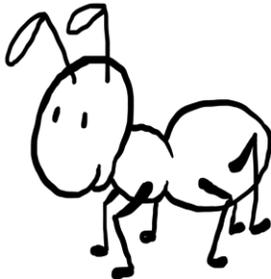
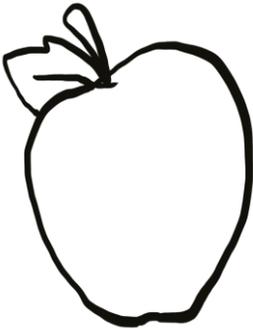
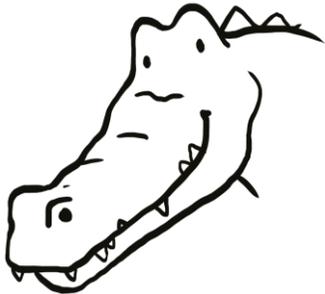
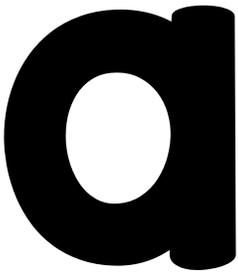
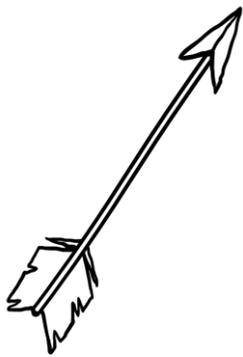
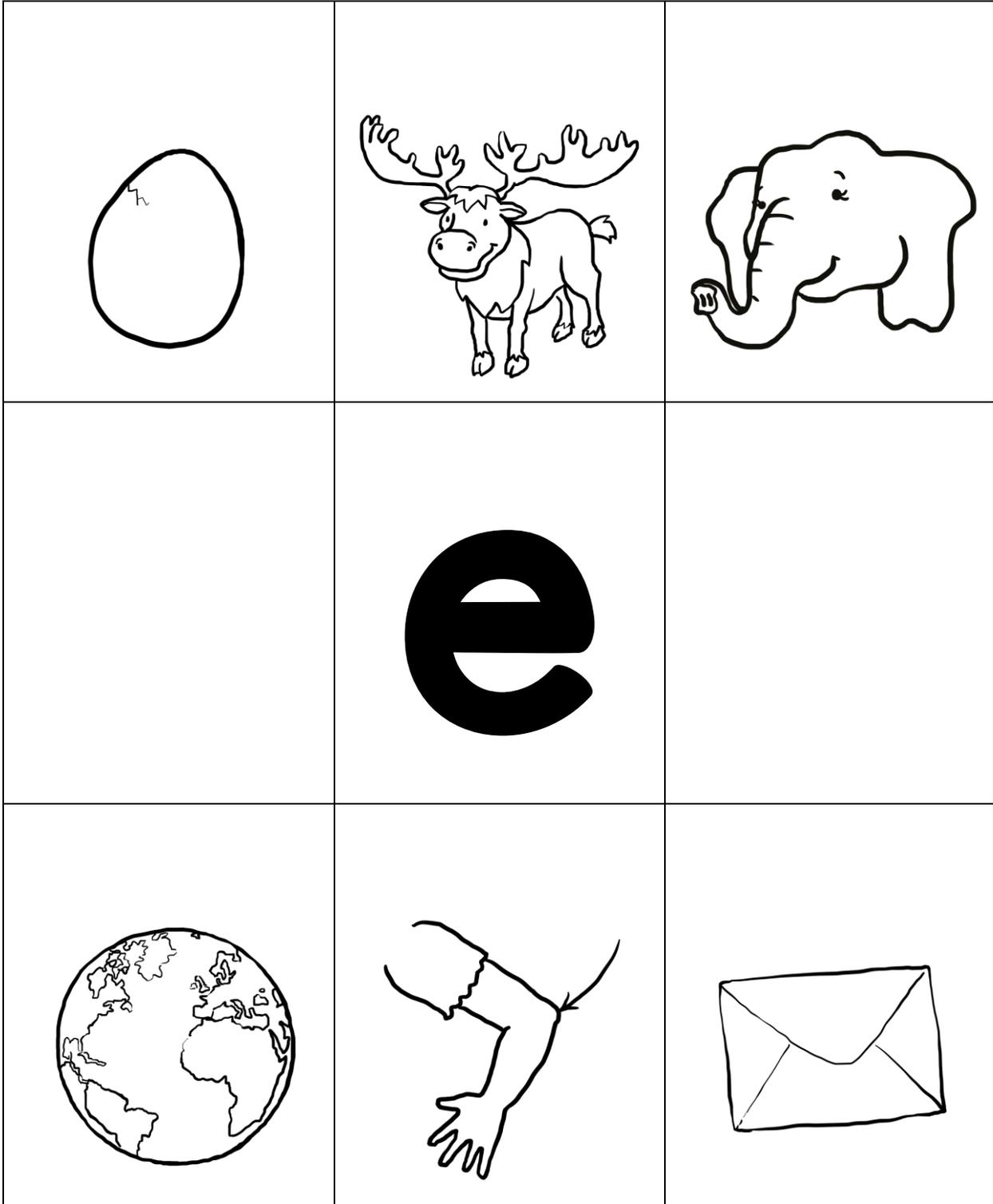


What is the letter? What sound does it make? Trace the letter.
Look at the pictures. These pictures all start with the letter "a".
"a" makes the "ă" sound. A breve, ˘ indicates the short sound.

		
		
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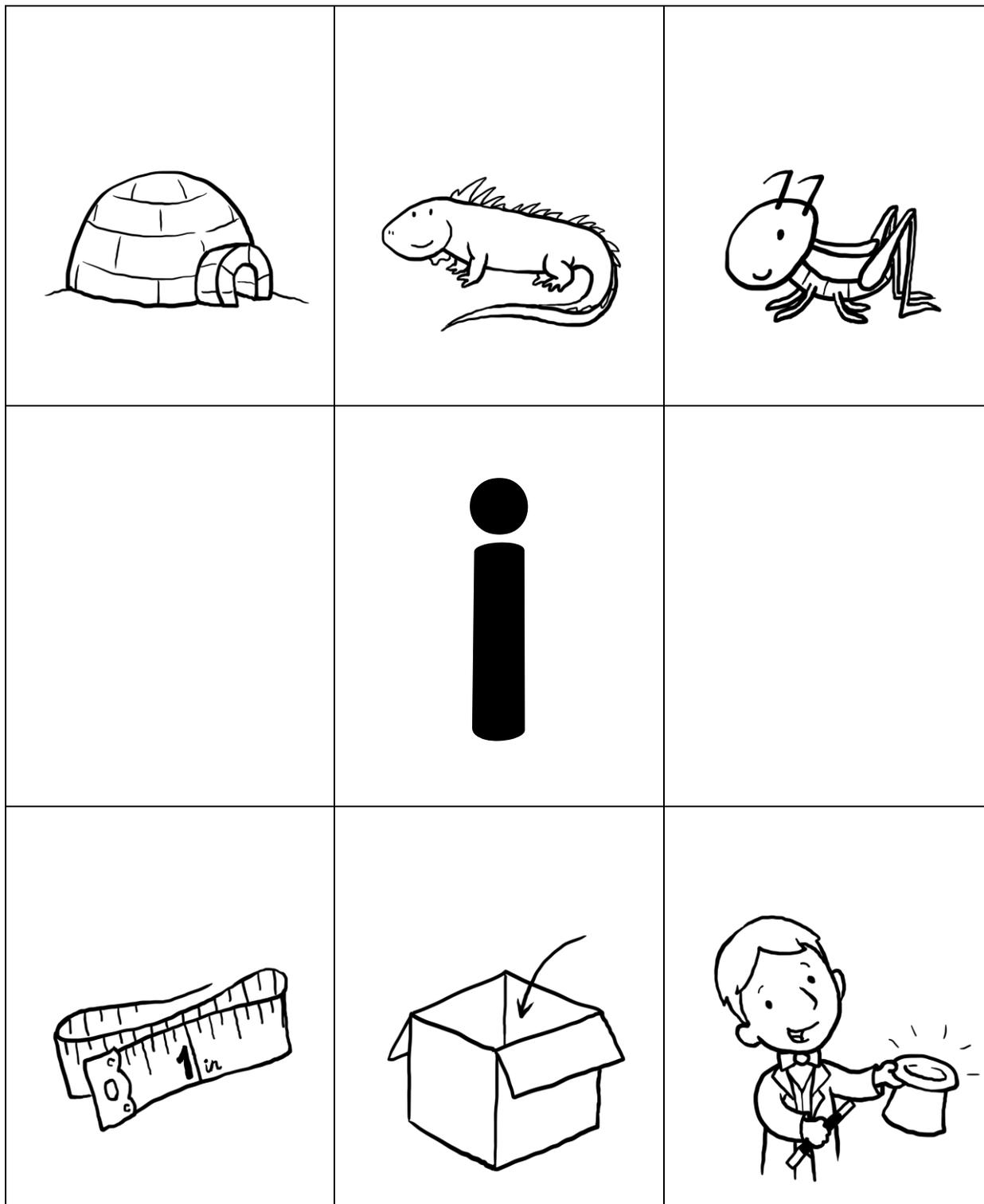
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alphabet · arm · arrow

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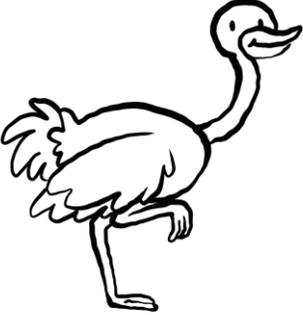
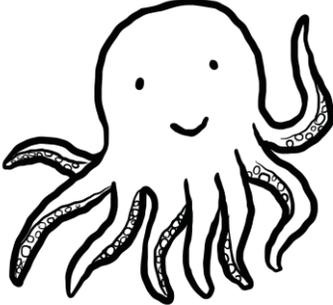
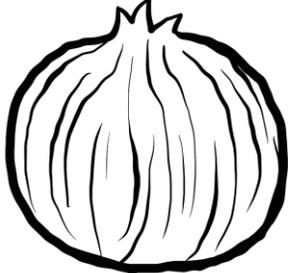
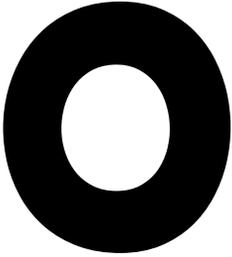
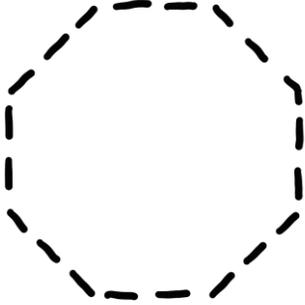
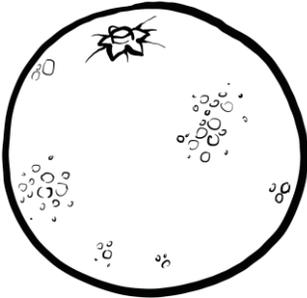
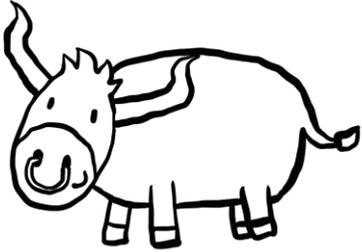
egg · elk · elephant
earth · elbow · envelope

What is the letter? What sound does it make? Trace the letter.
Look at the pictures. These pictures all start with the letter "i".
"i" makes the "i" sound.



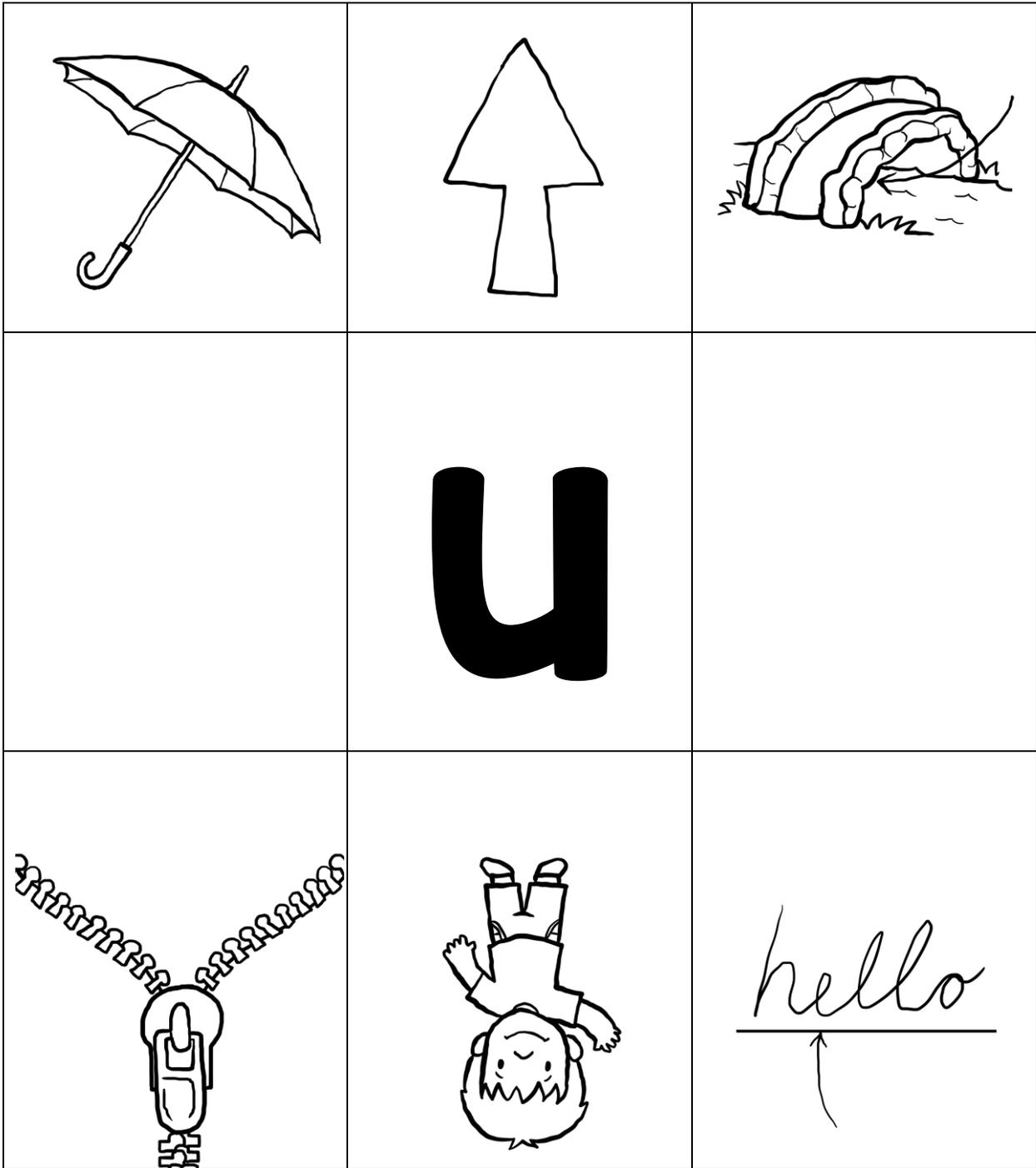
igloo · iguana · insect
inch · into · illusion

What is the letter? What sound does it make? Trace the letter.
Look at the pictures. These pictures all start with the letter "o".
"o" makes the "ō" sound.

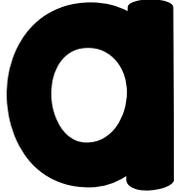
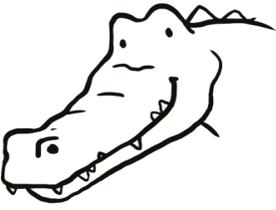
ostrich · octopus · onion
octagon · orange (fruit) · ox

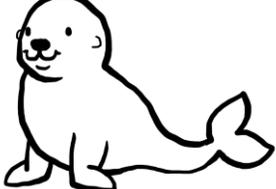
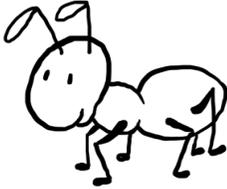
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"u" makes the "ū" sound.

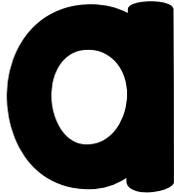


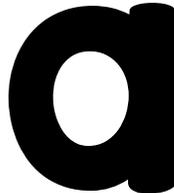
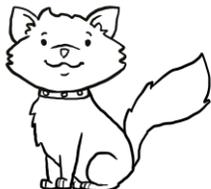
umbrella · up · under
unzip · upside down · underline

What sound does the letter "a" make?
Circle the pictures that start with the "a" sound.

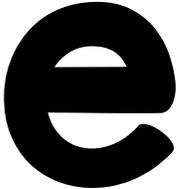
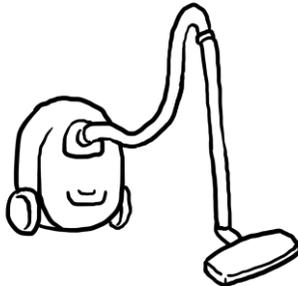
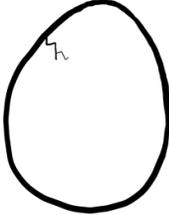
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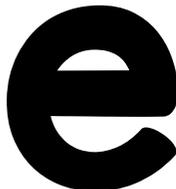
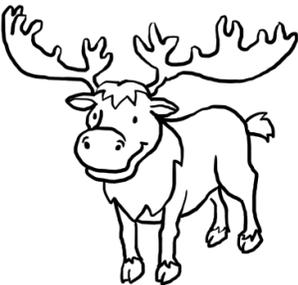
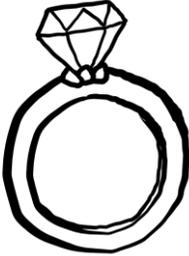
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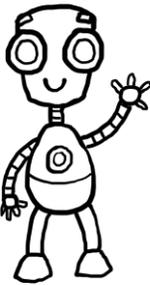
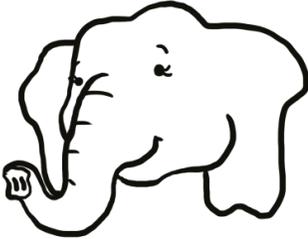
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What sound does the letter "e" make?
Circle the pictures that start with the "e" sound.

			vacuum egg
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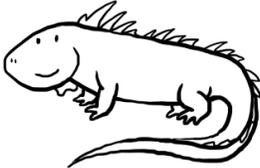
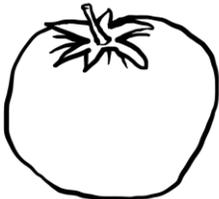
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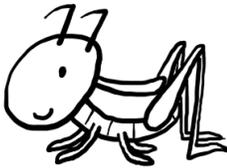
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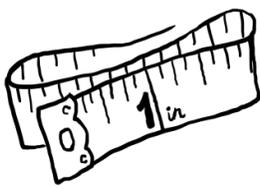
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Circle the pictures that start with the "i" sound.

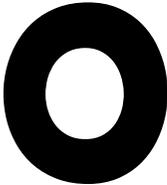
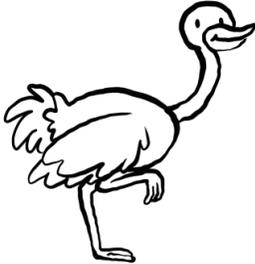
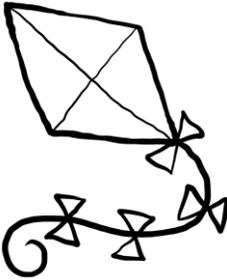
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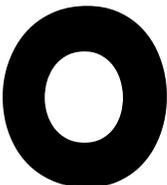
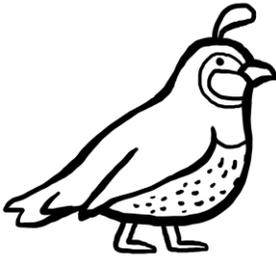
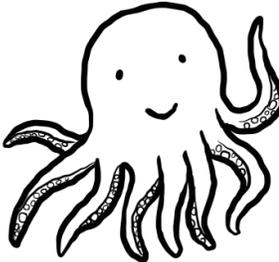
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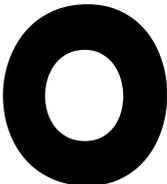
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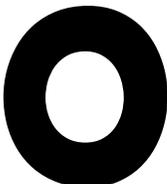
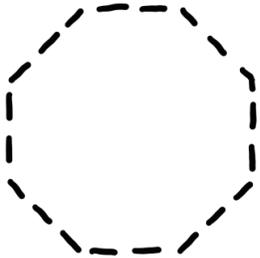
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What sound does the letter "o" make?
Circle the pictures that start with the "o" sound.

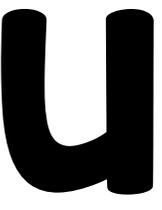
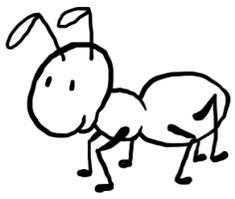
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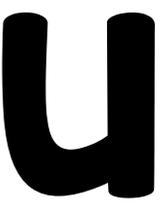
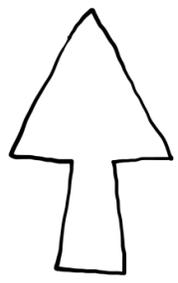
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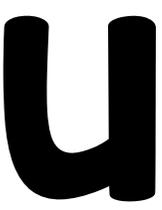
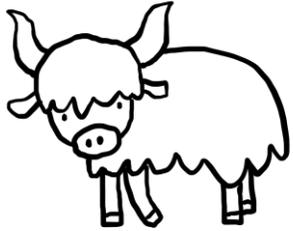
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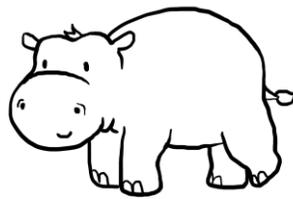
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What sound does the letter "u" make?
Circle the pictures that start with the "u" sound.

			umbrella ant
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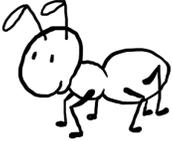
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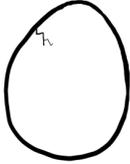
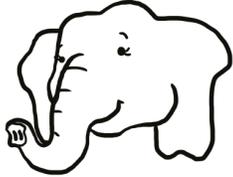
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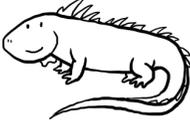
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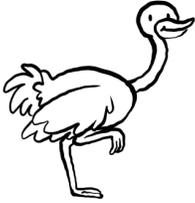
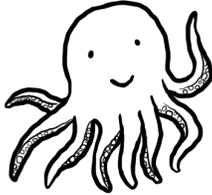
Let's start by learning the beginning sounds of the 5-short vowels

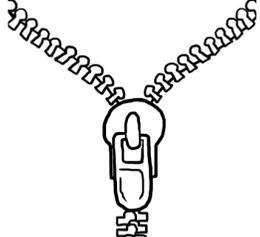
Vowels are very special, just like you! Every vowel makes two (2) sounds. For now, we are working on the –short vowel sounds. Learn the following sounds.

/ă/				
/ă/	ant	<u>a</u>	apple	<u>a</u>
	ă sound		ă sound	

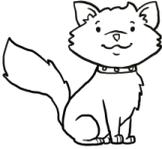
/ĕ/				
/ĕ/	egg	<u>e</u>	elephant	<u>e</u>
	ĕ sound		ĕ sound	

/i/				
/i/	igloo	i	iguana	i
	i sound		i sound	

/o/				
/o/	ostrich	o	octopus	o
	o sound		o sound	

/ü/				
/ü/	umbrella	u	unzip	u
	ü sound		ü sound	

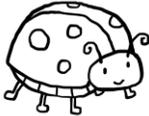
Let's continue to identify the 5-short vowel sounds
in the middle of words

/ă/				
/ă/	dad	a	cat	a
	ă sound		ă sound	

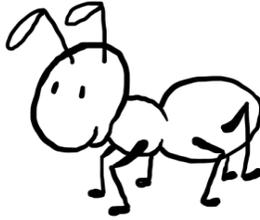
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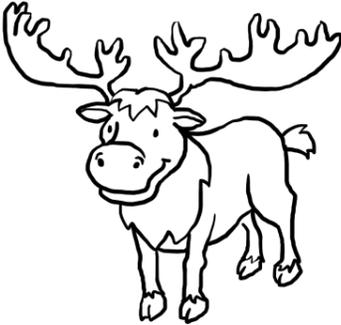
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/i/	pig	i	sit	i
	i sound		i sound	

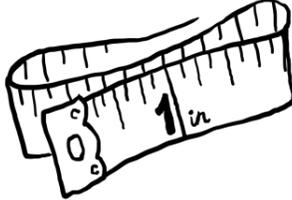
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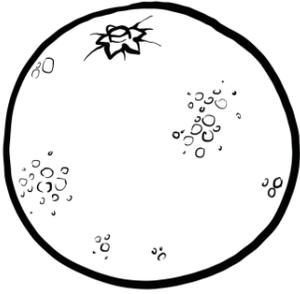
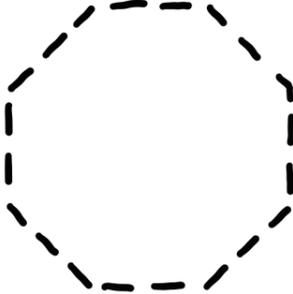
Look at the pictures. What is the beginning sound?
Circle the letter that makes the beginning sound.

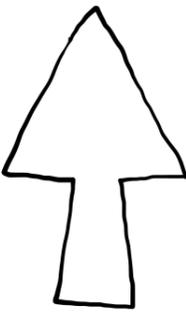
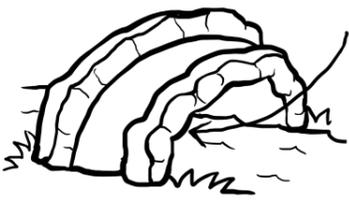
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elk			earth		
					
o	e	u	a	o	e

inch			illusion		
					
i	o	u	e	i	a

Look at the pictures. What is the beginning sound?
Circle the letter that makes the beginning sound.

orange	octagon				
					
i	o	u	o	i	a

up	under				
					
u	a	o	u	a	e