



## Objective

The student will match initial phonemes to graphemes.

## Materials

- ▶ 12" x 18" construction paper  
*Laminate the finished product for placemats.*
- ▶ Letter stamps and stamp pads
- ▶ Print resources (e.g., magazines and catalogs)  
*Review the print resources to ensure the information is appropriate for young children.*
- ▶ Scissors
- ▶ Glue

## Activity

Students select pictures with the same initial sound as their first name and make placemats.

1. Place print resources, letter stamps, stamp pad, scissors, and glue on a flat surface. Provide each student with a piece of construction paper.
2. The student stamps each letter of his name on the construction paper and says the initial sound.
3. Selects and cuts pictures with the same initial sound as in the student's name.
4. Glues pictures on the construction paper.
5. Continues until there are five to ten pictures on placemat.
6. Teacher evaluation



## Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Select pictures corresponding to the final sound in name.
- ▶ Use last names.