



# Phonics Teaching Plan

## Sound S

### Things beginning with the sound

Things/Nouns		Action/Verbs
snake	sun	to sit
spider	sky	to stamp
spoon	sand	to stand

### Art activity

Decorate a Sun  
Make a spider  
Trace and colour the large s

### Songs & Rhymes for sound

Insy Winsy Spider  
Mr Sun  
The snake is in the grass  
(Jolly Phonics)

### Action for sound

Make your hand into a snake and  
move it like a snake

### Games to play

Find things beginning with sound  
Item sound sort  
Item treasure hunt  
Sound bingo

### Resources needed depending on activity chosen

paper plates  
glue  
coloured paper - yellow, red  
orange and black  
paint  
google or sticker eyes  
scissors  
paper for printing

### Tips when reading stories

Look at things in the pictures of  
the story that begin with the  
sound your child is learning, ask  
questions about the story



# **GAMES**

## **Find Items beginning with the sound**

Once you have taught your child the sound you can then send them on a hunt around the house to find things that begin with that sound and bring them back to you.

It is a good idea to keep these items in a bag or box for further use and games that can be played.

This teaches children vocabulary and word/sound recognition.

## **Item Sound Sort**

Once you have done a treasure hunt and found items that begin with the sound your child is learning, you can then put these items in a bag or box and use them to do the item sort.

Write the sound in lower card on a piece of paper, or use flash cards if you have them, or the letters from the cards below, and the child takes an item one by one from the box or bag and sorts under the correct sound card.

This starts to give children an idea of sound and item recognition.

## **Bingo**

You can make a bingo card using either the sounds they have learned so far or pictures that begin with the sounds, or with words spelt using the sounds they know.

For the cards you can do the same, sounds, pictures or words.

# Treasure Hunts

This is a great game to play for your child to start recognising and hearing beginning sounds.

You can play this anywhere, in the house using your child's toys in their room or toy box or when you are out and about by playing eyespy or in the park by looking for items with beginning sounds.

# Sun art activity

1. Use a paper plate to make a sun, either colour or paint it, or use bits of yellow, orange or red paper and stick them on. If your child can use scissors they could cut the small pieces themselves (great activity to strengthen fingers)
2. Print out the sun picture here and do the same thing



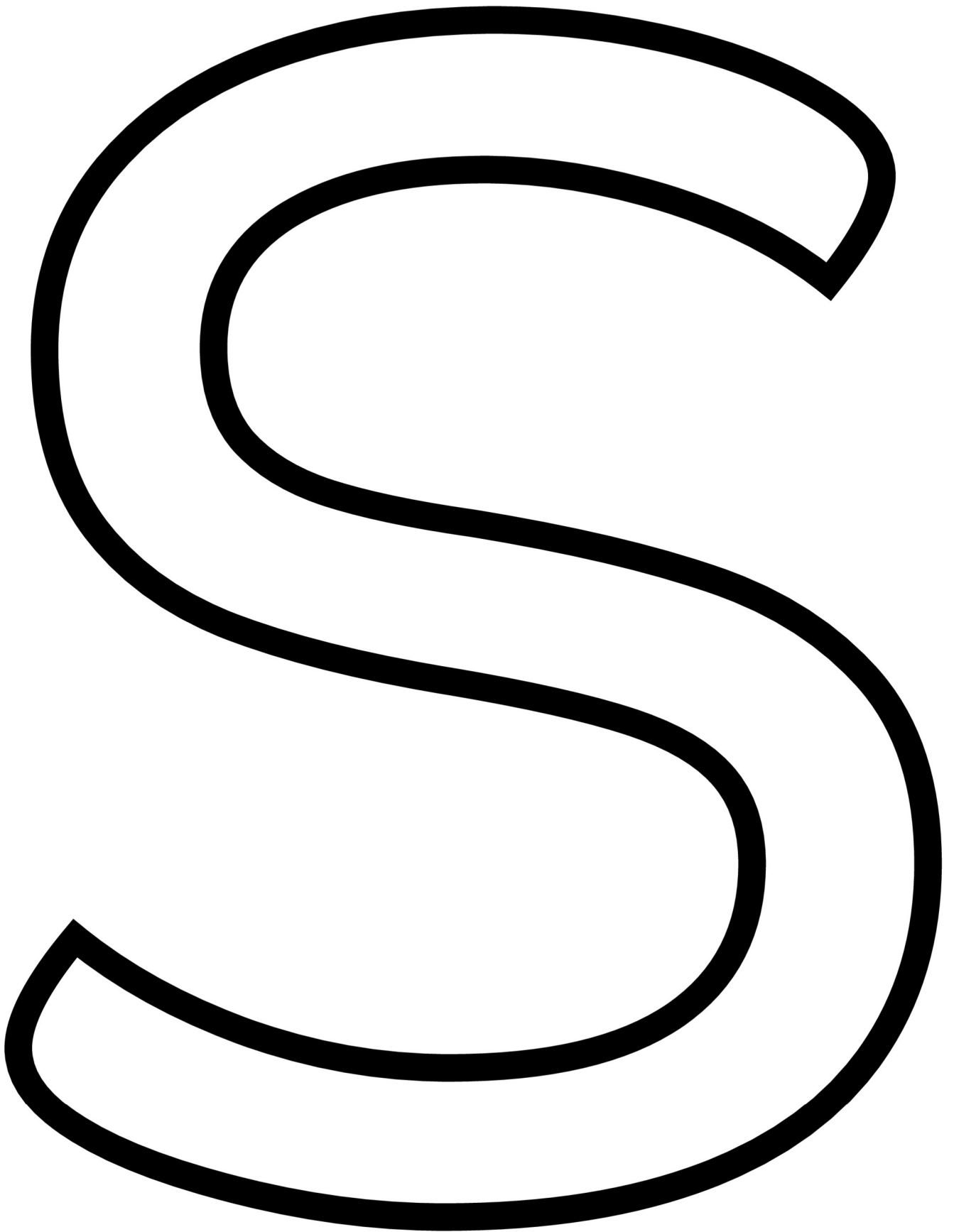
# Spider art activity

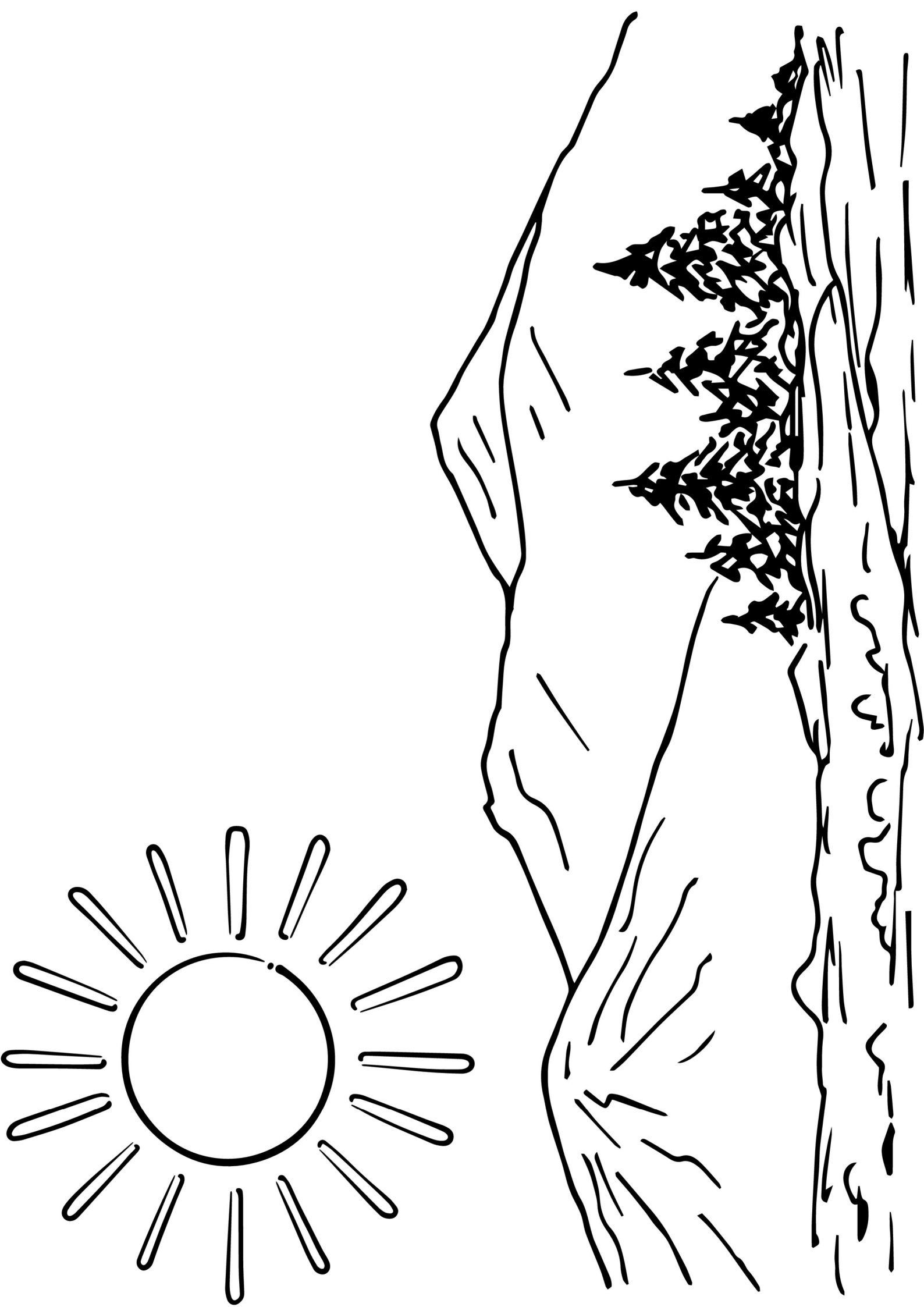
1. Use a paper plate to make a spider, either colour or paint it, or use bits of black paper and stick them on. If your child can use scissors they could cut the small pieces themselves (great activity to strengthen fingers) . Cut stipes of black paper for his legs.
2. Print out the spider picture here and do the same thing

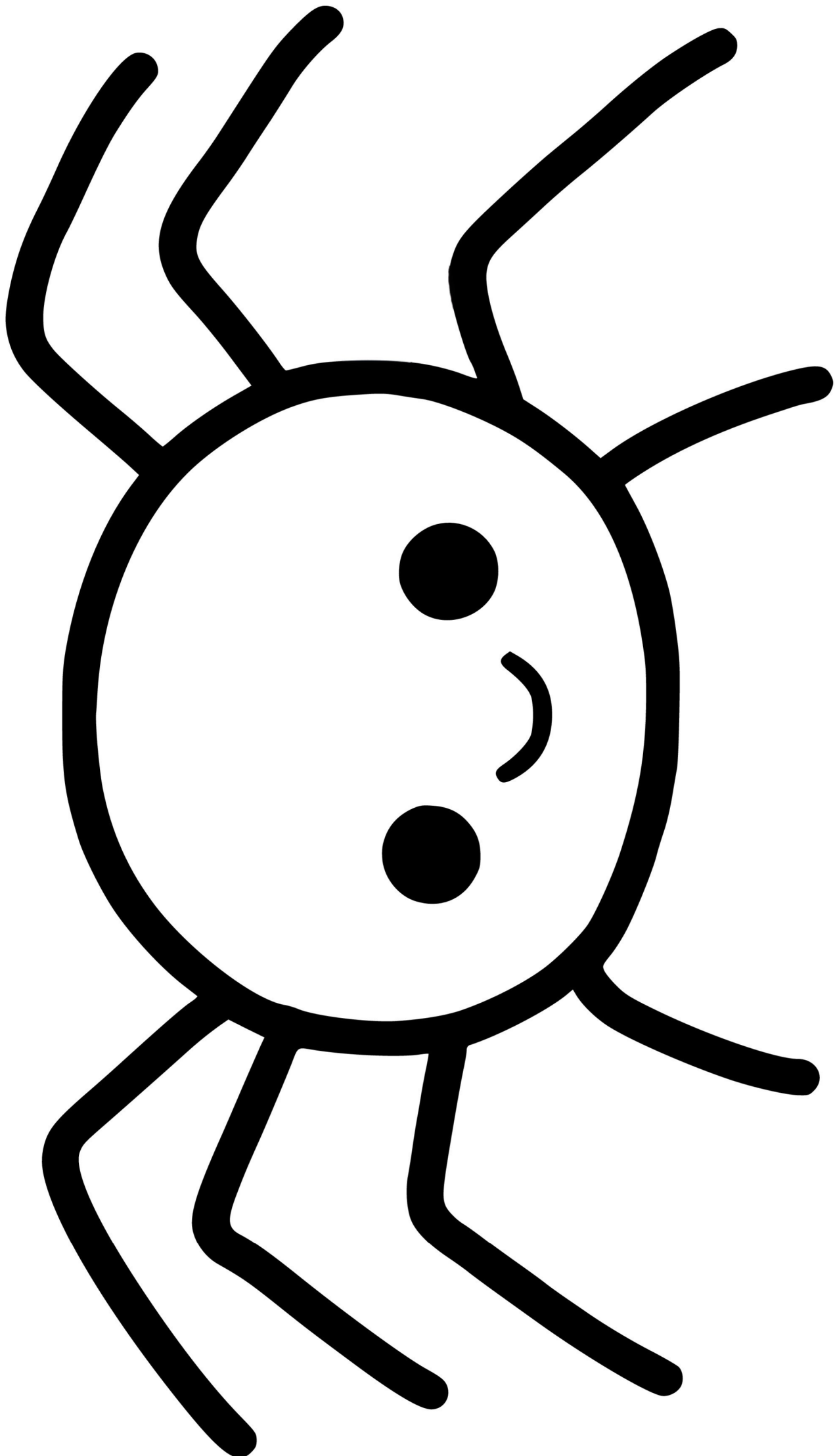


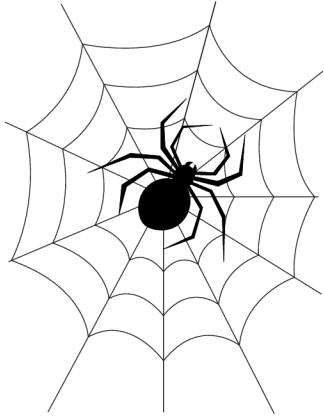
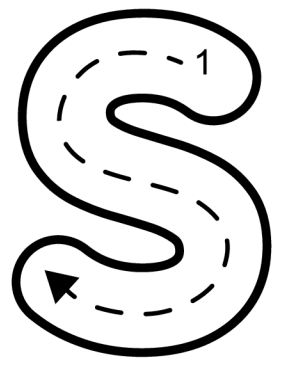
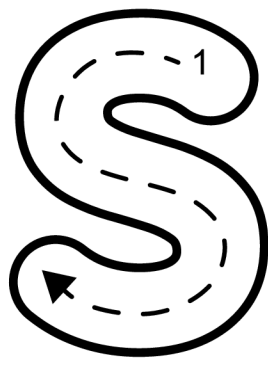
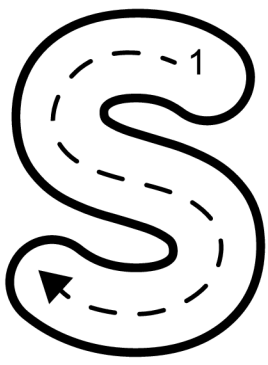


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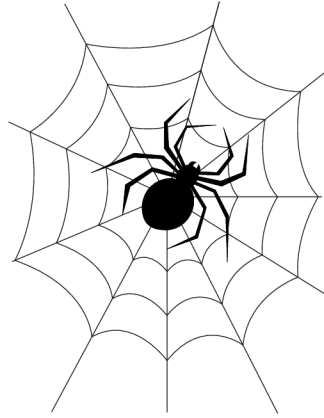




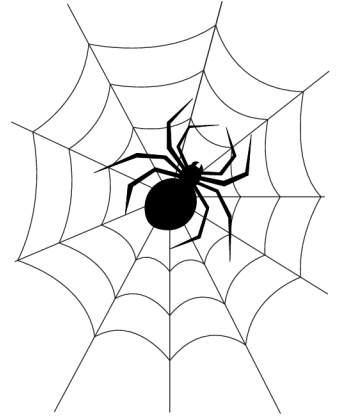




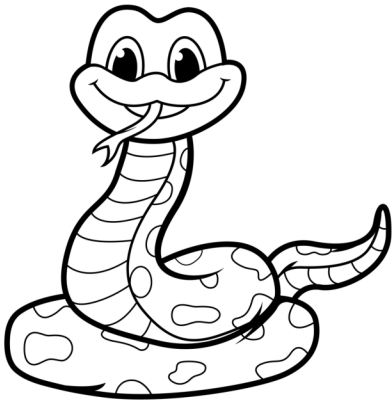
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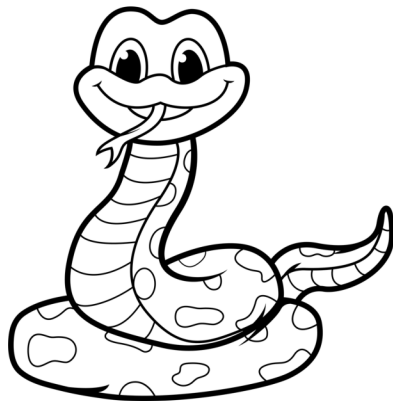
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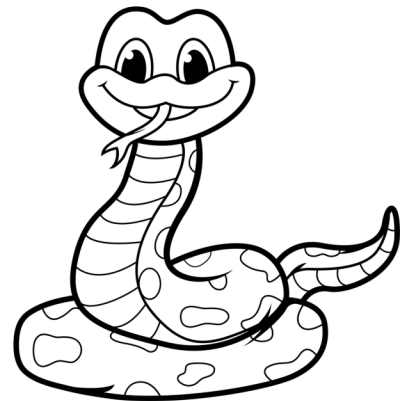
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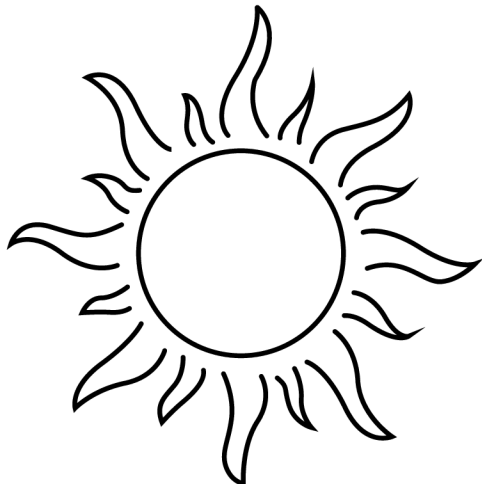
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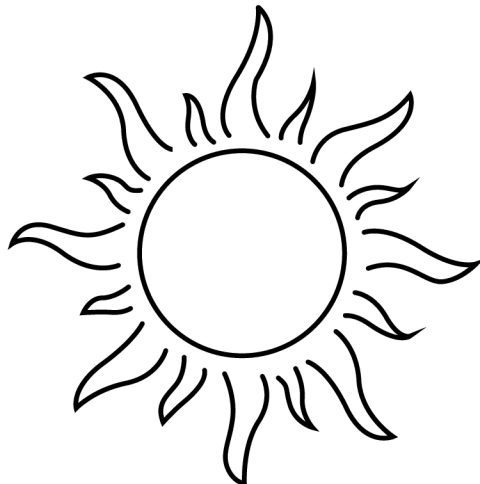
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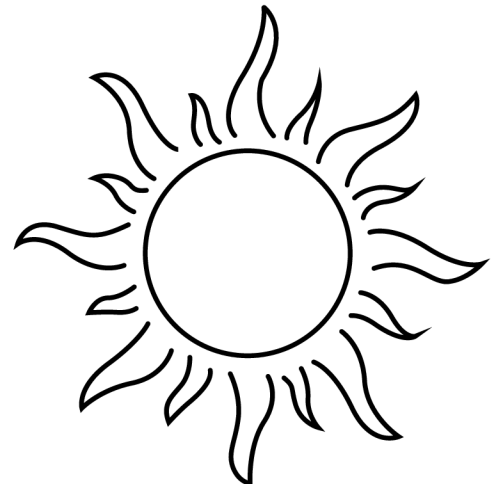
**snake**



**sun**



**sun**



**sun**

# Letter with 3 pictures

This page can be used for different things.  
We suggest cutting them into 3 strips.

- You can give one to your child to colour and practise the writing of the letter.
- One we suggest you colour the letter at the top, use one colour for the consonants and one for the vowels a,e,i,o,u. Then cut them into squares with the letter as one and the pictures and words as another.
- The last one you could cut off the words from the pictures to practise reading.

## Using the letter cards

The letter cards can be used for

- Bingo
- Sound reinforcement
- Matching pictures to the sounds
- Reading practise