

SCIENCE WORDS THAT HELP ME GROW

Cut out these words to put on your word tree. Read them aloud with your child and use them in your daily conversations. Put related words on connecting branches to illustrate how one word leads to others. As you connect the words, use them in a sentence such as, "A **garden** has flowers and may be where we can find insects and even a **lizard** or two."

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An animal that usually has a long body and tail, four short legs, and rough, dry skin.

lizard

A dark shape that is created when a light shines on something.

shadow

Things that are underneath the skin and help support the whole body.

bones

A place where plants, flowers, fruits, and vegetables are grown.

garden

Something that is easily broken.

fragile

Something that is strong and won't fall apart.

sturdy

Something that flows and takes the shape of any container.

liquid

One of the things that make up a recipe.

ingredient

Something that is very wet.

soggy

To make something louder.

amplify

To fill something with air.

inflate

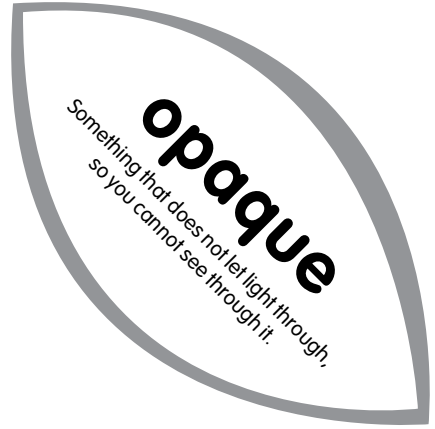
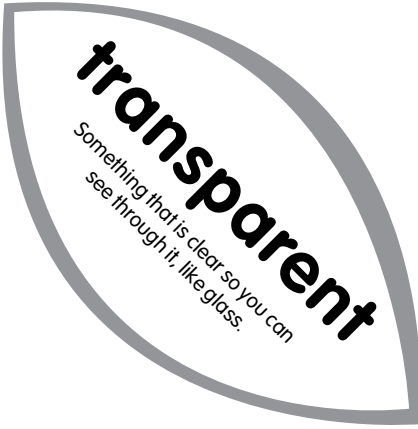
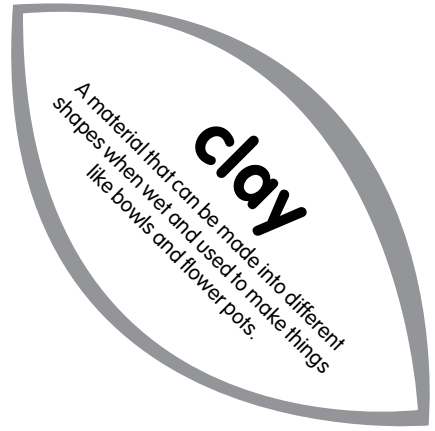
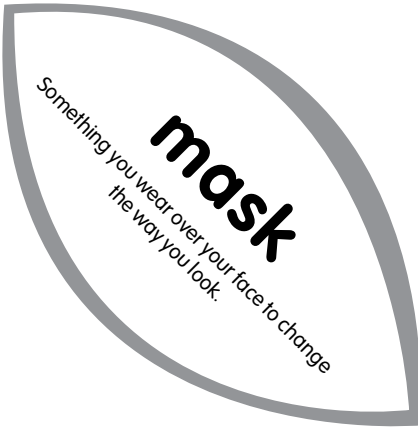
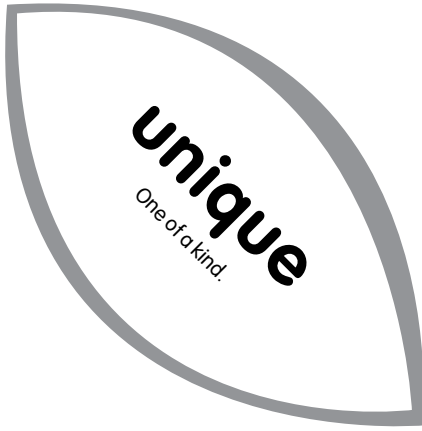
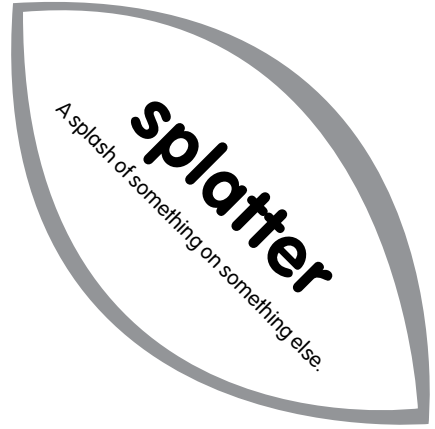
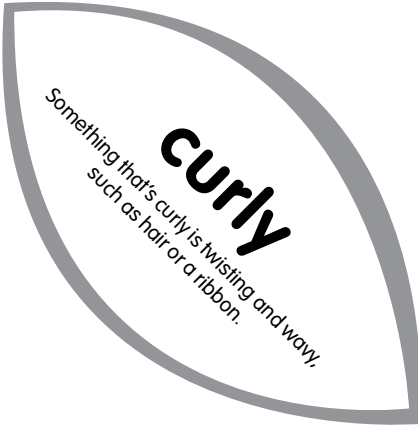
To take in or soak up.

absorb

ARTS WORDS THAT HELP ME GROW

Cut out these words to put on your word tree. Read them aloud with your child and use them in your daily conversations. Put related words on connecting branches to illustrate how one word leads to others. As you connect the words, use them in a sentence such as, "When you listen to an **orchestra** playing beautiful music, it may make you want to dance and **pirouette**."

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MATH WORDS THAT HELP ME GROW

Cut out these words to put on your word tree. Read them aloud with your child and use them in your daily conversations. Put related words on connecting branches to illustrate how one word leads to others. As you connect the words, use them in a sentence such as, "Compare the **size** of all the animals at the zoo, from **miniature**, really small, to **gigantic**, really big."

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gigantic

Something that is very, very big.

miniature

Something that is very, very small.

balance

When something can stay upright on its own and not fall over because it has equal, or the same, amount of weight on both sides.

compare

To figure out if things are the same or different.

size

How big or small something is.

equal

When things are the same in number or size.

between

If something is between, it has something on either side of it.

opposite

Two things that are as different as possible, such as being big and being little.

half

Two equal parts of something that together make a whole thing.

symmetrical

When one side of something is the same as the other side.

sphere

A solid round shape, like a ball.

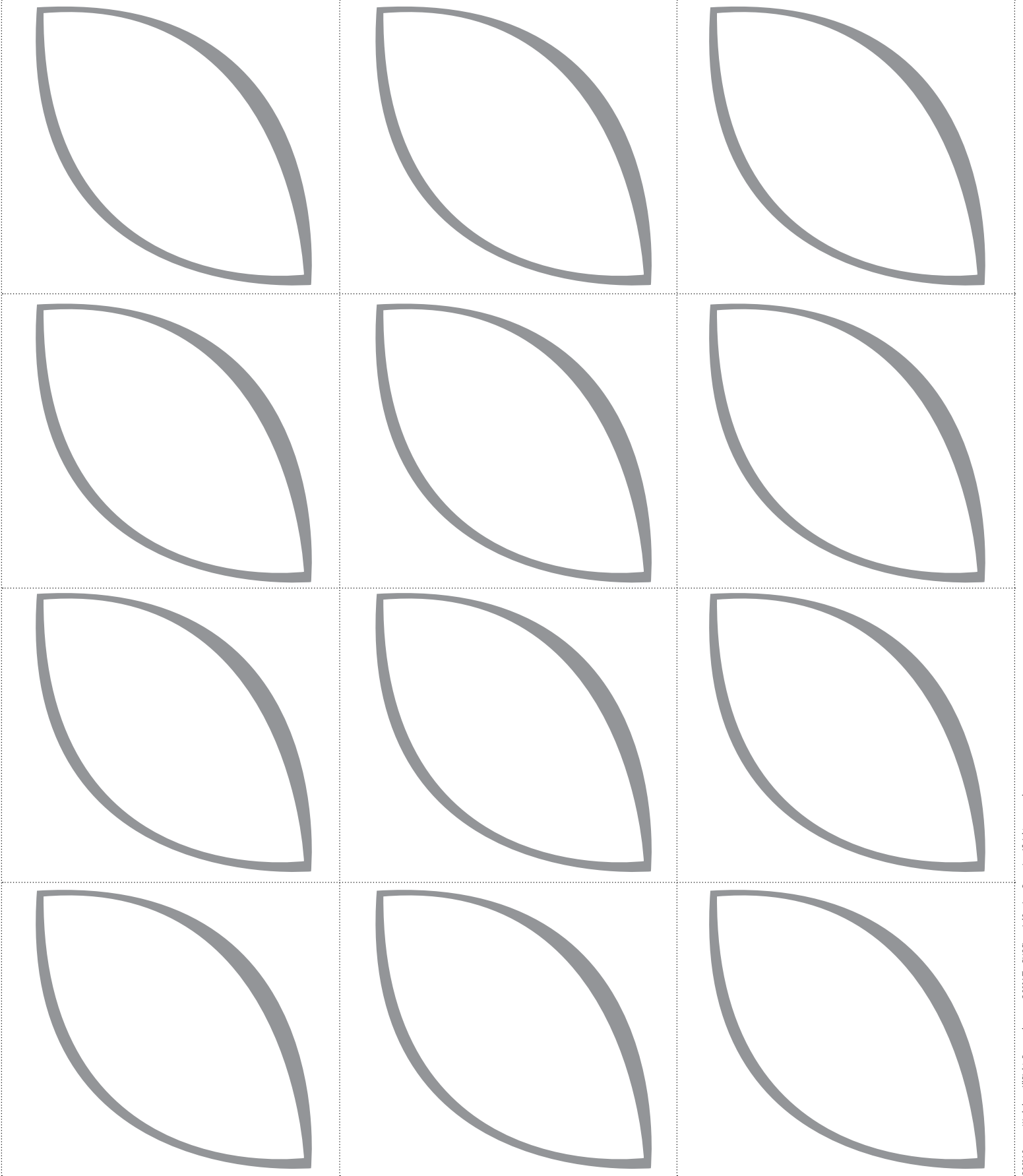
cube

A solid shape that has six equal square sides, like a box.

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More leaves for you to use! Cut out these blank leaves and write new words you discover together in your everyday routines. Invite your child to draw a picture on each leaf to show what that word means. Then, put them on your word tree. Use the words throughout the day, and encourage your child to do so, too. Remind your child that there's a word for everything she sees, and each one has a meaning.

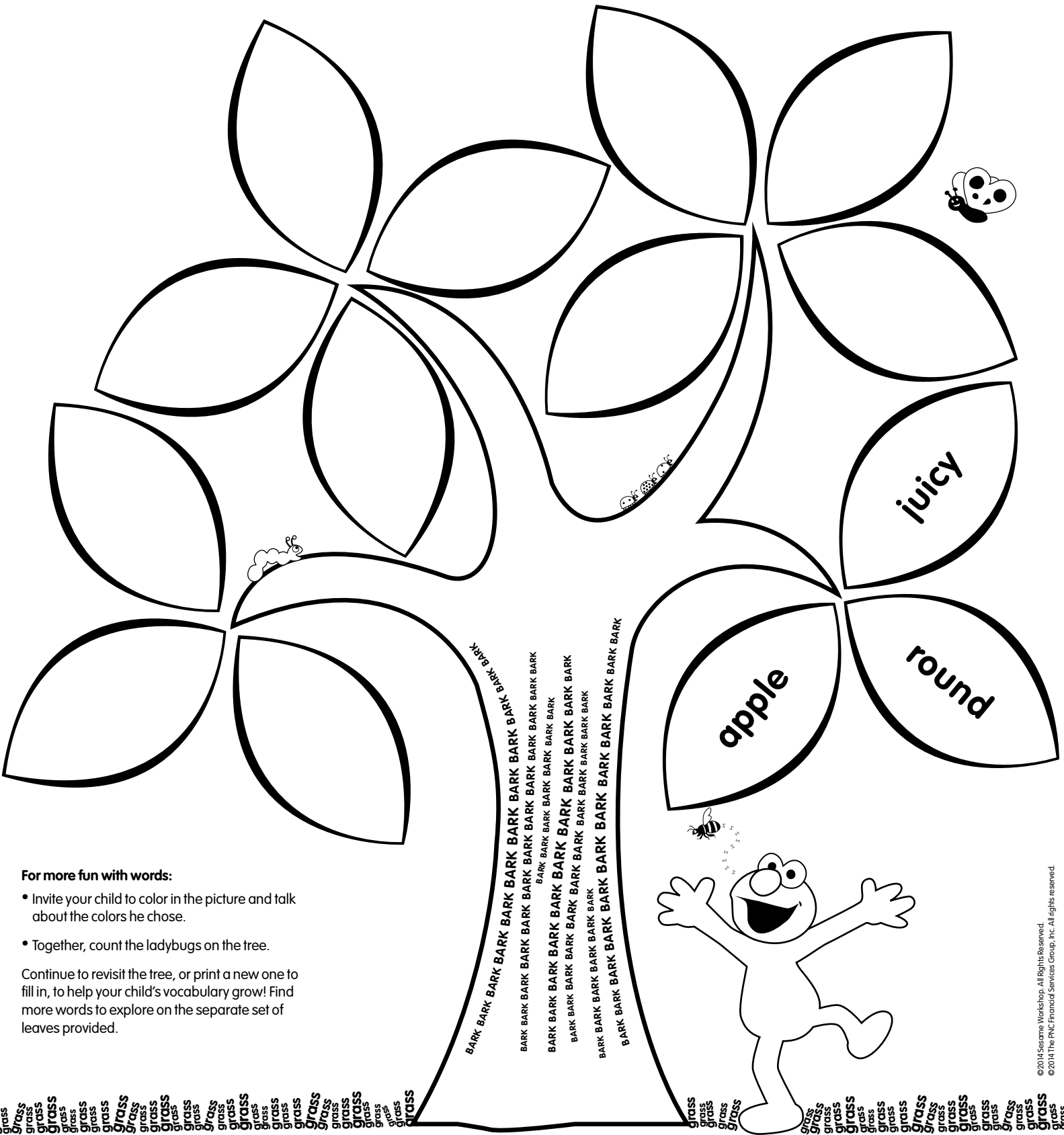
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Everyday conversations are an important way to build your child's vocabulary. Use this tree to write or illustrate on the leaves the words you discover together. Then talk about how the words might relate to one another. For example, the **apple** I'm eating is **round** and **juicy**.



For more fun with words:

- Invite your child to color in the picture and talk about the colors he chose.
- Together, count the ladybugs on the tree.

Continue to revisit the tree, or print a new one to fill in, to help your child's vocabulary grow! Find more words to explore on the separate set of leaves provided.

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