



Digraph Delight

Objective

The student will blend sounds of letters to make words.

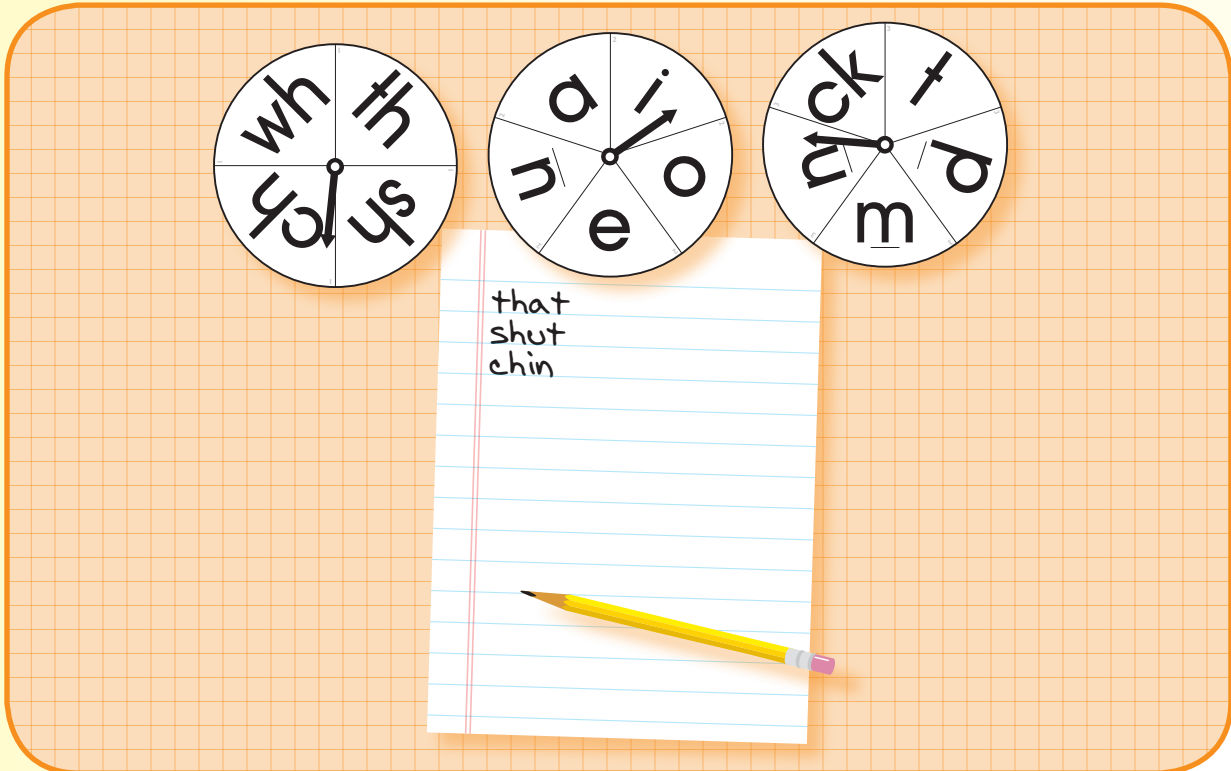
Materials

- ▶ Letter spinners (Activity Master P.038.AM1a - P.038.AM1c)
Copy spinners on card stock and cut.
- ▶ Brads
Attach arrows to the spinners with the brads.
- ▶ Paper
- ▶ Pencil

Activity

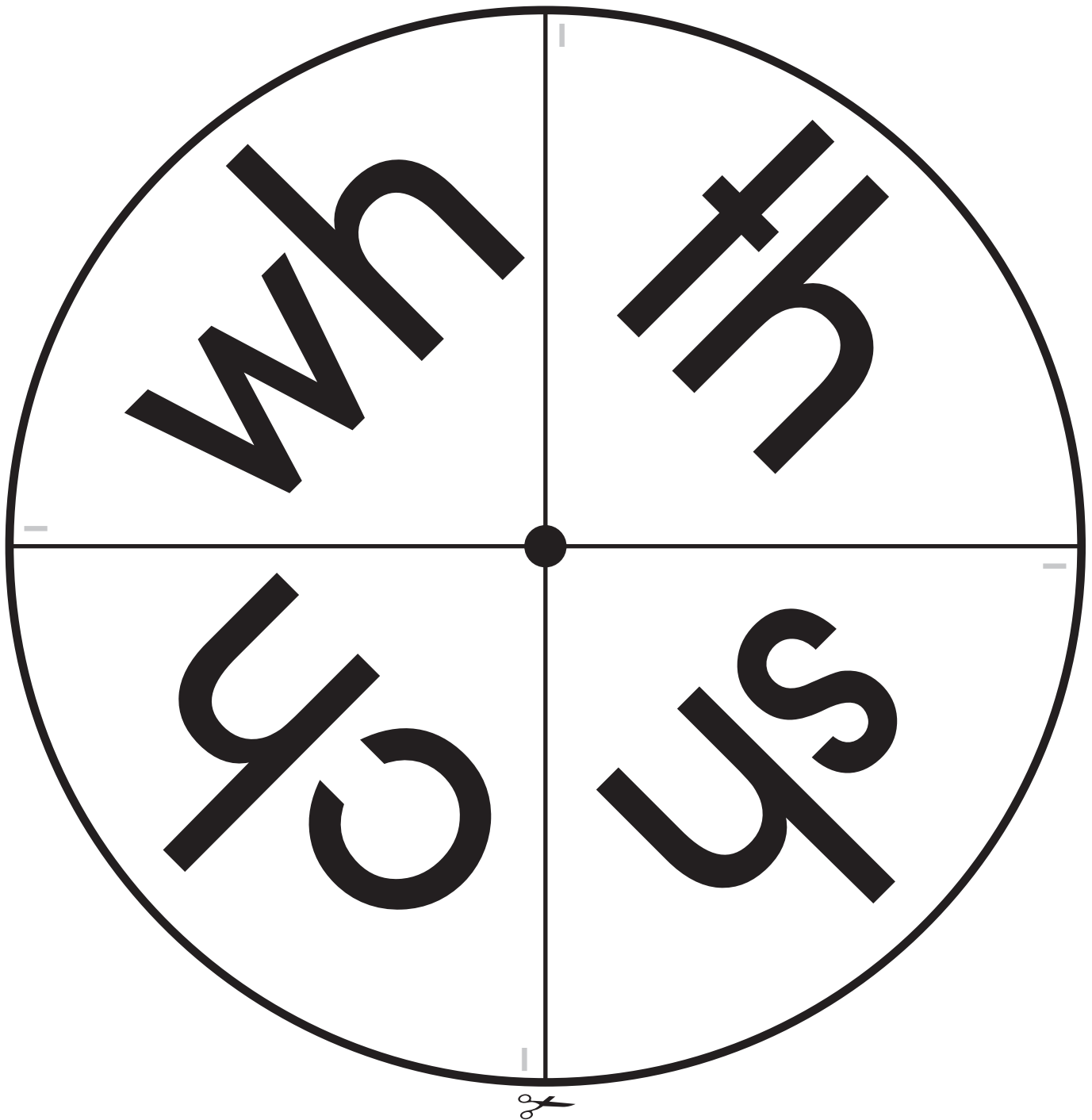
Students make words using digraph and letter spinners.

1. Place spinners at the center. Provide each student with paper.
2. The student spins each spinner in order and writes the letters on the paper.
3. Says the sound of each letter, blends them, and reads the word orally (e.g., “/ch//i//n/, chin”).
4. Determines if the word is real or nonsense. If it is a nonsense word crosses it out.
5. Continues until at least ten words are recorded.
6. Teacher evaluation



Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Make spinners with other letters (Activity Master P.038.AM2).

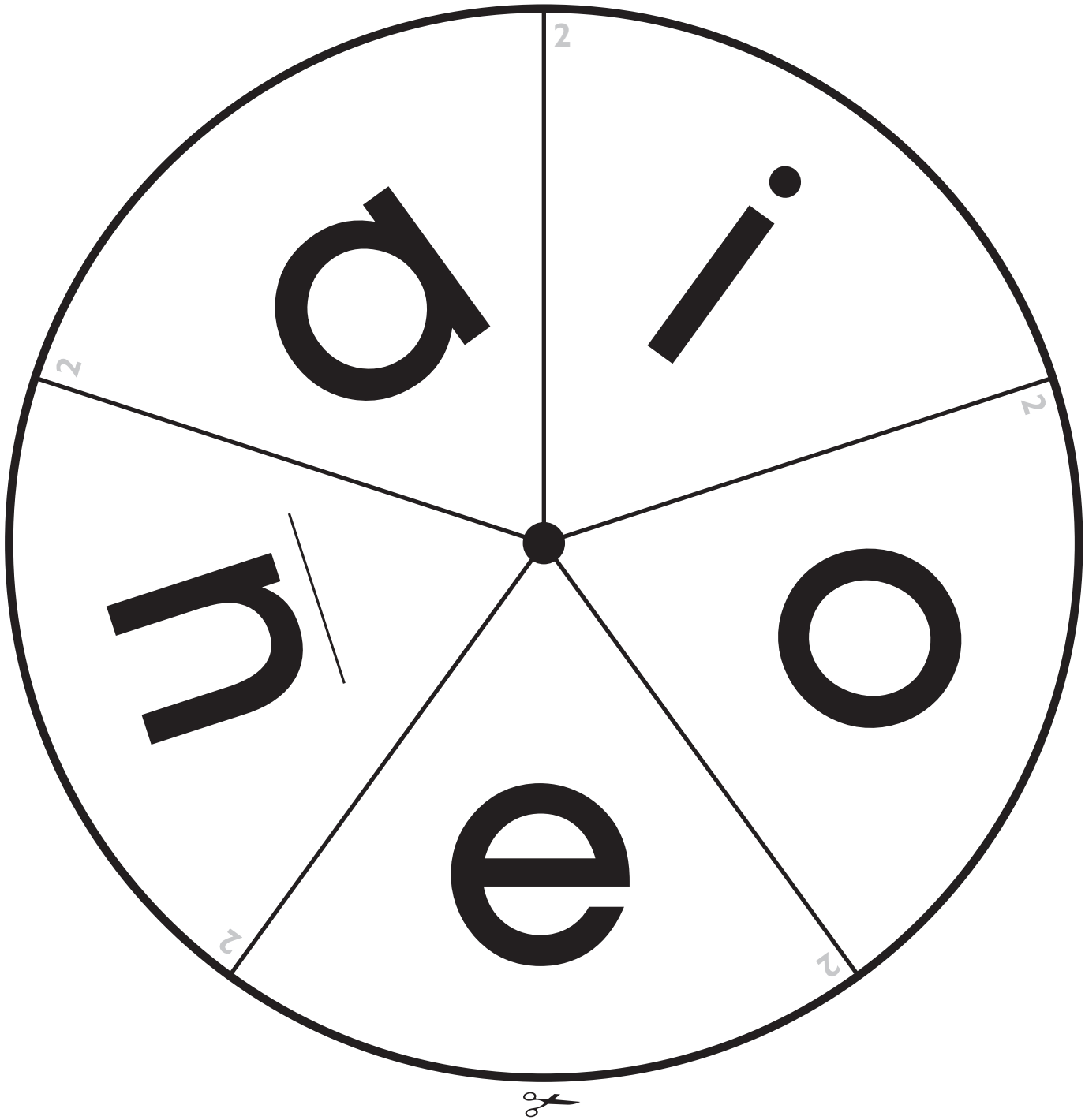


letter spinner 1

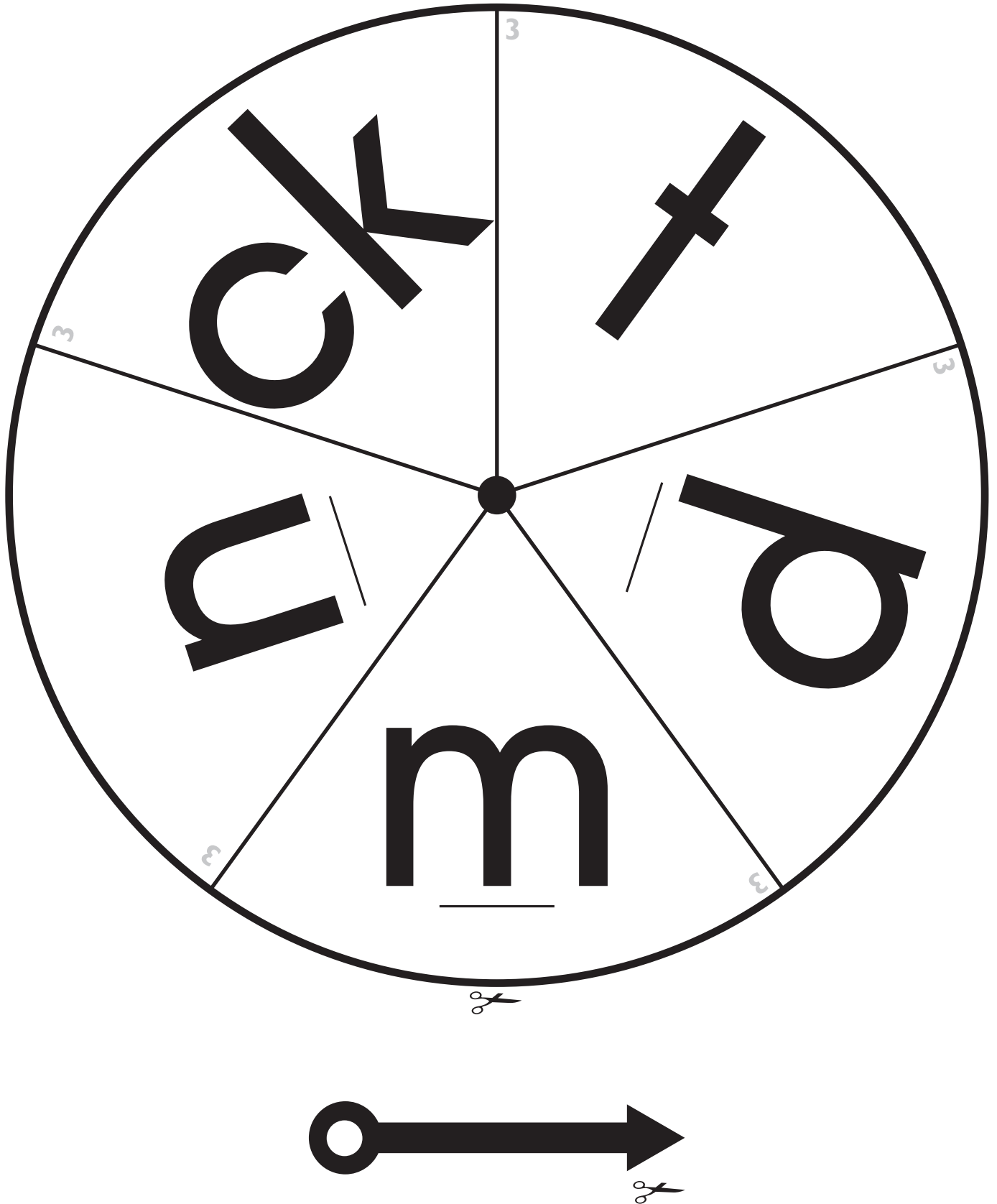
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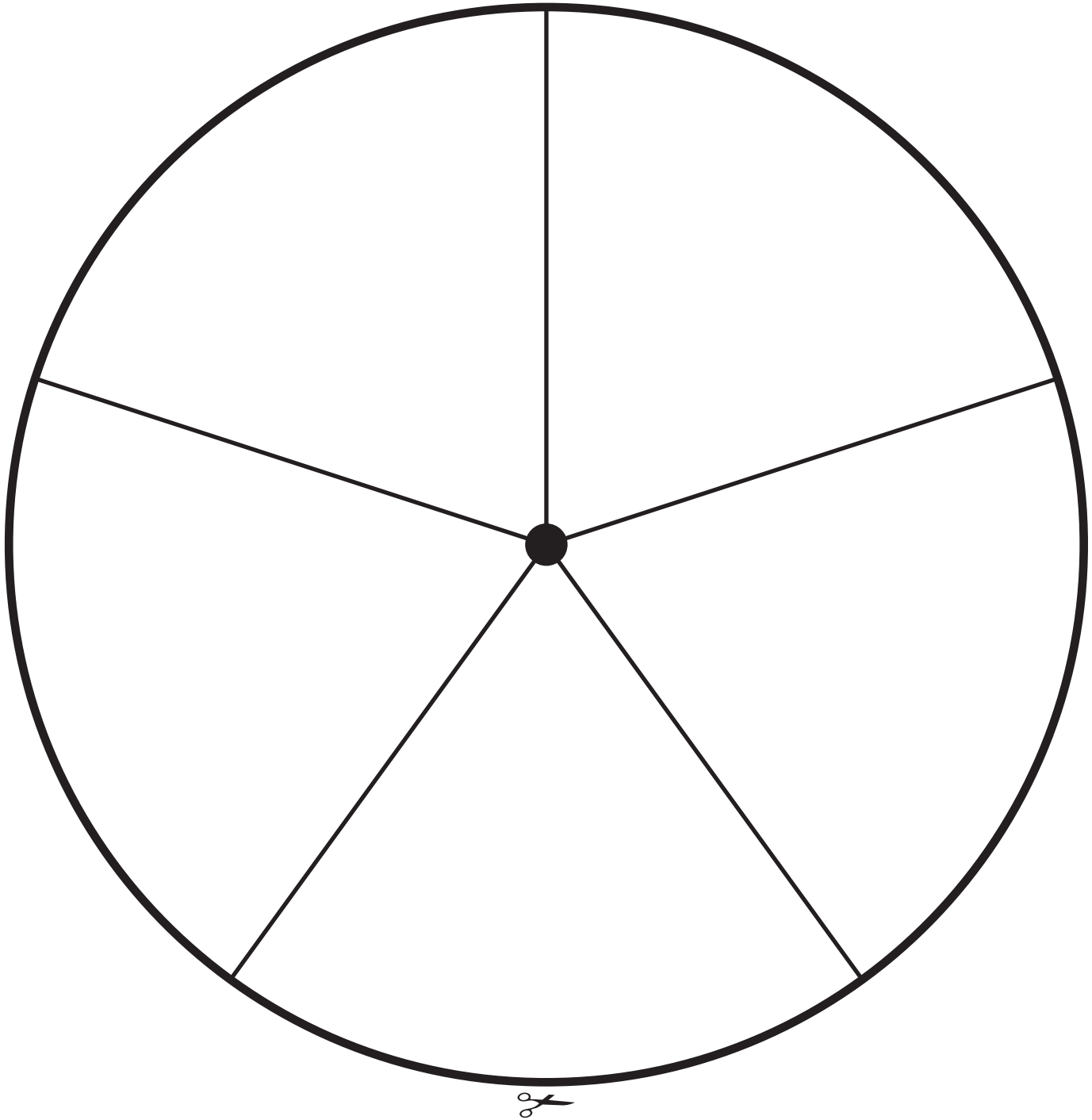
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letter spinner 2



letter spinner 3



blank spinner