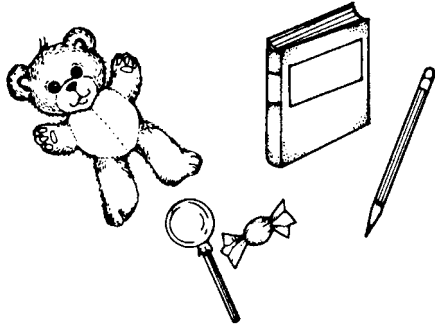


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My Friend



_____ is my friend.

My friend likes to eat _____
_____.

My friend likes to play _____
_____.

When we are together, we like to _____
_____.

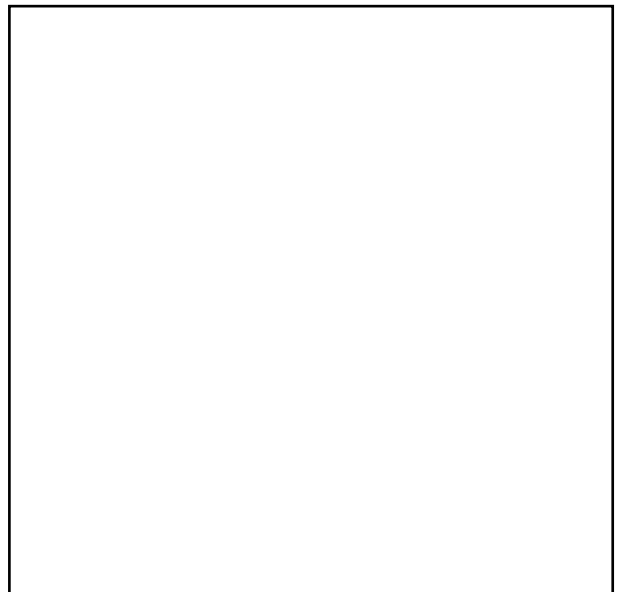
I like to help my friend. I help my friend _____

_____.

My friend is _____ years old.

My friend has _____ sisters
and _____ brothers.

I like my friend!



A picture of my friend.

Poetry

Friends Are Fun Acrostic

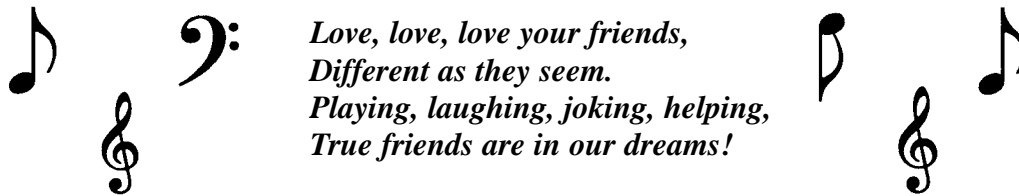
An acrostic poem is a wonderful writing experience that encourages students to expand their vocabulary. As a class, write a sample acrostic on the board. Then, just for “fun,” allow the students to sit anywhere in the room to write their own acrostic. Have students share their poems.

Display the poems in the hallway for other school friends to enjoy!

Friends
Really are Ask to For
Incredible Read Unforgettable
Especially Everyday New friendship fun
New next
Door
Schoolmates

A “Round” of Song

A song is often written in rhyming form. Teach the simple song below (set to the tune of “Row, Row, Row Your Boat”). After students become familiar with the lyrics, divide the class into two teams. Teach the song as a round (second team begins singing after the first team finishes the first line). If students enjoy a two-part round, divide teams again and try a four-part friendship sing-a-thon!



Cooperation Chant

This cooperation chant has a strong rhythm. After students learn the words, they can say the chant while “marching” to the lunch room, bus, or special activity!

1. We are friends, yes we are, Cooperation
is our star! To the left and to the right,
We will help you become bright!
2. We are friends, yes we are, Cooperation
is our star! To the sky and to the
ground, We will praise you all around!
3. We are friends, yes we are, Cooperation
is our star! To the East and to the West,
Cooperating is the BEST!

