

# Categorization and Visual Puzzles

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# Weighing In



The boys in the wrestling competition will be sorted by weight. Use the following clues to arrange them in order from the lightest to the heaviest.

### Clues:

- Cody weighs more than Dax but less than Drew.
- Dax weighs less than Drew but more than Darrian.
- Drew weighs less than Teo.

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## Lila's Favorites

Lila has ranked her favorite singers. See if you can put them in the correct order using the following clues. Start with her least favorite



### Clues:

- Lila likes Amy and Britney, but not as much as Hilary.
- She thinks Keith is great, but still prefers Britney.
- She likes Jesse more than Hilary.
- Lila thinks Amy is slightly better than Britney.
- Keith and Miley are close, but she prefers Miley.

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# Word Circles



Each circle contains one or more words that relate to an American holiday. The letters are in order, but they might be forward or backward.

sho  
tdo  
sso  
sso

2. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

rubese  
hcsre  
e

GO  
DS

3. \_\_\_\_\_

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SH  
T

ork  
s  
fire  
m

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

icni  
icni  
c  
s  
b  
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DAR  
P  
S  
E  
A  
R

7. \_\_\_\_\_

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and  
blue  
ere  
m  
w

6. \_\_\_\_\_

8. \_\_\_\_\_

What is the holiday? \_\_\_\_\_



# Shakin' Up the Symphony



A chimpanzee named Charlie lives in a zoo. He must like music because one day he escaped from the zoo and headed straight to the music room at a nearby school. Three students were practicing a Schubert trio at the time. Charlie burst in and scared them away. As you can see, Charlie has made quite a mess. Look at the photos of the trio on the bulletin board on page 41. Use those photos to identify which instrument belongs to each student. Then help clear up the chaos by labeling each student's locker with the correct instrument.

It might help to create a chart like this one:

	<b>Brad</b>	<b>Franco</b>	<b>Brianna</b>
Description of face/hair/clothes:			
Clues about instrument:			
Instrument:			