

JA Our Families®

Junior Journal



Dear Parent or Caregiver:

In Junior Achievement's *JA Our Families* program, your child learned about families and how jobs and businesses contribute to the well-being of the neighborhood. He or she also discovered how families are alike and different and how families work together to make where they live a better place.

- All families have needs and wants.
- Jobs, including owning a business, are how many families earn money to provide for their needs and wants.
- The neighborhood is a great place to start a business.
- Money flows throughout a neighborhood when families visit businesses to buy goods and services.



Vocabulary

Session One

family

a group of people who share a common connection

neighborhood

a place where families live near one another

businesses

places that sell the things we need or want

Session Two

need

something families must have to live

want

something families would like to have

money

something used to pay for the things we need and want

Session Three

entrepreneur

a person who starts a business

map

a drawing that helps you find your way around

symbol

a sign used instead of a word

key

a list that tells you the meaning of symbols on a map

goods

things that can be bought and sold

services

work done for others such as haircuts or car repairs

Session Four

job

work that needs to be done

earn

to get money for a job you did

Session Five

advertise

a way to tell others about your good or service

My Family Flag

Instructions: Make a family flag. Your flag will show others what is special about your family. Draw pictures of your family or a favorite food, place, or thing your family likes to do—or use words or symbols. It is up to you!

The (print your last name) _____ Family Flag

Needs and Wants

Instructions: Read each sentence and find the matching picture. Write the correct number in the box.

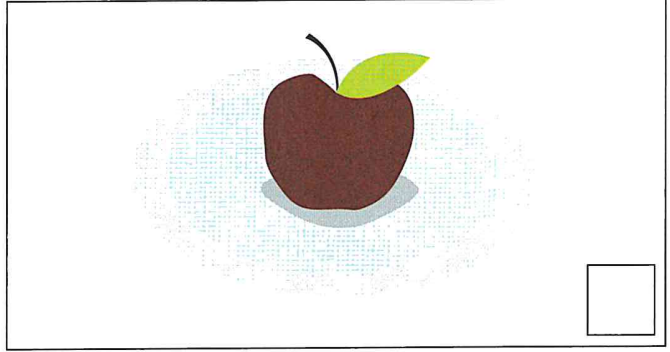
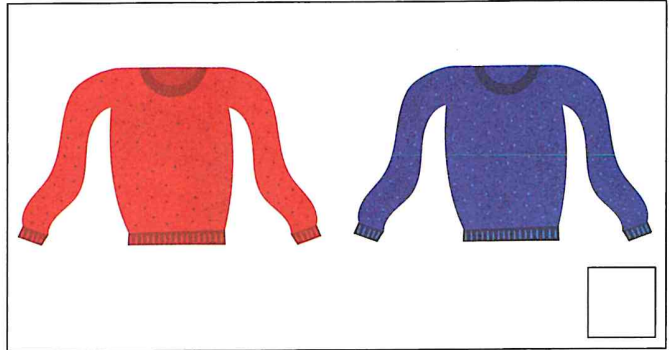
Needs

1. The apple is on the plate.

2. My sweaters are red and blue.

3. The store has nice clothes.

4. My sister and I live in a blue house.



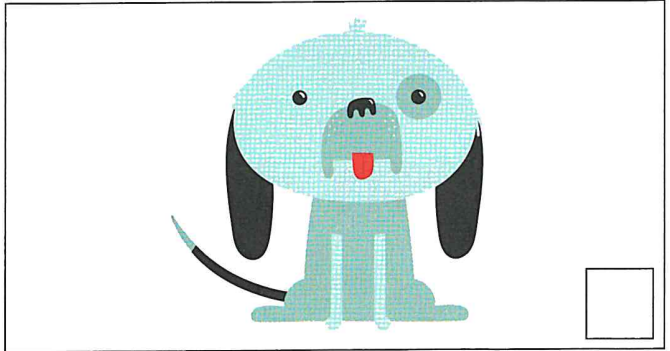
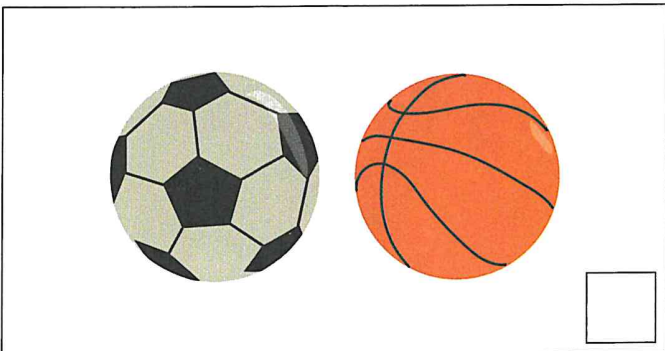
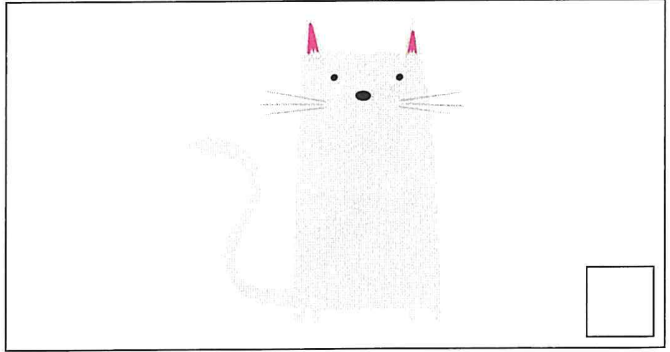
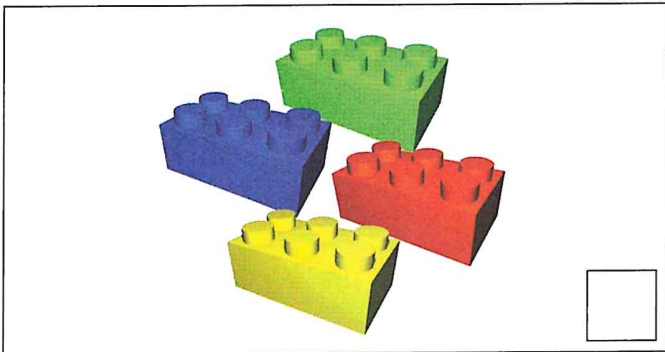
Wants

1. I see two balls in the yard.

2. My cat ate a bug.

3. The puppy likes to play.

4. I like to play with blocks.



Goods and Services

Goods are things that can be bought or sold.

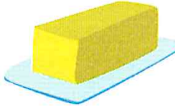
Circle all the goods a pet store might sell.



fish bowl



pet food



butter



cat litter



doghouse



bird cage

Circle all the goods a toy store might sell.



blocks



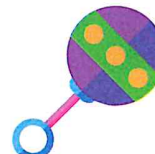
hammer



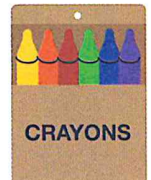
toy car



kite



baby rattle



box of crayons

Services are work done for others.

Instructions: What service do these workers do for others? Complete the sentences.

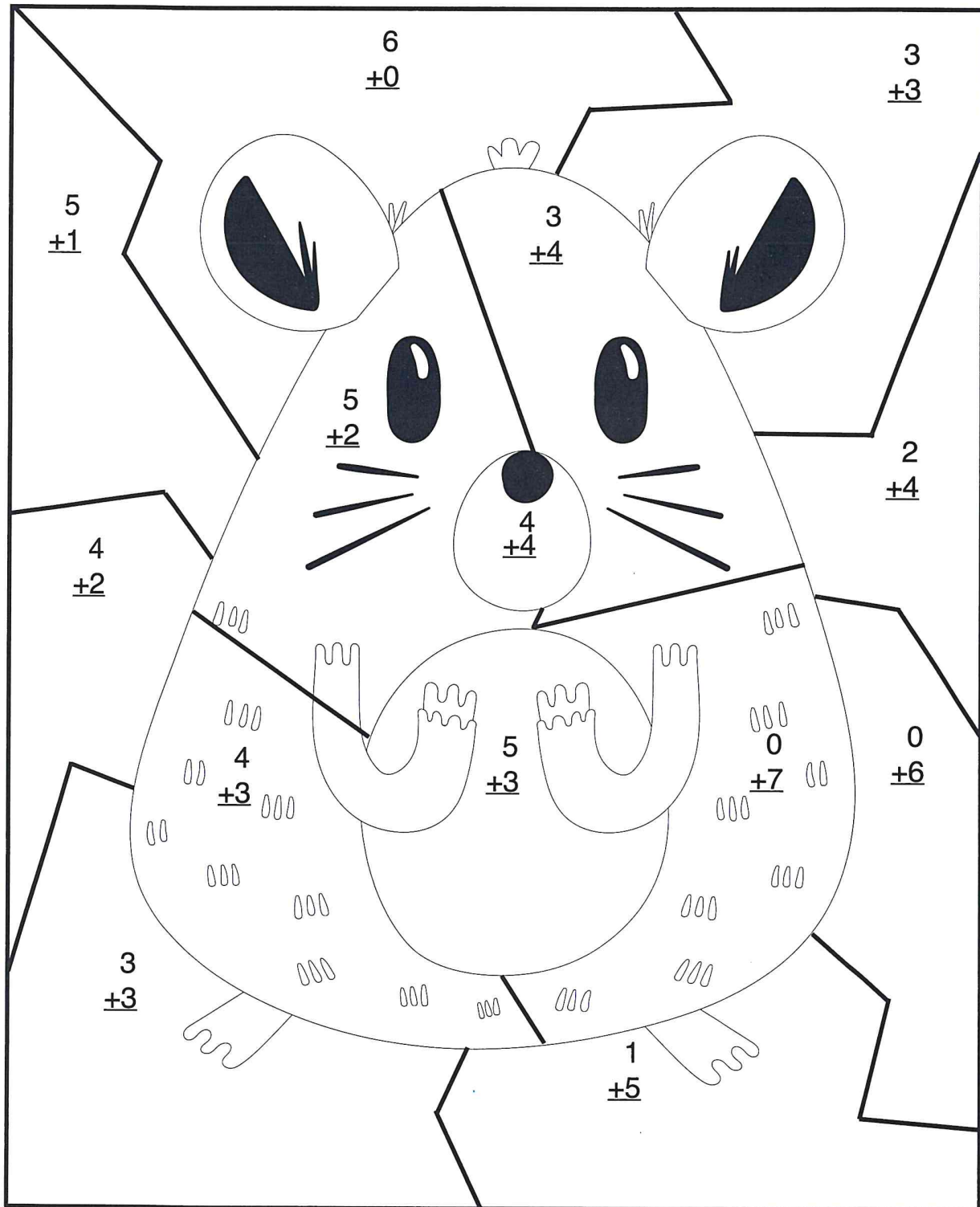
A veterinarian

A teacher

A New Business: The Pet Watcher!

Instructions: Answer the math problems on the page. Color in the picture using the color key.

Color Key		
6	7	8
 blue	 brown	 yellow

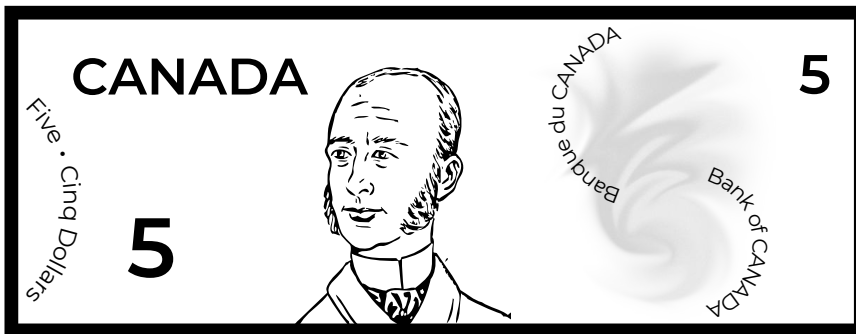


Colour each coin

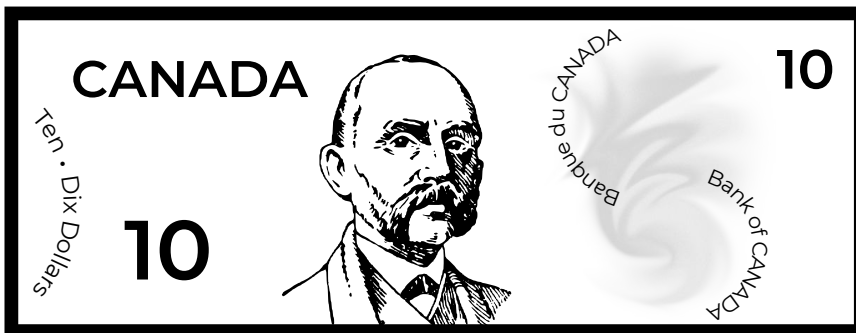
Nickel ¢ 5 - Red
Dime ¢ 10 - Blue
Quarter ¢ 25 - Green
Loonie \$1 - Yellow
Toonie \$2 - Pink



BONUS: How much money do you have on this page?



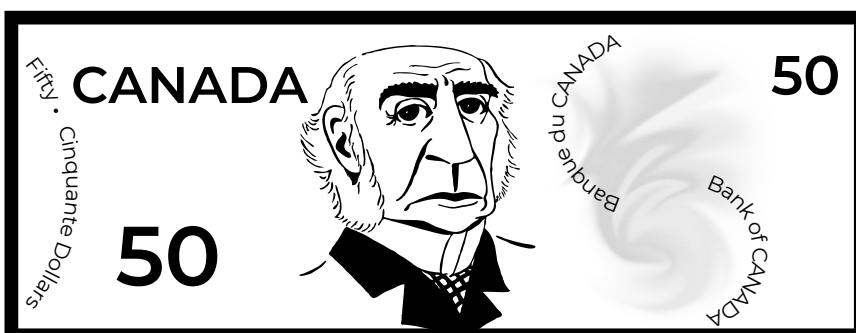
Five Dollars \$5 - Blue



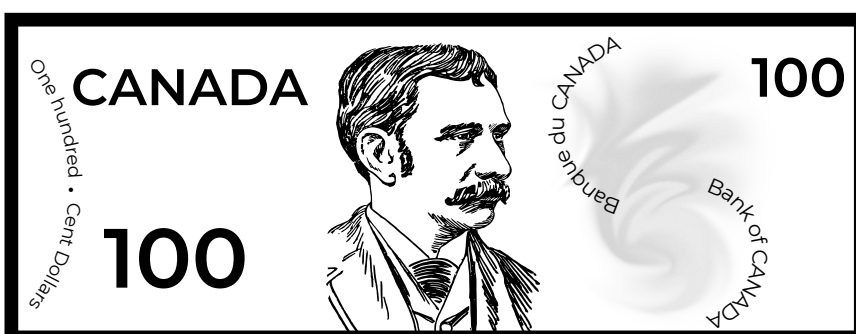
Ten Dollars \$10 - Purple



Twenty Dollars \$20 - Green



Fifty Dollars \$50 - Red



One Hundred Dollars
\$100 - Brown

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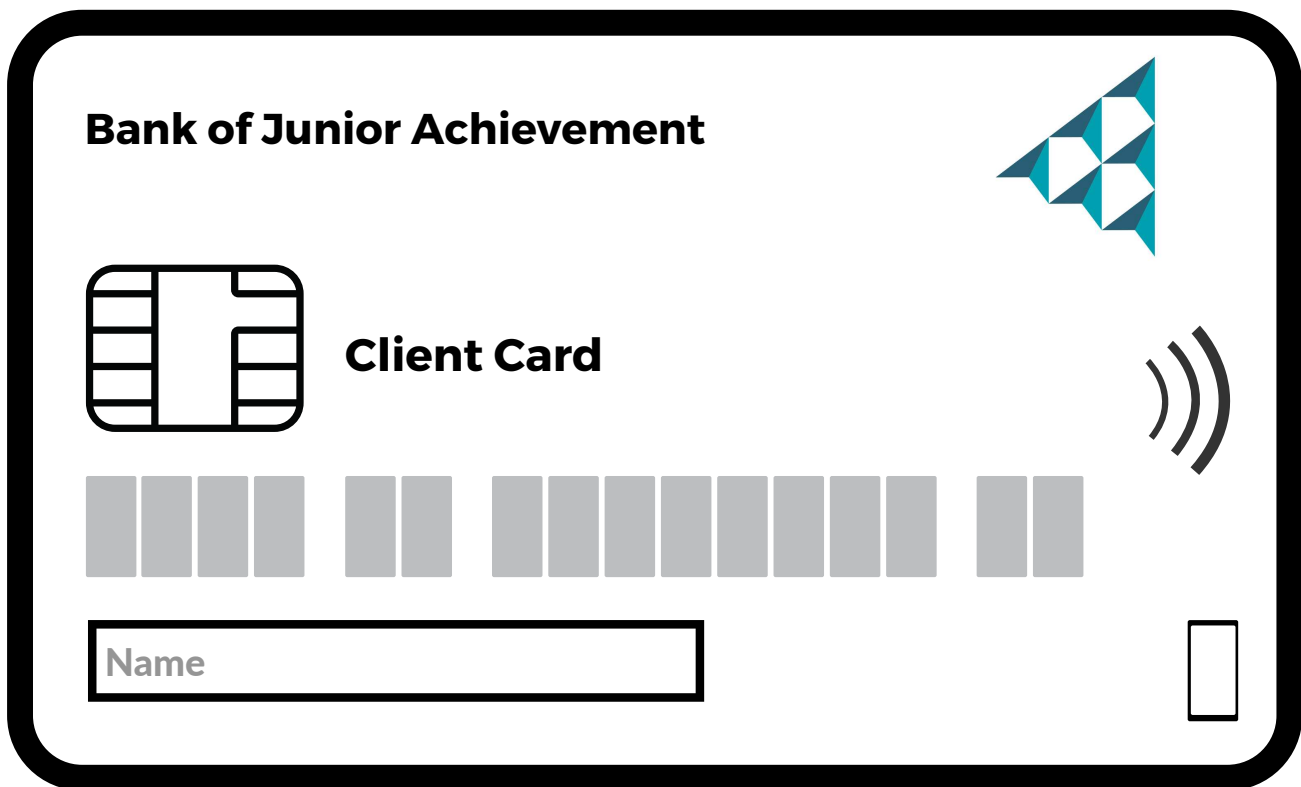


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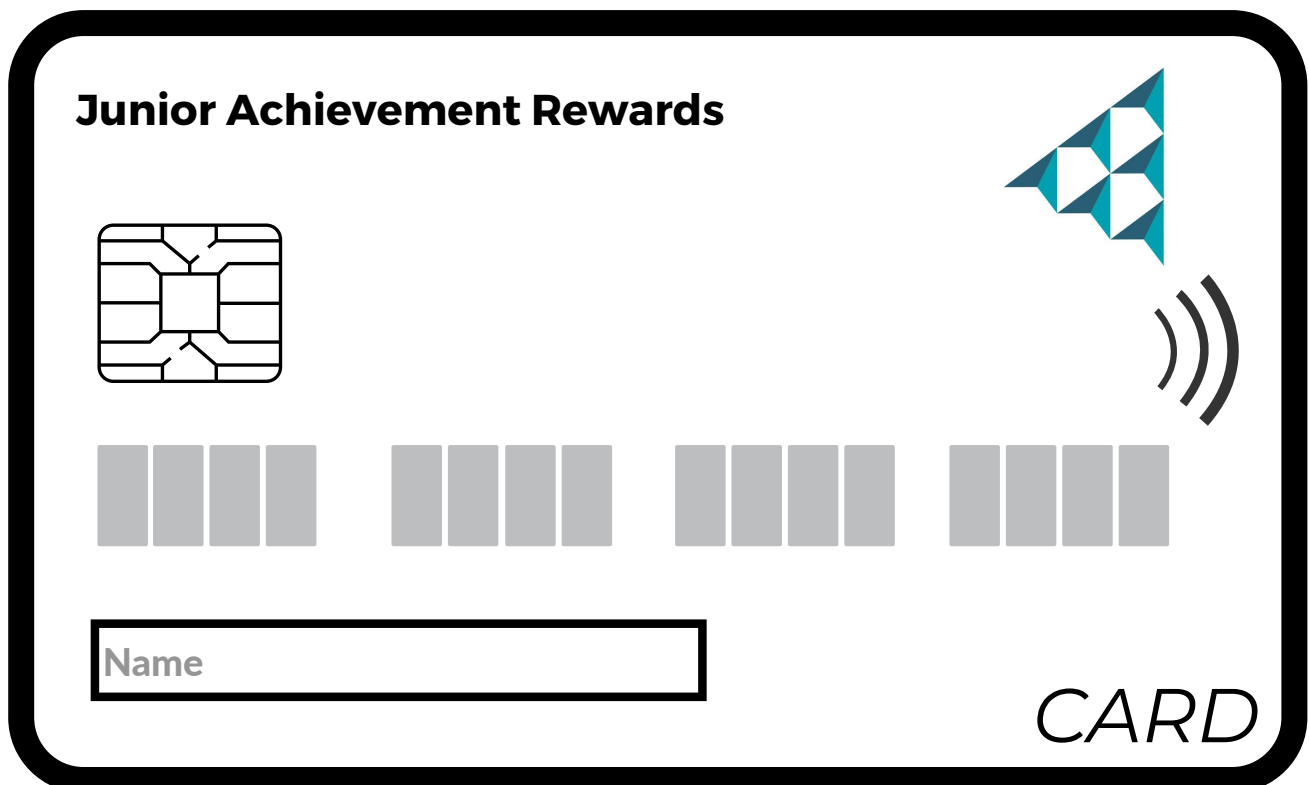
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Colour and design your own:

Debit Card



Credit Card

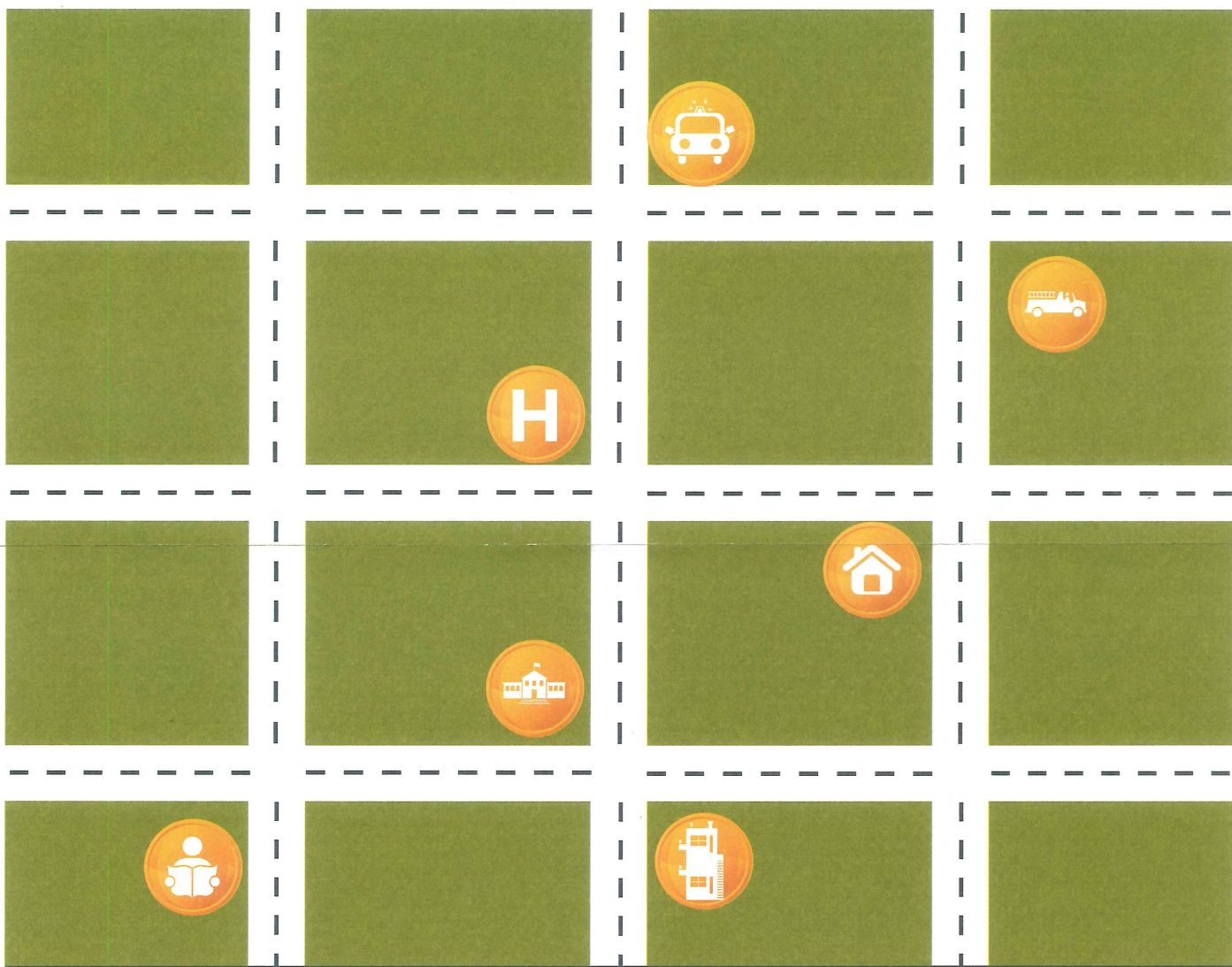


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Name _____

Business Map

Instructions: Place the symbol stickers on the map.



Key:

 **Hospital**

 **Police Station**

 **Apartment**

 **School**

 **Fire Station**

 **Library**

 **House**

