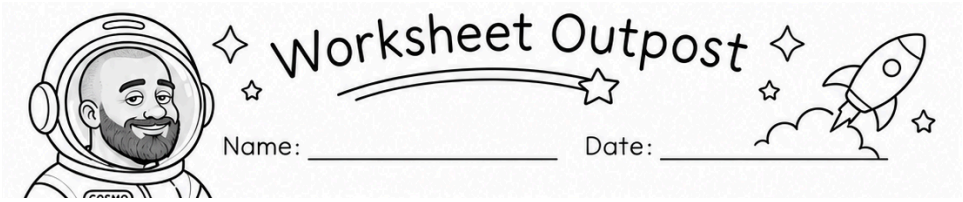
2. Choose two words. Use each word in a sentence aloud.

3. Copy the words. Cover your list. Write each word as an adult reads it aloud.

4. Ask an adult to read the words in a different order. Write each word you hear.

5. Check your spelling. Fix any words you missed.

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Review

k-123-2 | Five questions

Success criteria

I can read the words, cover them, and spell them from memory.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Words: the, was, you, said, have, one

1. Ask an adult to read the words in a different order. Write each word you hear.

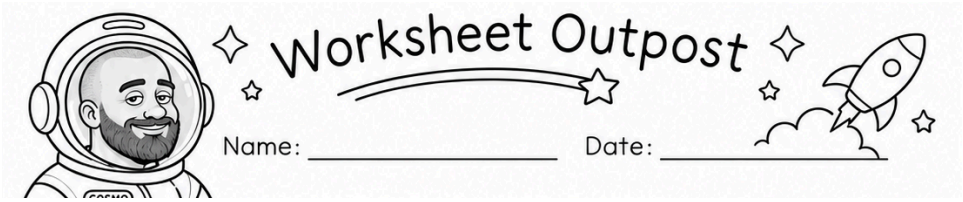
2. Check your spelling. Fix any words you missed.

3. Use one or two words from the list in a sentence. Read it aloud.

4. Read each word. Circle the part you need to remember.

5. Choose two words. Use each word in a sentence aloud.

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Expression

k-100-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can read the passage aloud and reread a tricky part so it makes sense.

Name: _____ Date: _____

NELL: My bridge bends! (She holds the paper.)
OMAR: Let us fold it.
NELL: Now it holds the cart! (She smiles.)
OMAR: Can it hold two carts?

1. Read aloud. Mark a word you need to check.

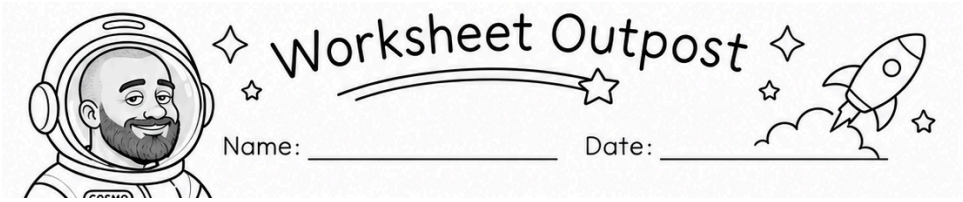
2. Check the letters, practice the word, and reread the sentence.

3. Read again in phrases. Let punctuation guide your voice.

4. Read the text to a partner at a comfortable pace.

5. Tell what happens without looking.

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NELL: Now it holds the cart! (She smiles.)
OMAR: Can it hold two carts?

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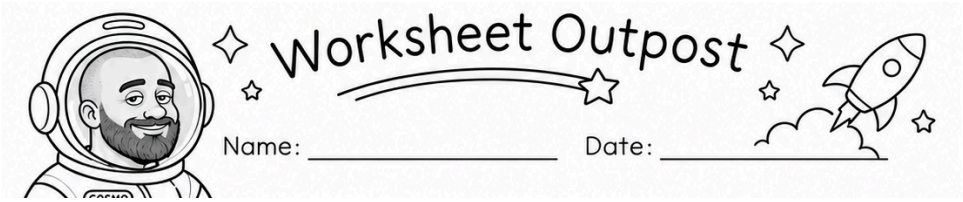
2. Tell what happens without looking.

3. Reread. Ask your partner what became clearer or smoother.

4. Read aloud. Mark a word you need to check.

5. Check the letters, practice the word, and reread the sentence.

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Make and Check Predictions

k-093-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can answer a question and point to the part of the text that helped me.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Nell built a small paper bridge between two books. Her toy cart fell through it. Nell folded the paper into a zigzag and tried again. The cart rolled across. Nell smiled and invited Omar to test a heavier cart.

1. Cover the last two sentences. Predict what Nell will do.

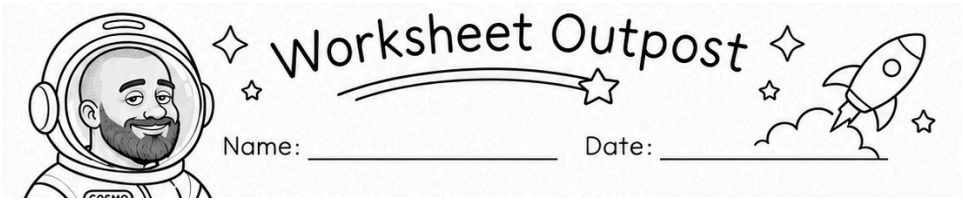
2. Read the rest. Was your prediction confirmed?

3. Predict what may happen with the heavier cart. Give a clue.

4. What is the most important idea on this page? Point to a detail that supports it.

5. Ask a question about what you read. Answer it using this page.

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Make and Check Predictions

k-093-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can answer a question and point to the part of the text that helped me.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Rafi wanted to carry three library books home. His paper bag tore. Mei offered a cloth bag. Rafi put the books inside and held the handles. At home, he drew a thank-you card for Mei.

1. Stop after sentence two. Predict a solution.

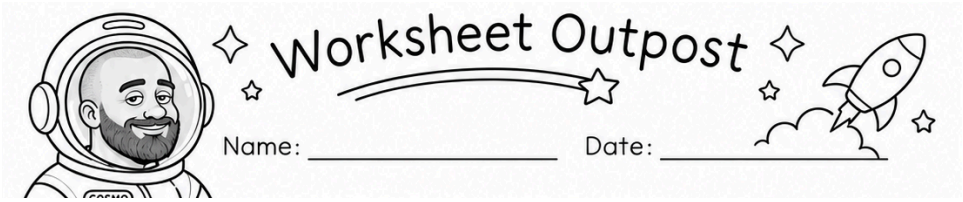
2. Read on. What really happens?

3. How did the ending compare with your prediction?

4. What is the most important idea on this page? Point to a detail that supports it.

5. Ask a question about what you read. Answer it using this page.

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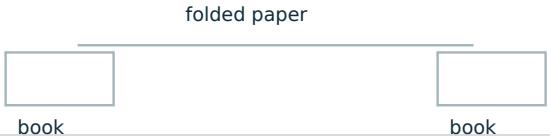
Author and Illustrator

k-014-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can tell how the author or illustrator helps me learn about the topic.

Name: _____ Date: _____

THE PAPER BRIDGE
Words by Jo Lane | Picture by Ari Vale (fictional creators)
Caption: A folded paper bridge rests on two books.
Glossary: fold - a bend made in paper.



1. Who wrote the words?

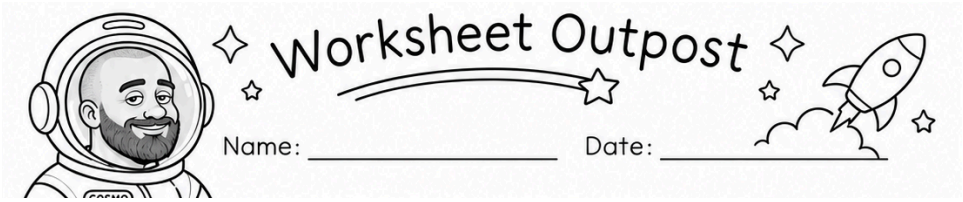
2. What does the caption explain?

3. Where is the meaning of fold?

4. What is the most important idea on this page? Point to a detail that supports it.

5. Ask a question about what you read. Answer it using this page.

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Author and Illustrator

k-014-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can tell how the author or illustrator helps me learn about the topic.

Name: _____ Date: _____

THE TOY RAMP
Words by Ari Vale | Picture by Jo Lane (fictional creators)
Caption: A toy cart rolls down a ramp.
Glossary: ramp - a sloping surface.



Ramp model

1. Who made the picture?

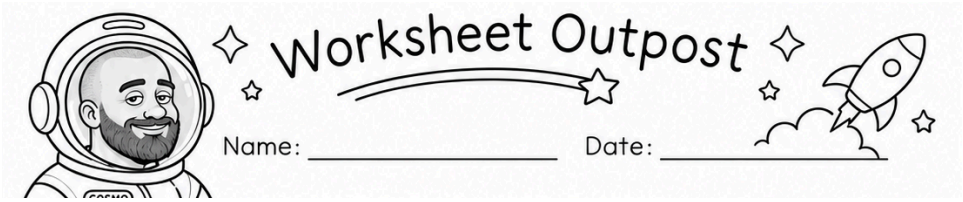
2. Read the heading. What will you learn about?

3. Point to the ramp in the drawing.

4. What is the most important idea on this page? Point to a detail that supports it.

5. Ask a question about what you read. Answer it using this page.

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Text Structure

k-183-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can explain how two ideas or events in the text are connected.

Name: _____ Date: _____

First, place two books a hand-width apart. Next, fold a strip of paper into a zigzag. Then lay it across the gap. Last, roll a toy cart over the bridge.

1. What happens first?

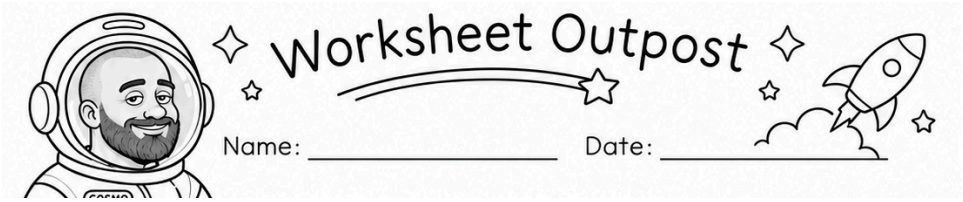
2. Which step comes before laying the bridge?

3. Circle two order words.

4. What is the most important idea on this page? Point to a detail that supports it.

5. Ask a question about what you read. Answer it using this page.

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Text Structure

k-183-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can explain how two ideas or events in the text are connected.

Name: _____ Date: _____

First, set a tray on a table. Next, add a little water. Then fold a paper boat. Last, put the boat in the water and watch it float.

1. What happens after setting down the tray?

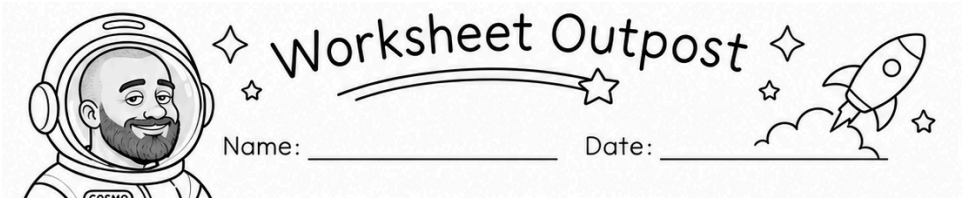
2. Why fold the boat before putting it in water?

3. Retell the steps in order.

4. What is the most important idea on this page? Point to a detail that supports it.

5. Ask a question about what you read. Answer it using this page.

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Book Orientation

k-017-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can point to the front cover and show where to start reading.

Name: _____ Date: _____

A MINI BOOK
Title: The Cart
Words: Jo Lane | Pictures: Ari Vale (fictional creators)
Page 1: The cart is red.
Page 2: It rolls down.

1. Point to the title and the names of the writer and illustrator.

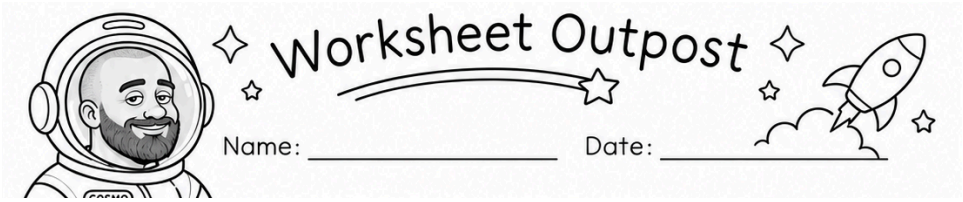
2. Point to the first word on page 1. Track each word from left to right.

3. Show where to go after finishing the line. Point to page 2 and read it.

4. Count the words in: The cart is red.

5. Find an uppercase letter and an end mark.

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Book Orientation

k-017-2 | Five questions

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I can point to the front cover and show where to start reading.

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Page 1: The cart is red.
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1. Count the words in: The cart is red.

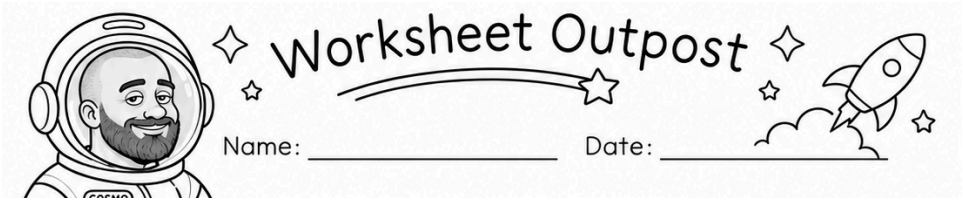
2. Find an uppercase letter and an end mark.

3. Tell how a word differs from a sentence.

4. Point to the title and the names of the writer and illustrator.

5. Point to the first word on page 1. Track each word from left to right.

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Connect Reading and Writing

Success criteria
I can state my opinion and give a reason for it.

k-018-1 | Five questions

Name: _____ Date: _____

Nell built a small paper bridge between two books. Her toy cart fell through it. Nell folded the paper into a zigzag and tried again. The cart rolled across. Nell smiled and invited Omar to test a heavier cart.
Rafi wanted to carry three library books home. His paper bag tore. Mei offered a cloth bag. Rafi put the books inside and held the handles. At home, he drew a thank-you card for Mei.

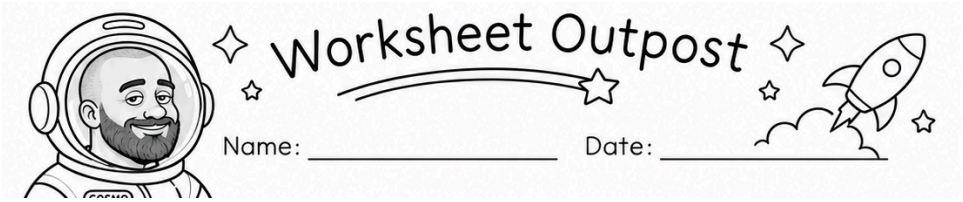
1. Advertise a paper bookmark you designed. Tell why a reader might like it.

2. Plan: What is your main idea? Choose two or three details.

3. Draw your ideas, tell them to someone, or write a first draft.

4. Write a fresh version: Advertise a paper bookmark you designed. Tell why a reader might like it.

5. Add or improve one detail. Reread your work. Will the order make sense to a reader?



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I can state my opinion and give a reason for it.

k-018-2 | Five questions

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Rafi wanted to carry three library books home. His paper bag tore. Mei offered a cloth bag. Rafi put the books inside and held the handles. At home, he drew a thank-you card for Mei.

1. Write a fresh version: Advertise a paper bookmark you designed. Tell why a reader might like it.

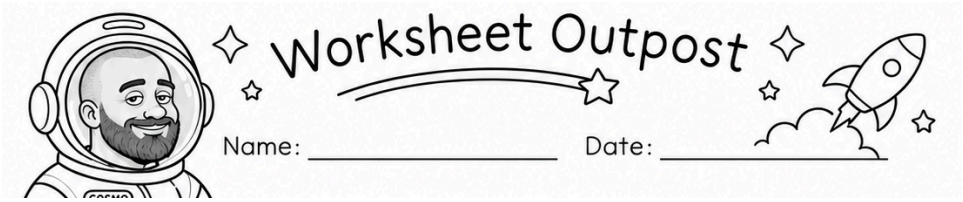
2. Add or improve one detail. Reread your work. Will the order make sense to a reader?

3. Check capital letters, spaces, spelling, and end punctuation. Share with a partner.

4. Advertise a paper bookmark you designed. Tell why a reader might like it.

5. Plan: What is your main idea? Choose two or three details.

You can point, speak, draw, or write. Adults can note any help they give.



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Opinion

k-189-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can state my opinion and give a reason for it.

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Should a classroom keep reusable scrap paper? State your opinion and two reasons.

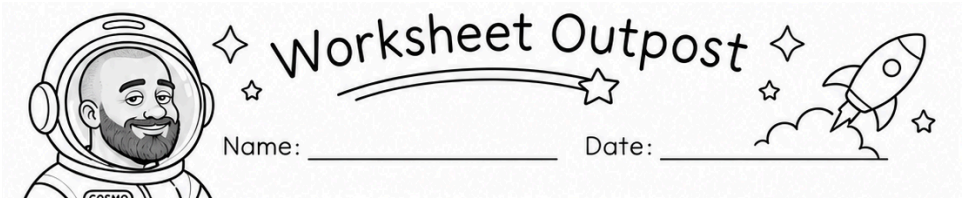
2. Plan: What is your main idea? Choose two or three details.

3. Draw your ideas, tell them to someone, or write a first draft.

4. Write a fresh version: Should a classroom keep reusable scrap paper? State your opinion and two reasons.

5. Add or improve one detail. Reread your work. Will the order make sense to a reader?

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Opinion

k-189-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can state my opinion and give a reason for it.

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Write a fresh version: Should a classroom keep reusable scrap paper? State your opinion and two reasons.

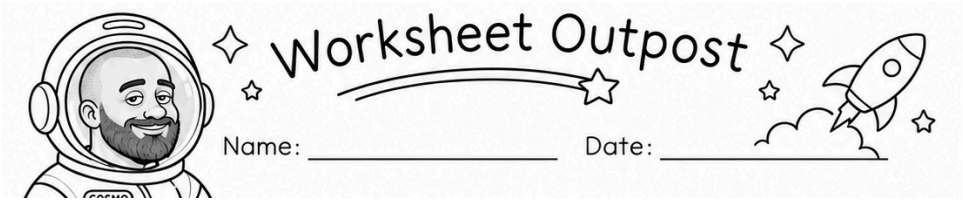
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Pronouns

k-072-1 | Five questions

Success criteria

I can replace a name with a pronoun that makes sense in the sentence.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Read each sentence. Complete the task, then check your work.

1. Replace Nell with a pronoun: Nell folds paper.

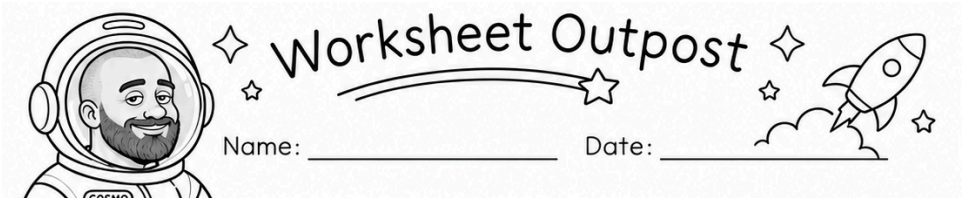
2. Replace the carts: The carts roll.

3. Choose: Mei gave (he / him) a book.

4. Replace Omar and I: Omar and I play.

5. Choose: (She / Her) reads to us.

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Pronouns

k-072-2 | Five questions

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Read each sentence. Complete the task, then check your work.

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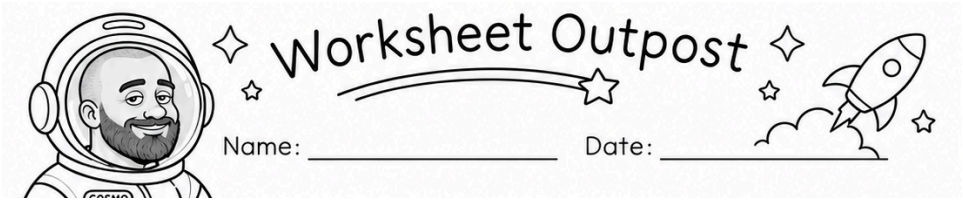
2. Choose: (She / Her) reads to us.

3. Choose: Rafi helps (we / us).

4. Replace Nell with a pronoun: Nell folds paper.

5. Replace the carts: The carts roll.

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Express Likes and Dislikes

k-042-1 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can state my opinion and give a reason that supports it.

Name: _____ Date: _____

A partner wants to test a paper bridge. You want to make sure both partners can share ideas.

1. State your view: Should we test the cart again?

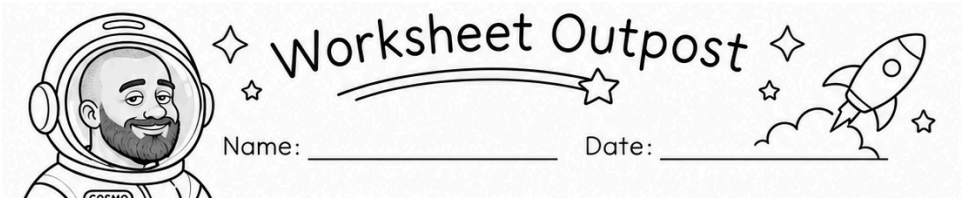
2. Give a reason using a detail about the bridge.

3. Respond respectfully to a different idea.

4. Switch roles. Try the same conversation with a paper boat instead of a bridge.

5. Write or draw one idea your partner shared.

You can point, speak, draw, or write. Adults can note any help they give.



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Express Likes and Dislikes

k-042-2 | Five questions

Success criteria
I can state my opinion and give a reason that supports it.

Name: _____ Date: _____

A partner wants to test a paper bridge. You want to make sure both partners can share ideas.

1. Switch roles. Try the same conversation with a paper boat instead of a bridge.

2. Write or draw one idea your partner shared.

3. Check: Did you listen, take turns, stay on topic, and use clear words?

4. State your view: Should we test the cart again?

5. Give a reason using a detail about the bridge.

You can point, speak, draw, or write. Adults can note any help they give.