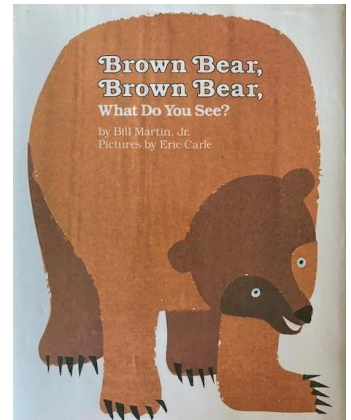


Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What do you see?

By Bill Martin Jr and Eric Carle

Activity/Coloring Pages



There are so many activities online based on books by these two authors. You can find images and ideas very easily. This page features one activity that is fun for children, which strengthens your child's learning across many developmental areas.

Pre-Academic Cognitive Learning:

- ✓ Practice color matching and naming animals and colors
- ✓ Model animal noises, find toys around the house that feature the same animals

Communication

- ✓ Provides repetitive word patterns for children to imitate and practice inflection
- ✓ Demonstrates pronouns "you" and "I"

Motor

- ✓ Small movement: Child practices tearing, pinching and squeezing, brushstrokes
- ✓ Big movement: Extend the activity by pretending to be animals, imitating unique big movements

Social-Emotional

- ✓ Do the activity with a parent or sibling and practice "my turn, your turn"
- ✓ Share about the pictures; talk about experiences you've had as a family with animals, teachers, children

Activity: Gluing paper pieces to match the animals in the book



1. Print one of the animals from the pictures below. Better yet, print two so you can do the activity alongside your child!



2. Gather materials: Picture, markers, or crayons (colors to match the picture(s) in the book!?)
Also, glue: use a squeeze bottle, a glue stick, or put some wet glue in a container and add a bit of water, so it is spreadable. You'll need a medium paintbrush for this method.
Also, find as much scrap paper as you can, the same color as the animal in the book: use magazine pictures, mail fliers, tissue paper, construction paper, etc.



3. Talk to your child in simple language as she matches match colors and picks the crayon or marker to the color that matches the animal in the book. Give her a chance to color on the coloring sheet. Use phrases like "They match!" or "That's the same," as well as color words.



4. Help your child rip the paper into small pieces about 1-2 inches square. Ripping helps strengthen the muscles in the hands. It's okay to have rough edges and varied sizes.



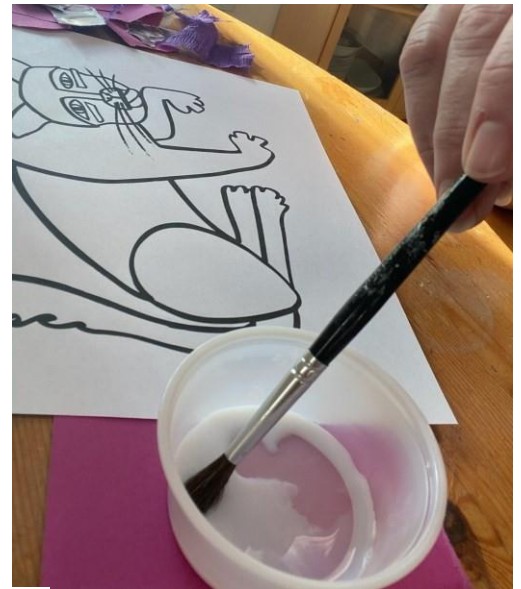
5. Demonstrate and guide your child to spread the glue lightly around the page, especially where the animal picture is. Depending on the child, she may be very precise in the lines, or the glue may go everywhere. Either way is okay!

If you use the paint in a cup with a brush: Take the brush and model with your child how to **dip** it in the glue, **dot** it on the paper, and **wiggle** it across the page. Say these words as you go.



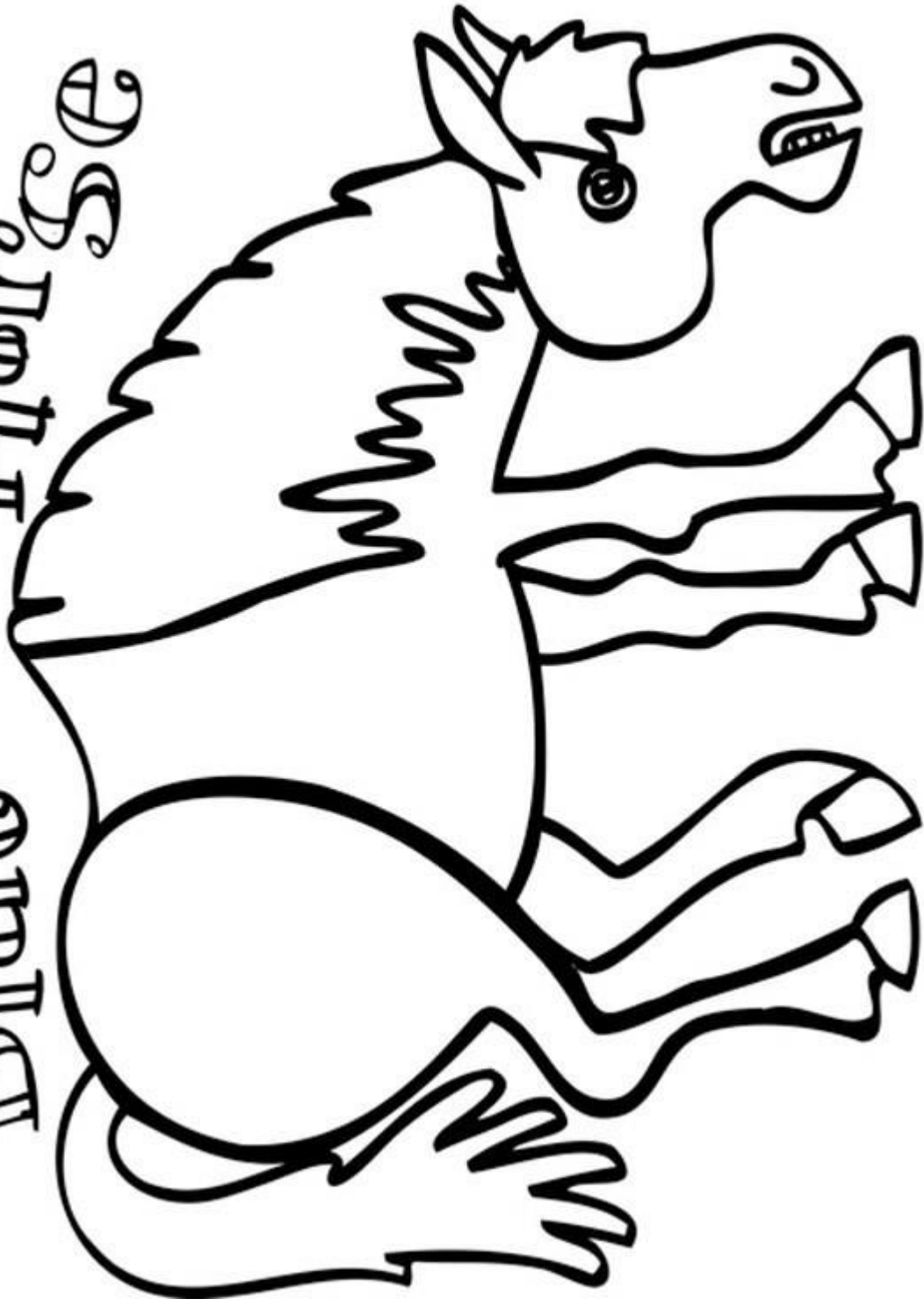
6. Don't forget to celebrate! Show each other the pictures you made! Try another! Display them!

Use the following pages as you wish for the above activity or color pages. The last three, color or paint them! We made every effort to find free printables online. These images were in many spaces online. Ours came from: <https://www.momjunction.com/print-coloring-image/90400/print/2014/09/>

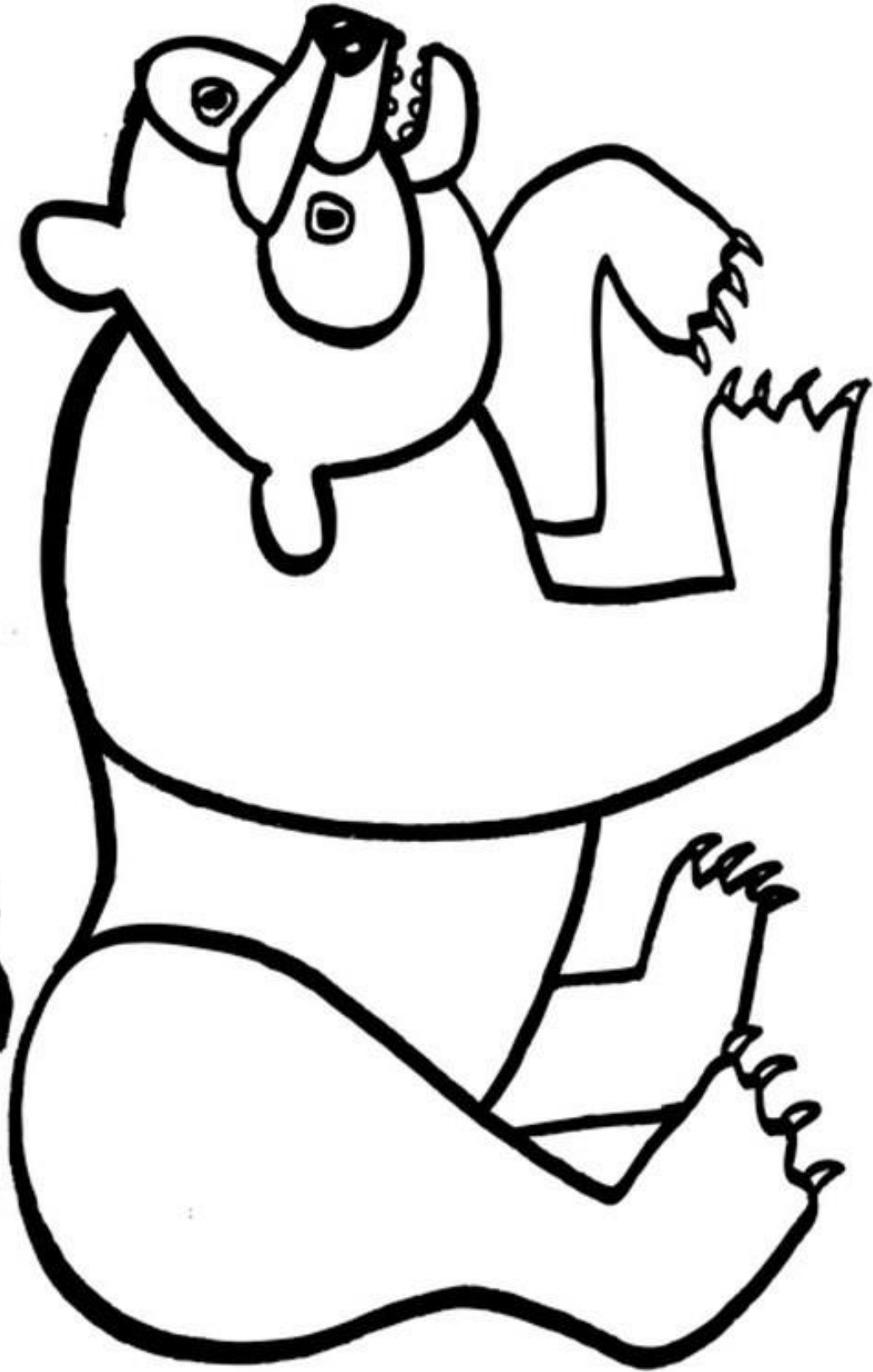


Blue

Horse



Brown Bear



Purple Cat.





