

Caps for Sale

Caps for Sale Activities and Ideas

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Monkey's Hats Activity

Your student will enjoy trying different hats on the monkey. You can make this a language activity by asking your student to describe the hats or asking the student to put specific hats on the monkey's head. Can you find the hat the monkey would wear in the rain? Can you find the green hat? Which hat would the monkey wear for Halloween? Can you put the black pirate hat on the monkey?

Alternatively, you can make this a counting activity by asking your student to put a certain number of hats on the monkey. "Add four hats to the monkey's head." Take turns. Let your student tell you how many hats to put on the monkey's head. Have fun with this!

Keep it Under Your Hat Game

Hide an object under a hat for them to guess. Give clues. Guesser gets to hide the next object (make sure all get a chance to hide something).

Play Monkey See, Monkey Do

Pick a leader to make silly movements and others try to imitate it. Change leader.

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Make Monkey in a Tree Picture

Draw a tree outline. Stamp your child's thumb on an ink pad. Let him make prints on a tree (two thumbprints per monkey-- one for the head, one for the body). Let your child add faces, arms, legs, and tails with a fine marker (crayon or colored pencil).

Recipe: Banana Butter

Mash 3 small ripe bananas with a fork. Mix in $\frac{3}{4}$ Cup peanut butter. Add $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp. cinnamon, 1 tsp shredded coconut and $\frac{1}{2}$ cup raisins. Blend well. Serve the banana butter on bread, crackers, or fruit.

Recipe: Frozen Banana Treat

4 ripe bananas
1/2 cup heavy cream
1 TB sugar
1 12-oz bag semi-sweet chocolate chips
1 cup walnuts, finely chopped
8 popsicle sticks

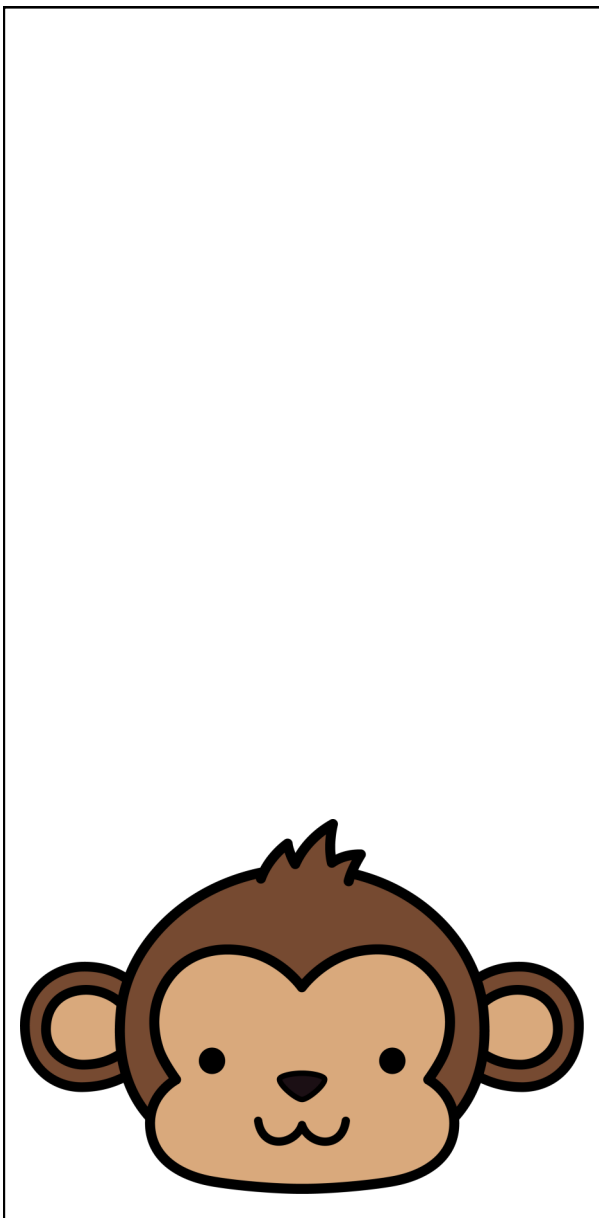
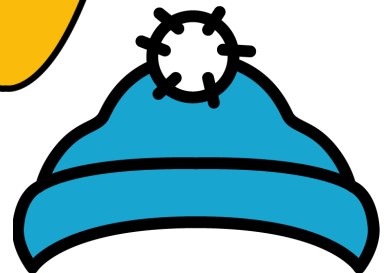
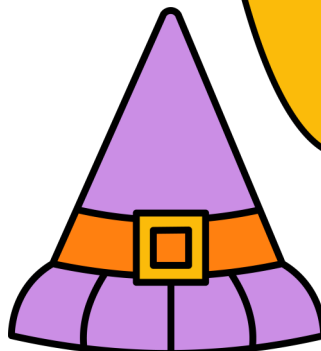
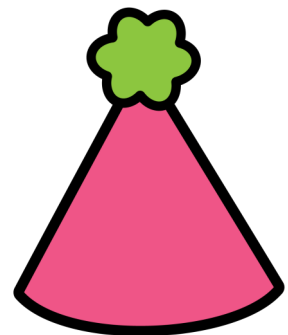
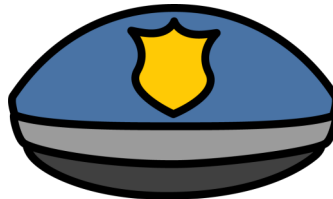
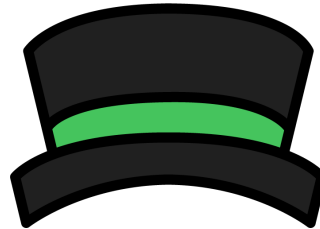
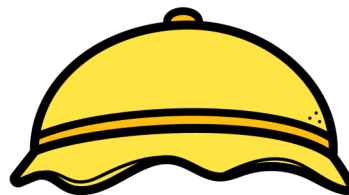
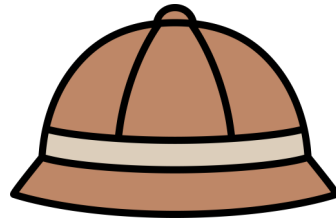
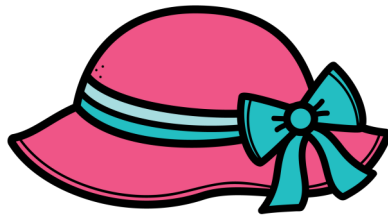
Peel and remove the strings from the bananas. Cut them horizontally to make two banana pops from one full banana. Insert the popsicle sticks in the thick end of the banana pieces and place on a baking sheet lined with wax paper. Freeze for two hours.

In a small saucepan, heat the heavy cream and sugar to a low simmer and stir until the sugar has dissolved, about one minute. Remove from the heat. Melt the chocolate in a bowl over a saucepan of simmering water. Add the heavy cream and stir until smooth. Remove from the heat. Place the chopped walnuts in a shallow dish or pie pan.

One at a time, dip the frozen bananas in the chocolate. You may have to spoon some of the chocolate over the banana and smooth it out. Sprinkle the nuts all over the banana, transfer to the lined baking sheet and freeze until ready to eat.

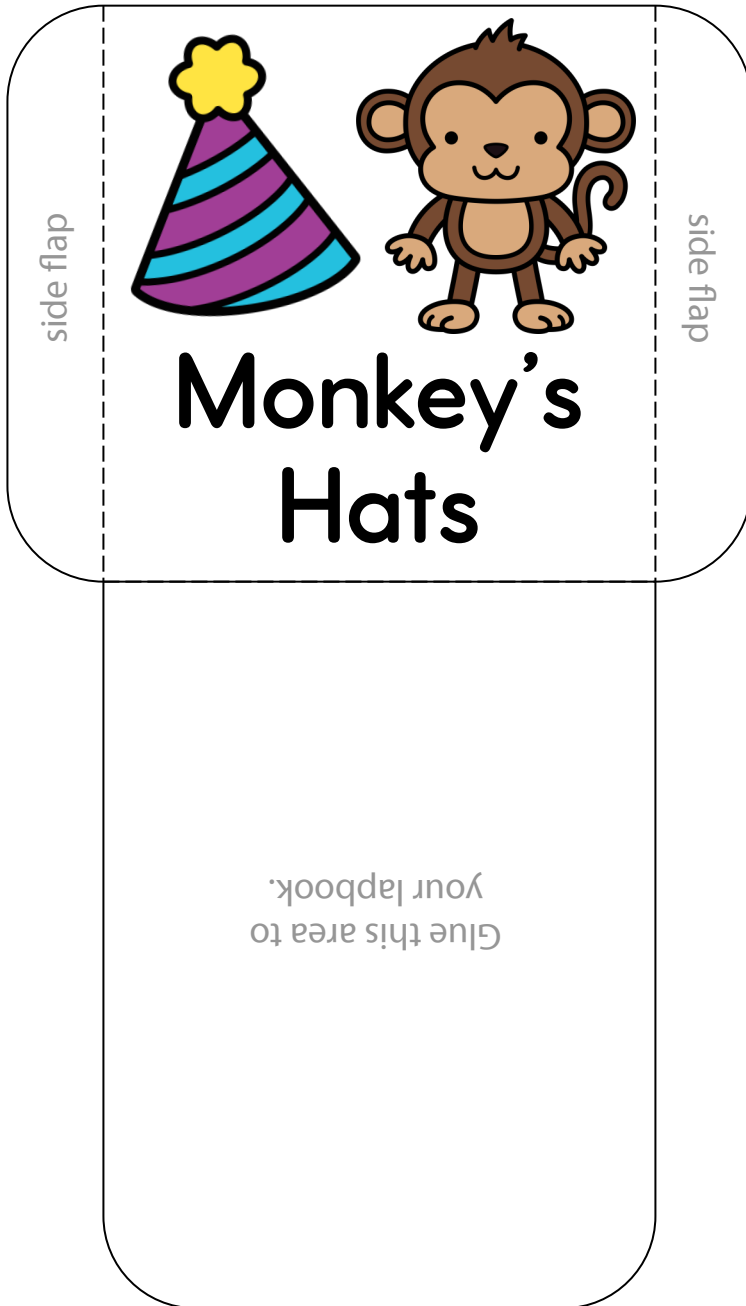
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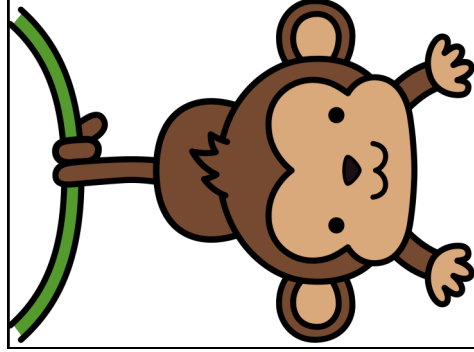
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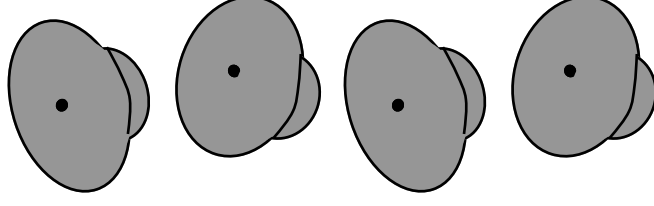
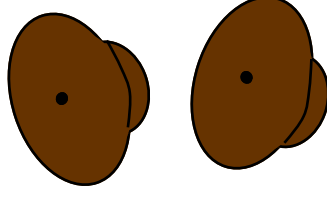
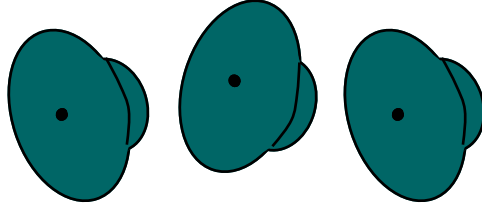
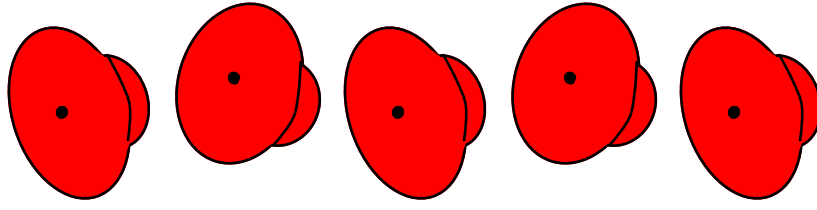


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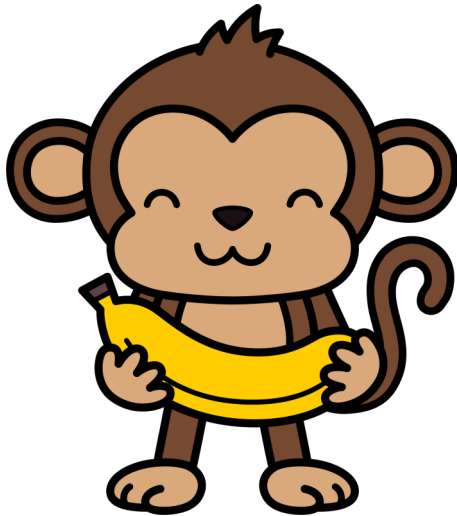


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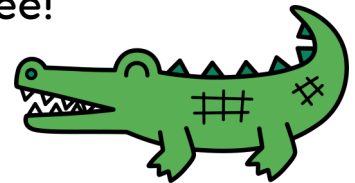
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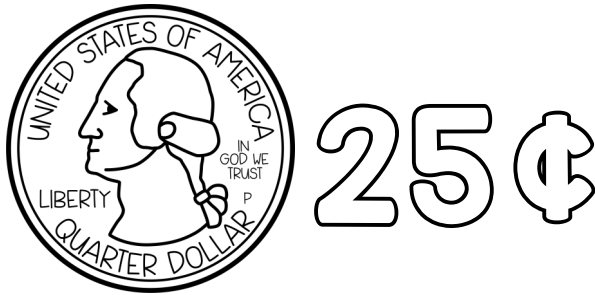
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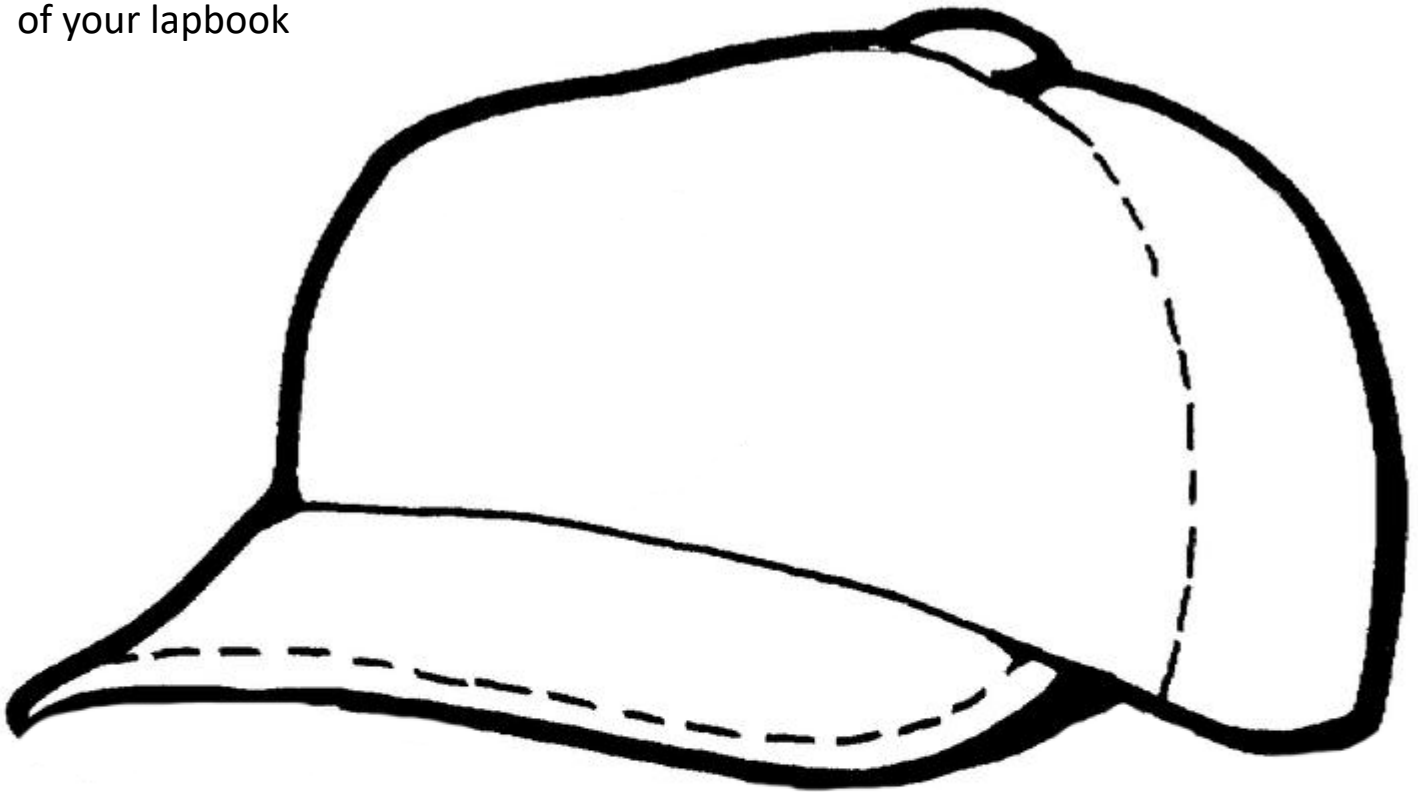


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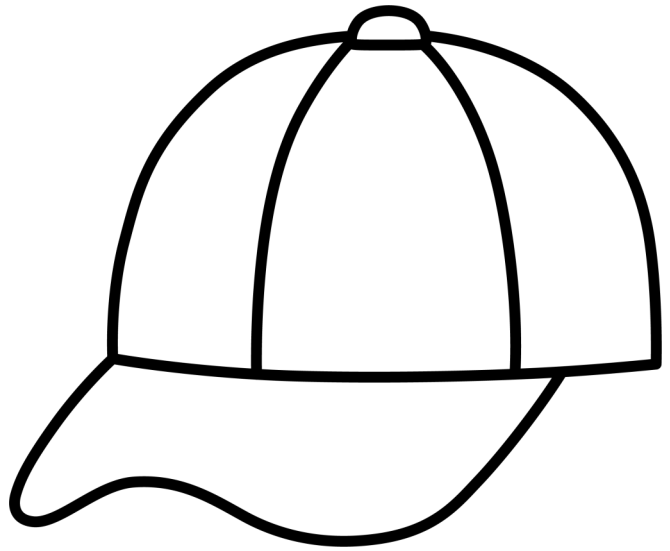


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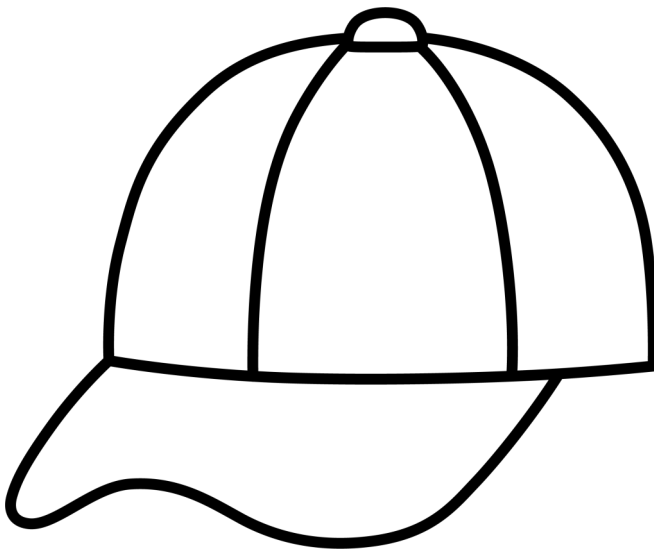
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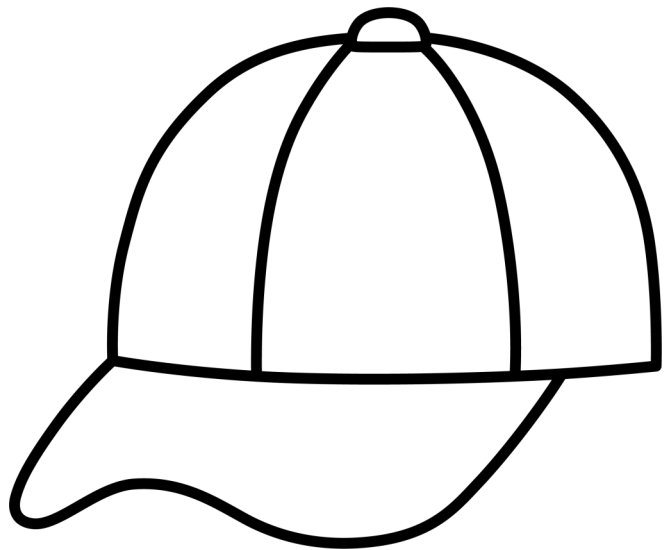
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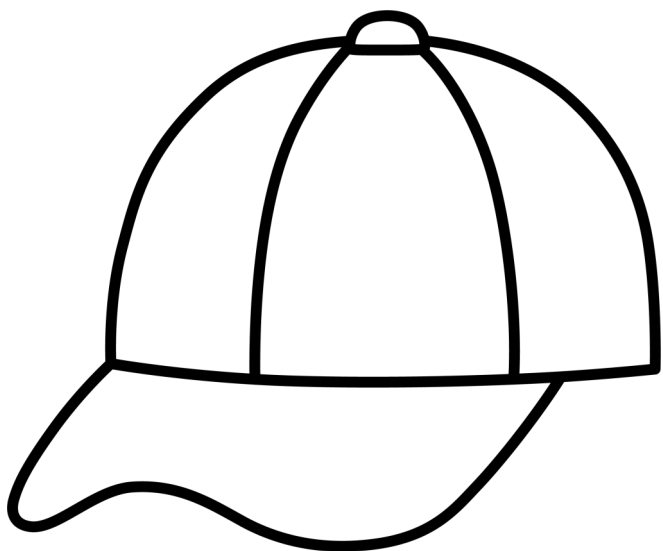


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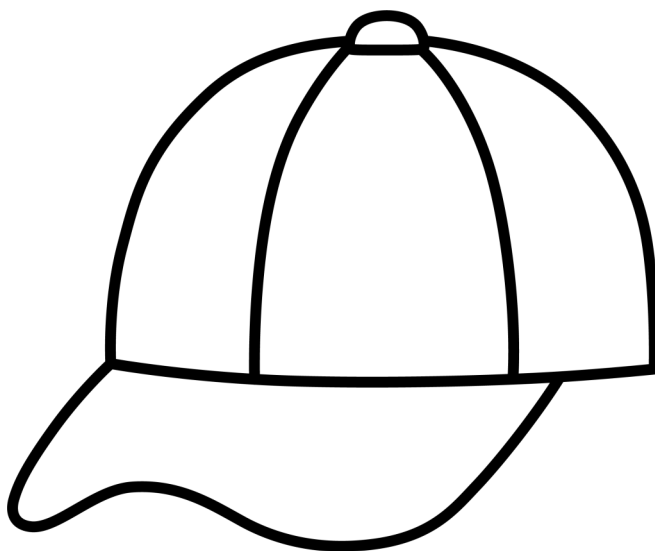


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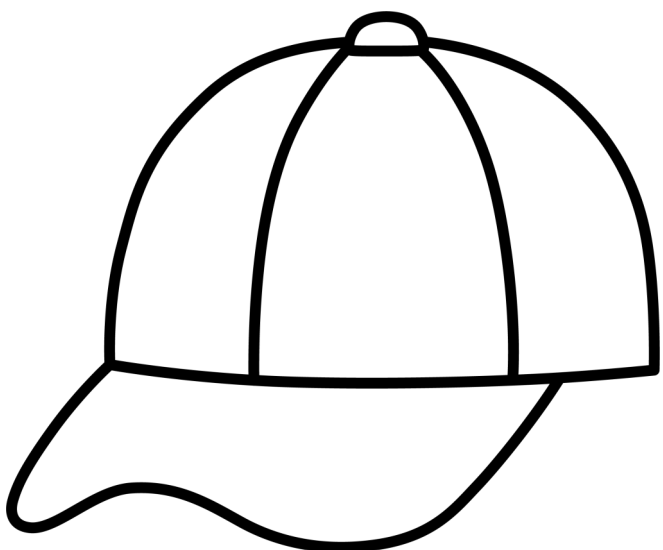
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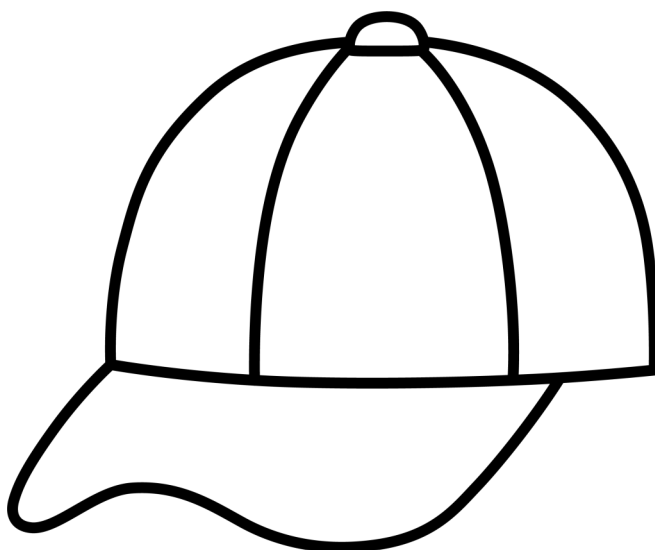
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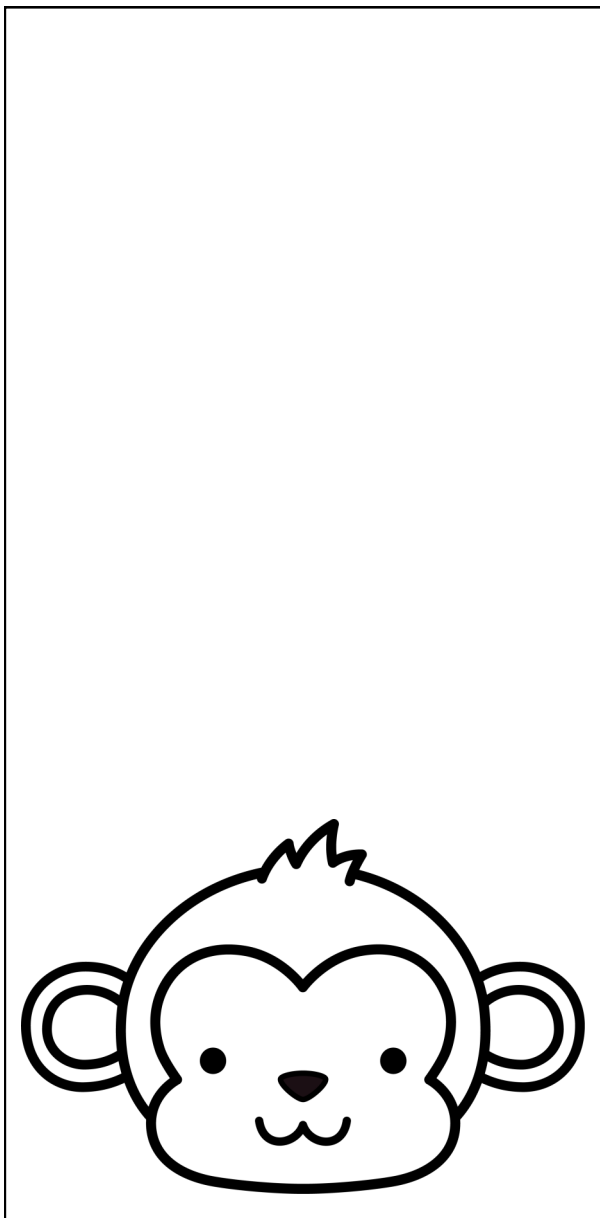
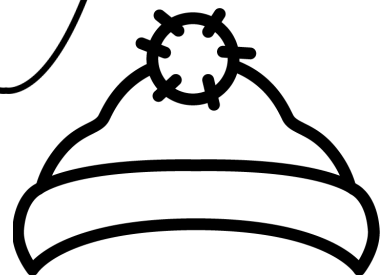
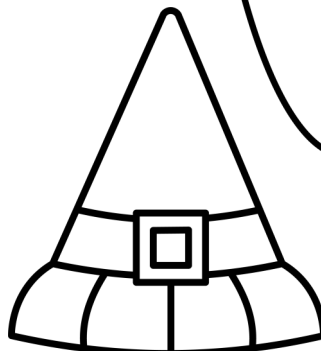
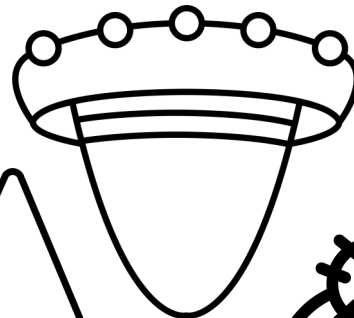
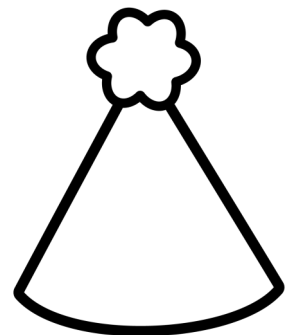
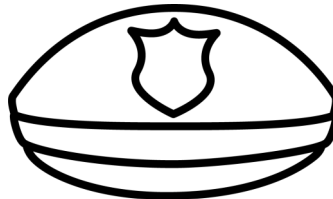
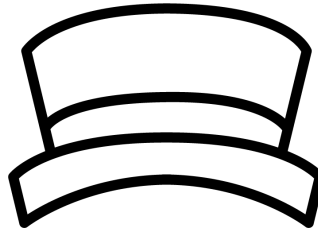
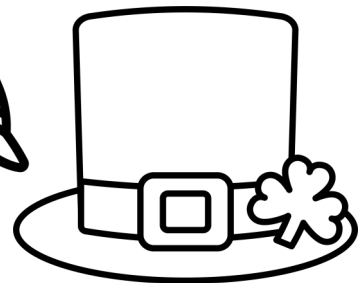
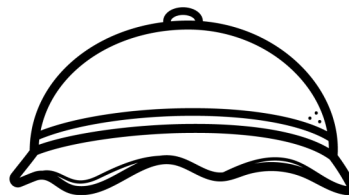
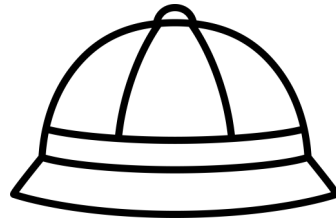
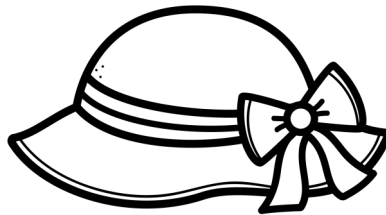
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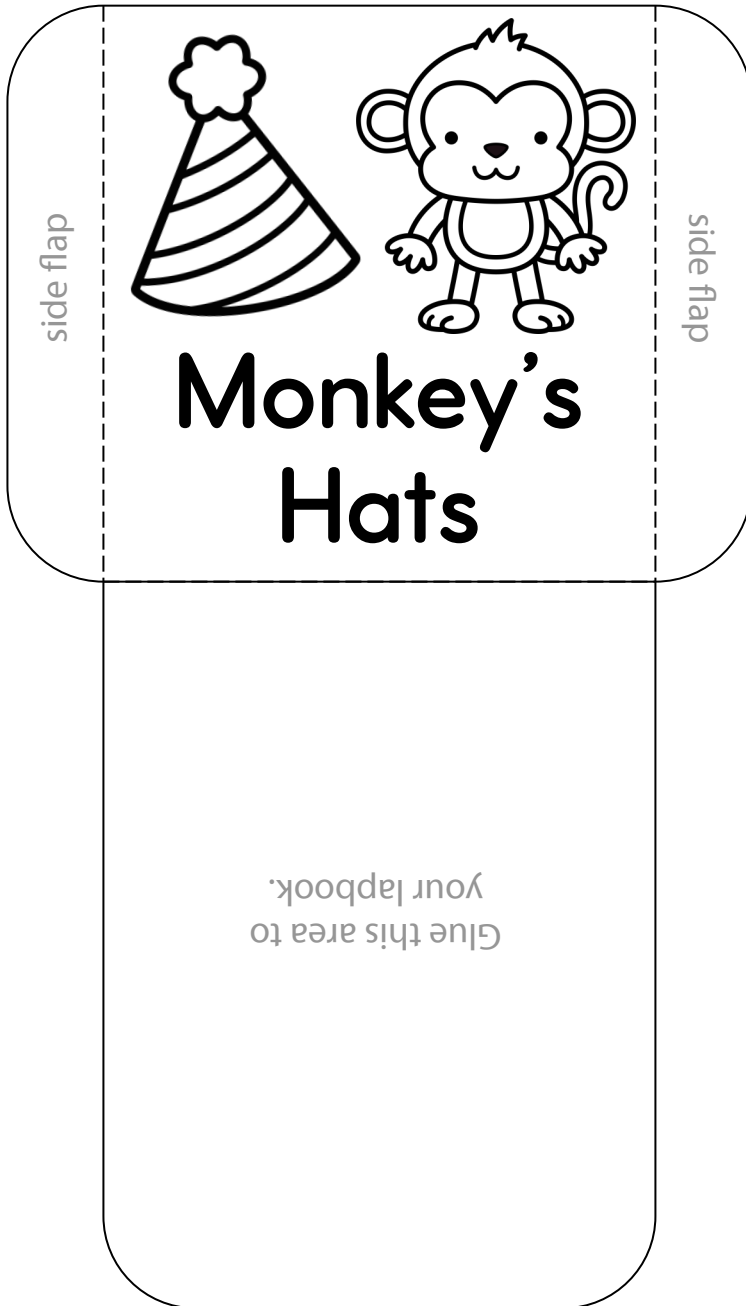
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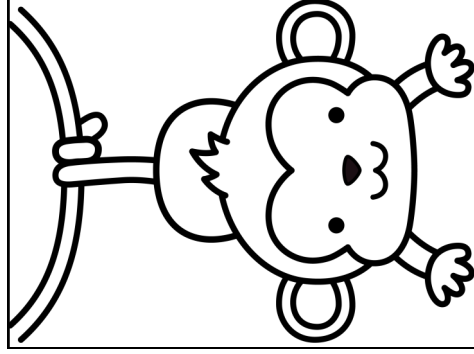
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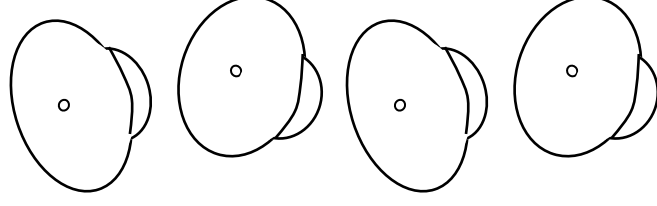
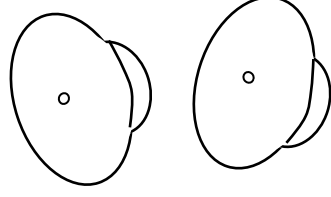
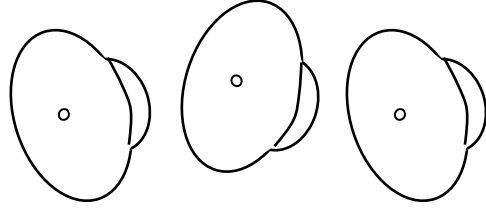
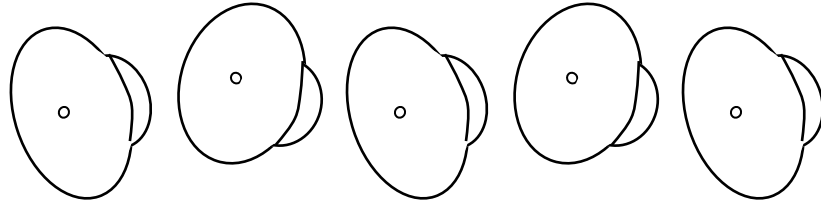


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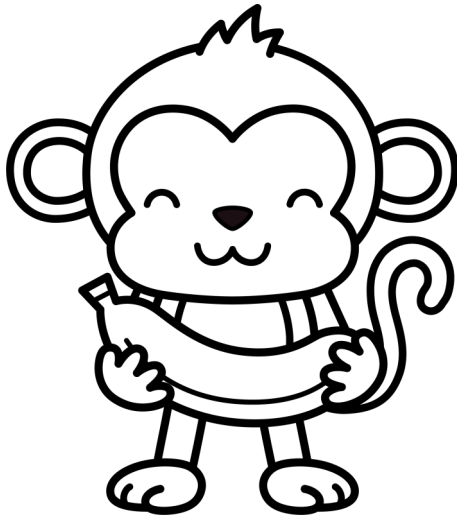


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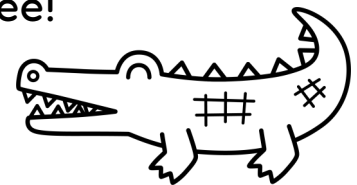
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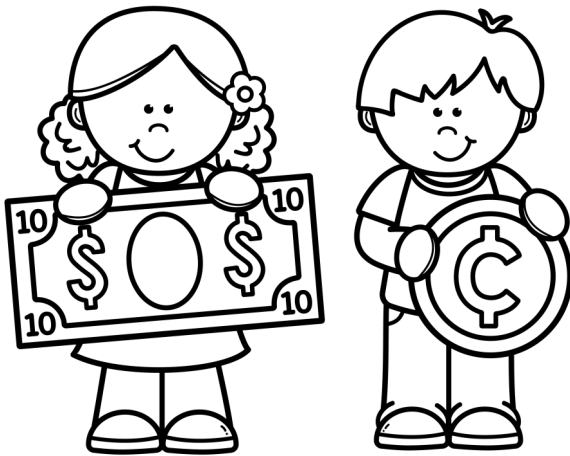


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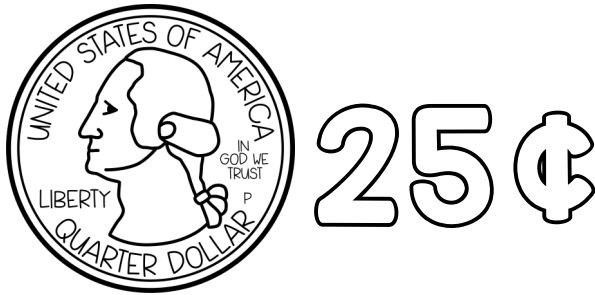
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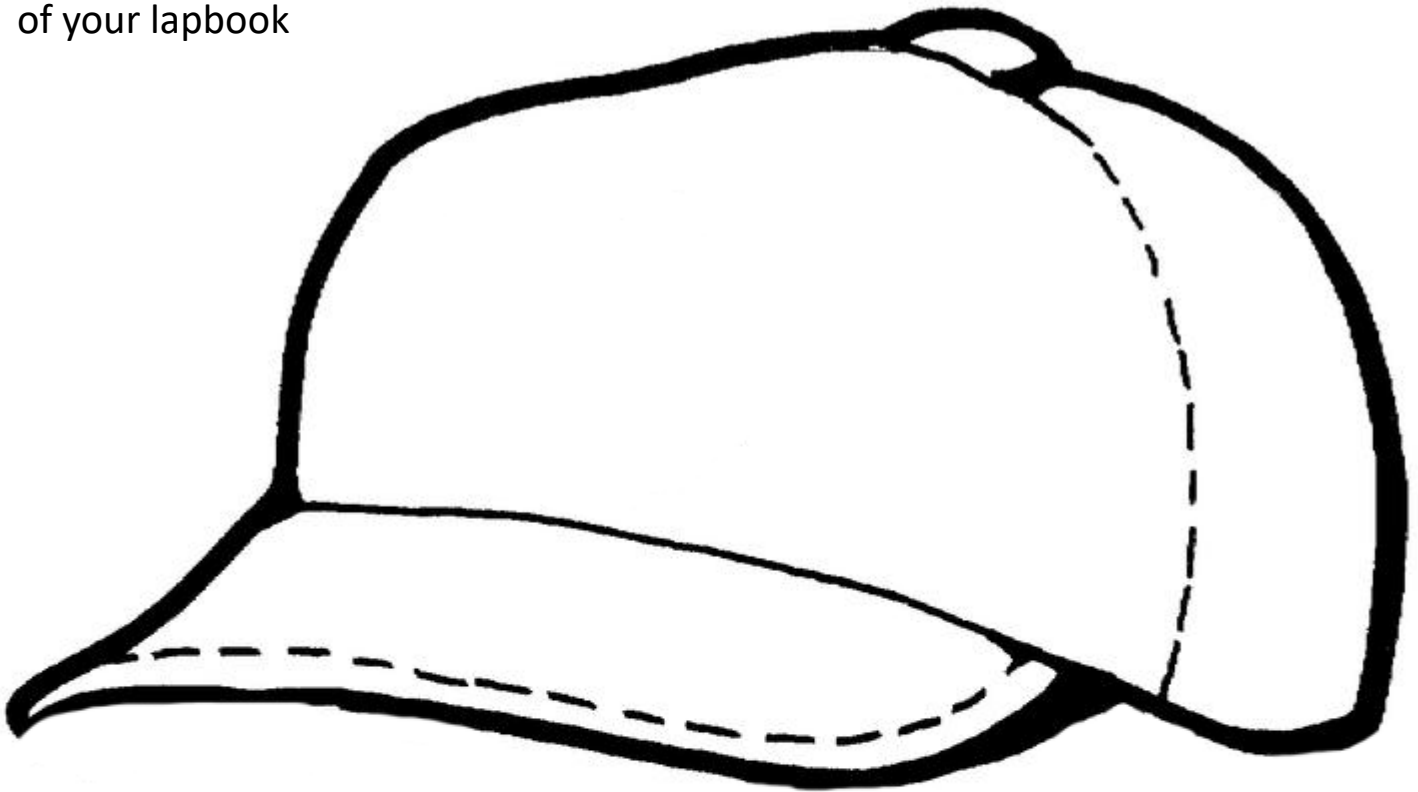


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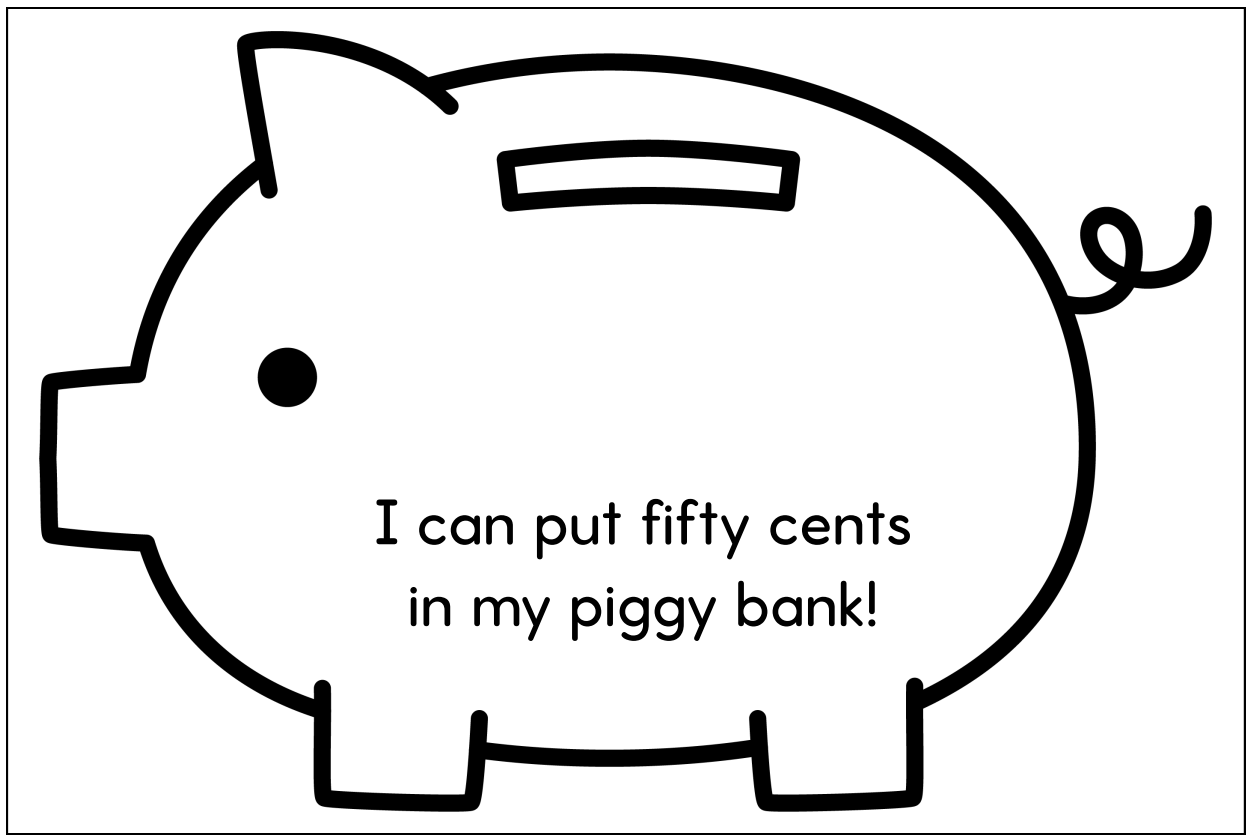
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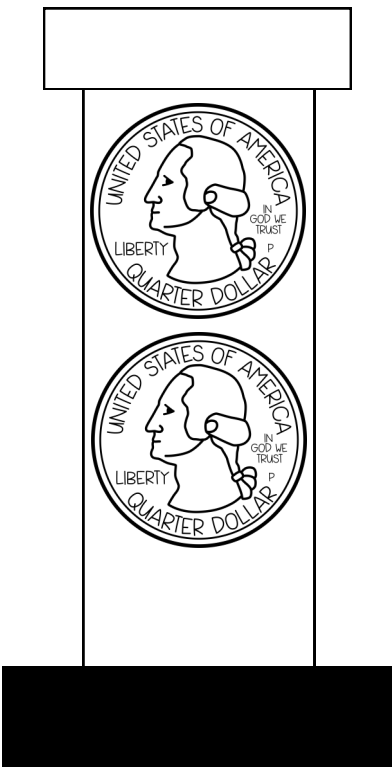
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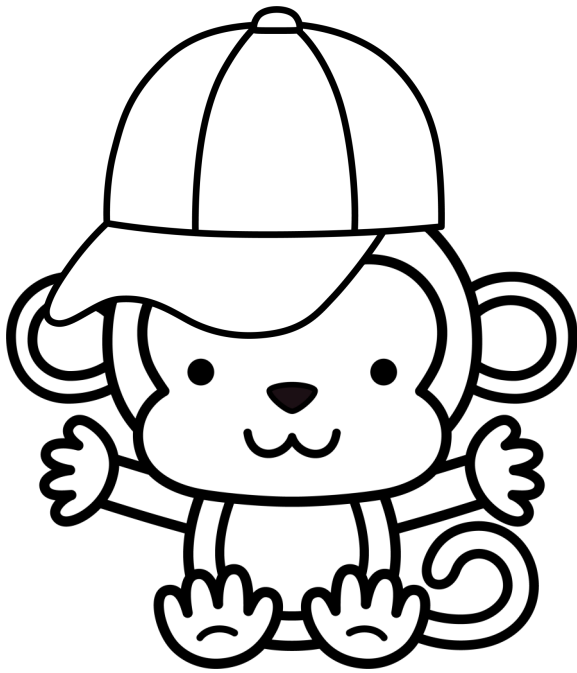
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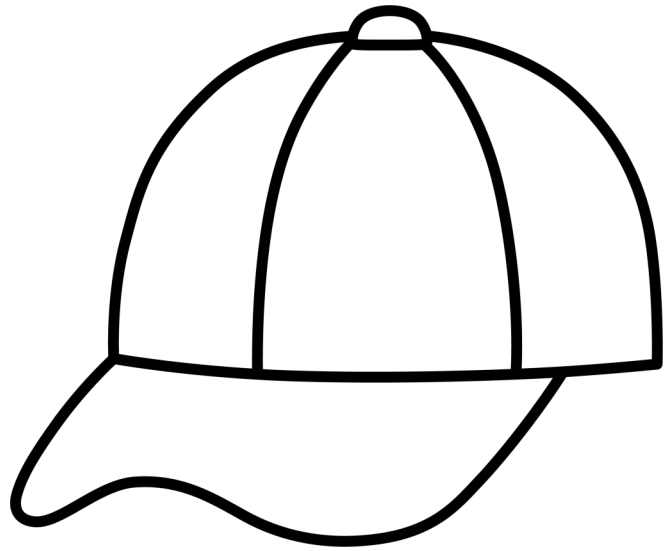


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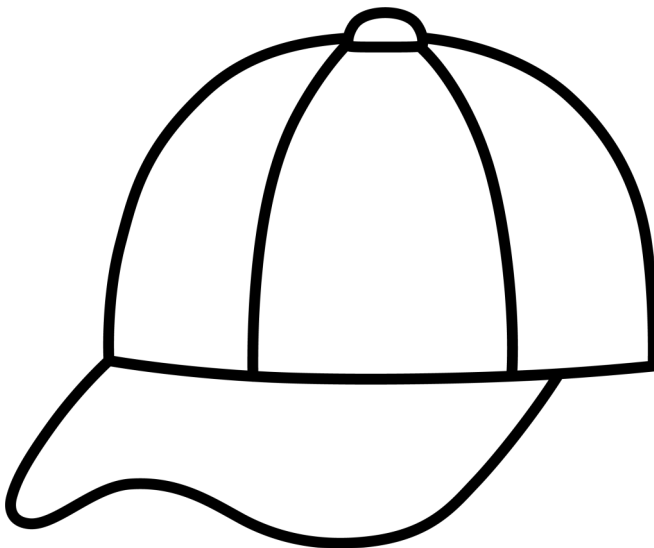
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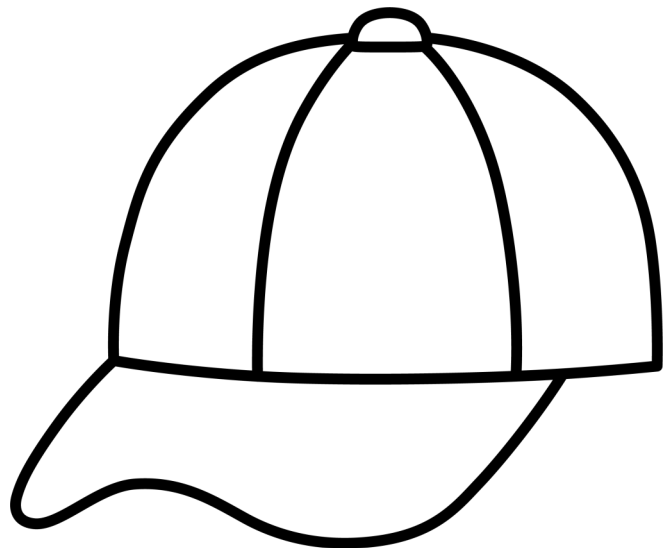
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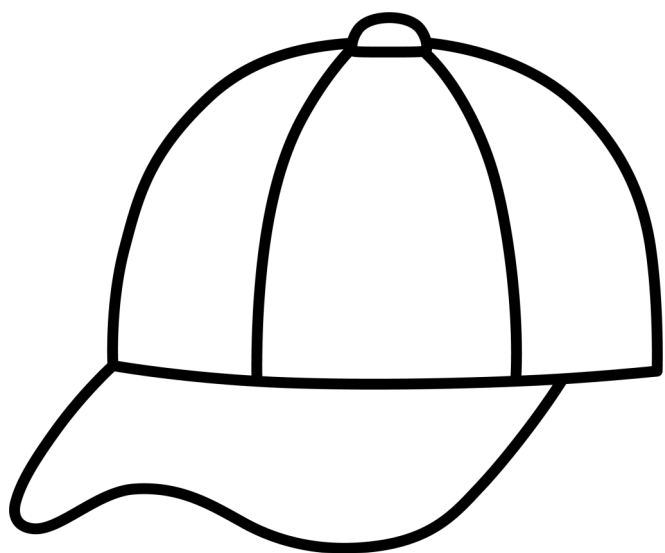


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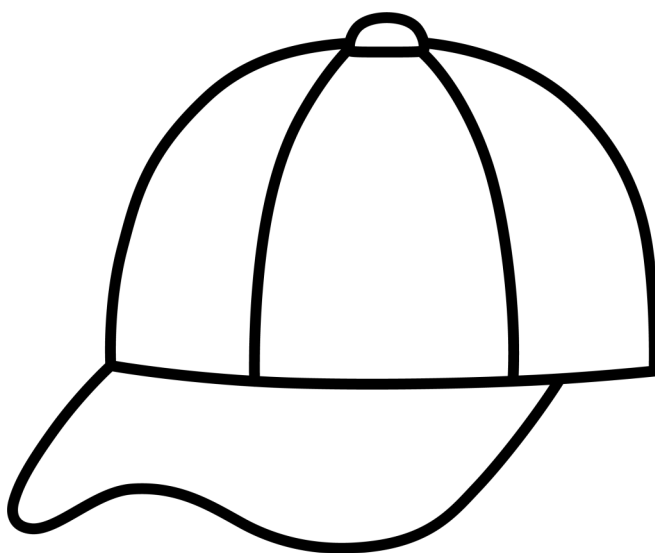


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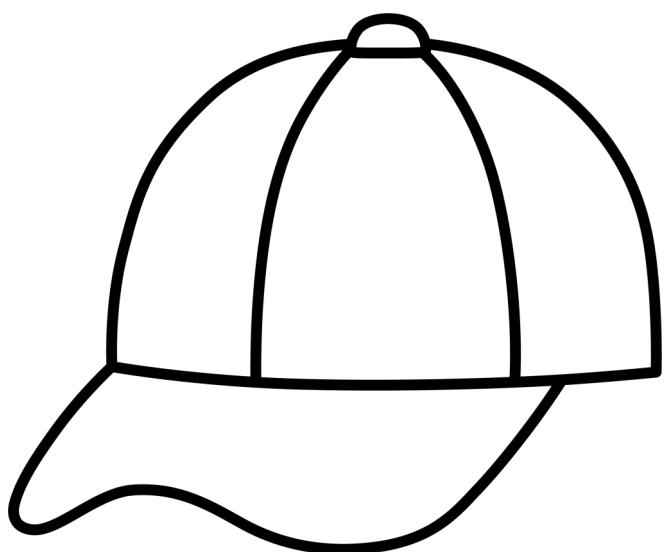
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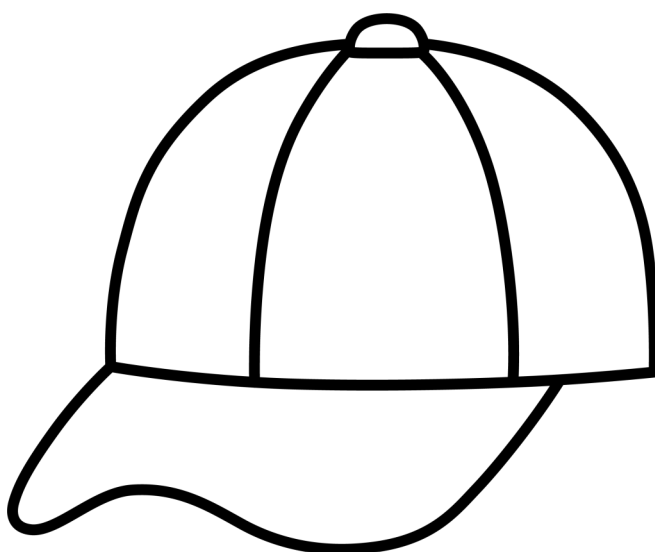
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