



# HEADS IN, HEARTS IN

## Building Words With Letter Boards

### Instructions for Set-Up



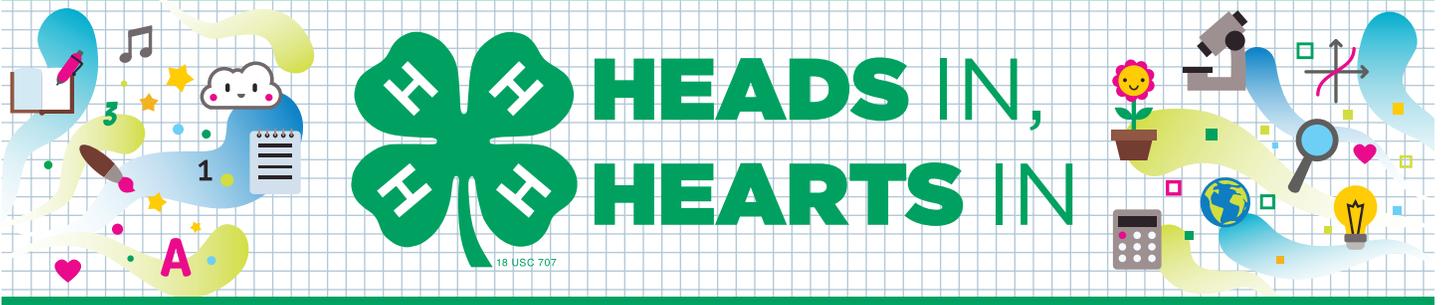
### Supplies

- “Guide for Families” handout
- Clear plastic standup display (optional)
- “Letter Board” handouts
- “How Many Words Can You Make?” worksheet
- 12 clear plastic sleeves (optional)
- Dry erase crayons
- Cleaning cloth
- Display table

### Activity Preparation

- ▶ Purchase or locate items on supply list.
- ▶ Print one copy of the “Guide for Families” handout. Laminate or place in a clear plastic standup display to allow participants to see it more readily.
- ▶ Print one copy of each “Letter Board” handout and place each in a clear plastic sleeve, or print and laminate.
- ▶ Print six copies of the “How Many Words Can You Make?” worksheet and place each in a plastic sleeve, or print and laminate.
- ▶ Set up the display table and arrange needed supplies.





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## Guide for Families

### Learning Objectives

#### What you need to know:

Playing word games with children can have educational value. It helps children improve spelling, reading and word recognition skills. Every subject in school is based on the ability to read or involves some reading, so this game will help your child to do better in other subjects as well.

#### What you will do and learn:

In this activity, you will practice reading skills by playing a game that involves mixing letters together to make words. Pre-writers will also practice letter identification.

### Instructions:

1. Choose a letter board.
2. Choose a “How Many Words Can You Make?” worksheet.
3. Try to find as many words as you can on the letter board.
4. As you find the words, write them on the “How Many Words Can You Make?” worksheet.
5. When you are finished, please erase the worksheet for the next person.

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## Letter Board #1

<b>S</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>
<b>E</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>I</b>
<b>E</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>L</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>D</b>

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## Letter Board #2

<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>B</b>
<b>S</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>T</b>

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## Letter Board #3

<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>E</b>
<b>P</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>S</b>
<b>R</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>A</b>
<b>T</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>M</b>

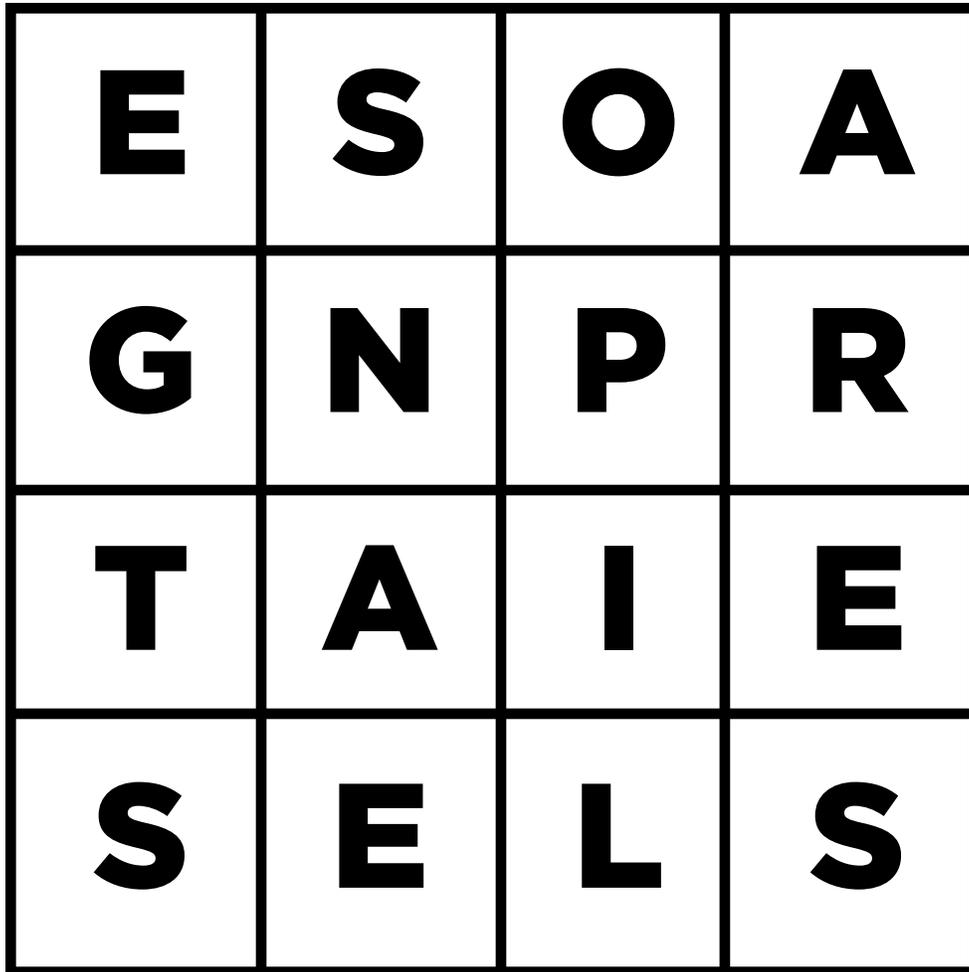
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## Letter Board #4

<b>G</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>I</b>
<b>N</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>E</b>
<b>N</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>A</b>
<b>G</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>

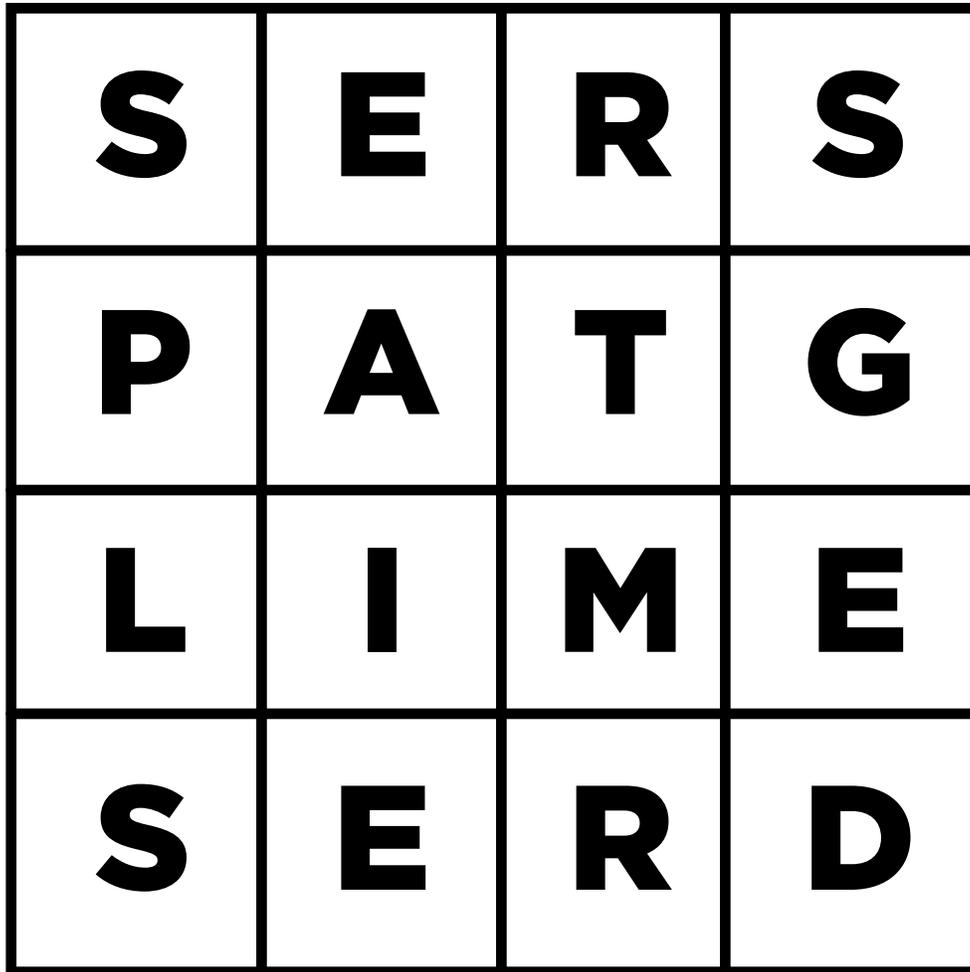
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## Letter Board #5



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## Letter Board #6



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## How Many Words Can You Make? Handout

1.	11.
2.	12.
3.	13.
4.	14.
5.	15.
6.	16.
7.	17.
8.	18.
9.	19.
10.	20.