

"Around the World with Mrs. Munchkin" Extended Discussions and Activities

1. Mrs. Munchkin always takes her magic carpet on a trip, in case she gets homesick. What do you take?
2. Name the different kinds of transportation in the story. Write the transportation words in your word book.
3. Where is Saskatoon? What province is it in? Can you find Quebec? Italy? What is a province? What is a country?
4. How did Mrs. Munchkin cross the ocean? Graph student responses to the story.
5. Look at a map of the world. Follow the path that Mrs. Munchkin took. Can you find her way home from Tokyo?

Hands On





1. Going Places Game Board - Word Recognition
Colour and assemble pages. Glue onto a large bristol sheet. Laminate. Cut out game cards and glue onto bristol cards. Laminate.

This is Mrs. Munchkin. 

 lives in Saskatoon.

One day  said, "I want to take a trip around the !"

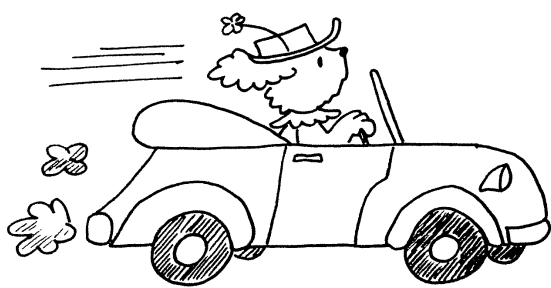
"First I must pack my ," said .

 got her  down from the attic. She dusted all the  off of her .

Can you draw a picture of what Mrs. Munchkin can see from her balloon?

The  takes  all the way to Rome, Italy. Italy is the country that is shaped like a .

START HERE!



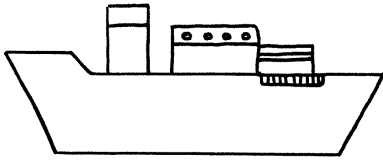
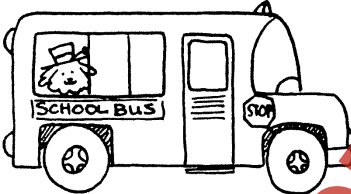

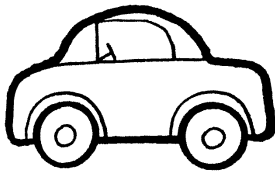
bicycle

GOING!

car



Balloons - Visual Discrimination
Make 2 copies or sets.

	train
	ship
	school bus
	sailboat
	car

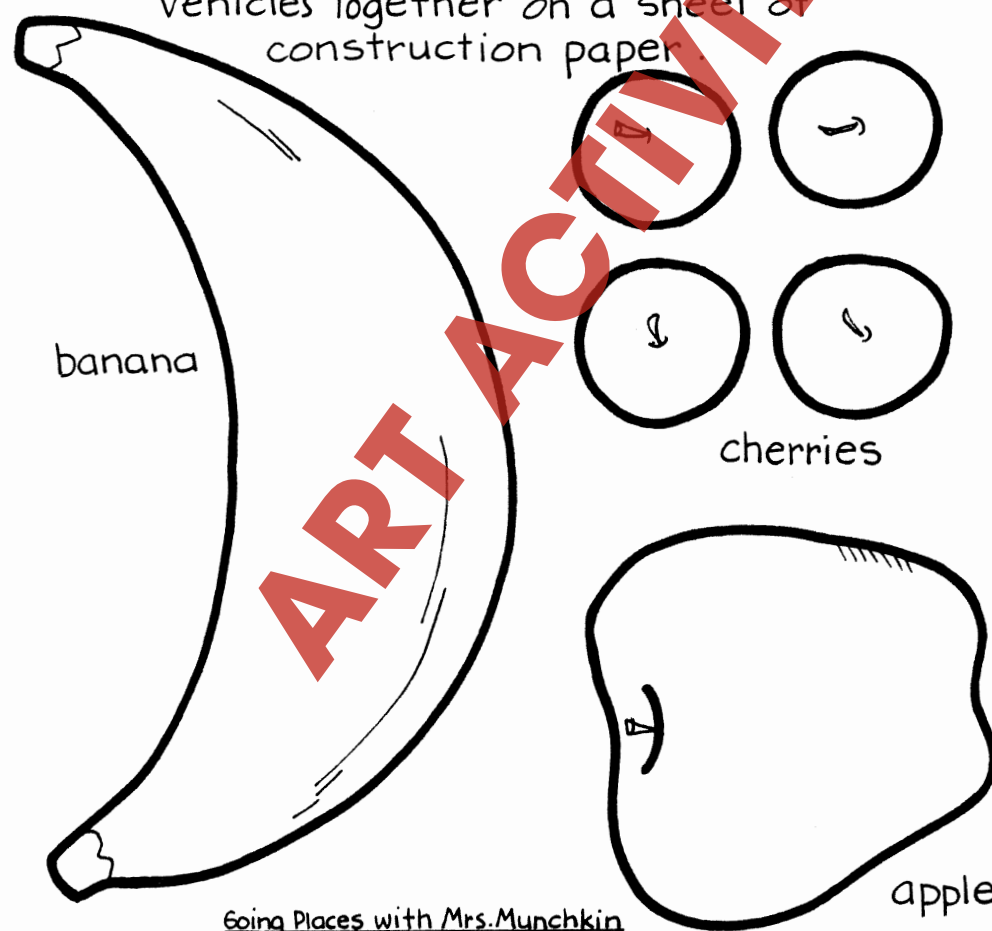
Make a Fruit or Vegetable Vehicle



Vehicle



Make a banana car or a tomato truck. Add wheels, windows and a steering wheel. Let your imagination go places! Colour and cut out the fruits or vegetables. Glue your vehicles together on a sheet of construction paper.



Going Places with Mrs. Munchkin

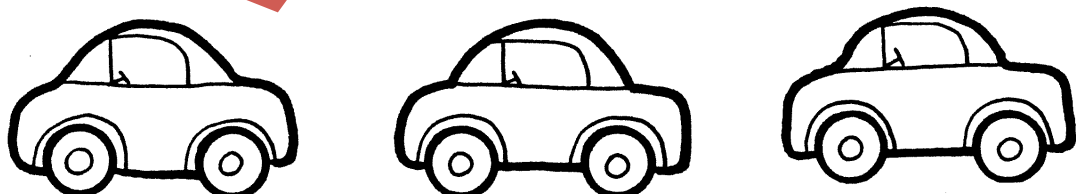


Mrs. Munchkin Word Search

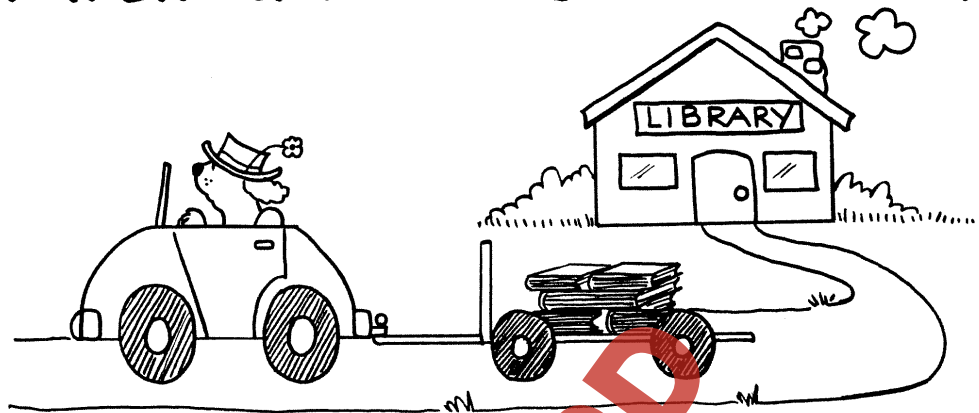
Can you find the hidden car words? Circle the words as you find them.

hood, gas, seats, motor, tire
horn, brakes

b	r	a	k	e	s
s	e	a	t	s	m
h	a	u	c	k	o
o	g	a	s	v	t
o	r	m	t	w	o
d	h	e	r	n	r
x	t	i	r	e	s



Mrs. Munchkin's Book Award



My name is _____
and I have read five books about transportation.

- _____ by _____
- _____ by _____
- _____ by _____
- _____ by _____
- _____ by _____

Date _____ Parent's Signature _____