

# ENGLISH

Each sound in English is represented by a letter. Each letter is either a vowel or a consonant. The letters a, e, i, o, and u are vowels. The other 21 letters are called consonants.

Select the vowels.

## Vowels and Consonants

a b c d e f

g h i j k l m

n o p q r s t

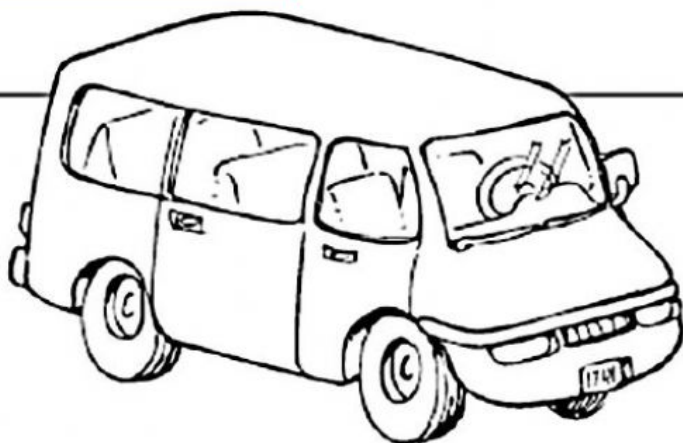
u v w x y z

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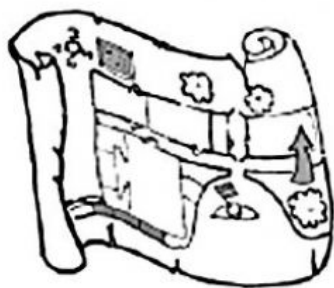
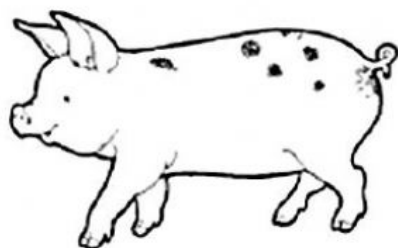
Select the picture if you hear the **short a** sound.

Dad's Van

Aa  
van



Dad has a tan van.



**To the Teacher:** Review the picture names with students.  
(cap, pig, map, rat, rose, bat)

Recognizing the short a sound /ă/

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Say the sound each letter stands for.  
Follow the arrow to blend the sound.  
Match the word to the picture it names. (Write the correct number by each picture)

Say It

1. m a p  
➔

2. b a t  
➔

3. f a n  
➔

4. b a g  
➔

5. h a t  
➔

