Hidden Pictures

more than 450 hidden objects to seek

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- mushroom
- sailing boat
- slice of bread

Learn as you play!
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Answers
Preface

Hidden Pictures, a series of four books, is produced in the belief that not all learning is text-based. Learning occurs with every human activity. It is especially effective when the activity is purposeful and focused while at the same time exciting and pleasurable.

Solving hidden pictures puzzles is just this kind of activity. Besides being enjoyable, it develops figure-ground perception and improves the ability to establish object constancy and size relationships. Educators have shown that working on such puzzles can also enhance a child’s attention to detail, reinforce good work habits, increase both word and general knowledge and aid in developing self-confidence.

With guidance, this potential can be realized. At the start of the activity, the child could be told to look at the big picture and describe the scene as a whole—that is, say what the picture shows or is about. Then he/she could be encouraged to talk about the details. Finally, the child’s attention could be drawn to the things illustrated in the margins and he/she asked to identify them in the big picture.

With time and practice, the child could become quite expert at solving the puzzles and would have kept him/herself entertained while he/she was at it!
Making music at home
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- baseball bat
- megaphone
- pencil
- jug
- heart
- crown
- slice of pie
- crescent moon
- nail
- candle
- toothbrush
- sailing boat
- crayon
- telescope
- needle
- golf club
Playing our recorders

Look for these things in the big picture.

drinking straw

toothbrush

torch

needle

screw

clothes peg

nail

banana

bird

baby's rattle

leaf

bottle

mug

flag

coat-hanger

spoon

heart

slice of cake

sailing boat

tack
Performing as a band

Look for these things in the big picture.

- sailing boat
- crayon
- spoon
- carrot
- telescope
- torch
- ruler
- teacup
- fish hook
- cowboy boot
- lollipop
- oven mitt
- candle
- cowboy hat
Getting a snack

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- pennant
- pencil
- slice of pie
- tack
- ladle
- mushroom
- needle
- artist's brush
- candle
- spool of thread
- toothbrush
- ruler
- boot
Enjoying an indoor game
Can you find these things in the big picture?

ladder  screw  tack  golf club  toothbrush  pencil  drinking straw
artist's brush  hammer  needle  fish hook  pennant
Building a domino track

Look for these things in the big picture.

tube of paint
party hat
nail
clothes peg
fish hook
slice of pie
mushroom
torch
bird
golf club
mouse
sailing boat
baseball bat
artist’s brush
spoon
comb
jew
boot
Watching birds in our yard

Look for these things in the big picture.

- caterpillar
- spatula
- ladle
- hat
- toothbrush
- paper clip
- cupcake
- open book
- high-heeled shoe
- clothes peg
- musical note
- comb
- slice of bread
- slice of pie
- horn
- bell
- tack
- candle
- lollipop
- sailing boat
Flying our toy aeroplanes
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- ring
- radish
- pushpin
- slice of cake
- needle
- dish
- cupcake
- mushroom
- candle
- slice of pie
- safety pin
- toothbrush
Listening to Dad reading

Look for these things in the big picture.
Celebrating Mother’s Day
Look for these things in the big picture.
Having tea with Grandma
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- baseball bat
- nail
- needle
- golf club
- candle
- fish hook
- tack
- broom
- spoon
- slice of bread
- musical note
- telescope
- toothbrush
- funnel
- sailing boat
- bell
- iron
- mallet
Quilting with Grandma
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- nail
- flag
- fish
- slice of lemon
- ice lolly
- ice-cream cone
- artist's brush
- spoon
- ring
- slice of pie
- drinking straw
- torch
- mug
- handbell
- pencil
- mallet
- candle
- musical note
- swan
Baking with Grandma

Look for these things in the big picture.

crescent moon

crayon

fish hook
tweezers

worm

tack

spoon

musical note

mushroom

sailing boat

nail

canoe

hockey stick

kite

slipper

toothbrush
Learning to make pretzels
Look for these things in the big picture.

- slice of bread
- bell
- crescent moon
- mallet
- mushroom
- musical note
- slice of pizza
- crayon
- sailing boat
- screwdriver
- pennant
- toothbrush
Picking apples from the tree

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- funnel
- mushroom
- mug
- candle
- lollipop
- sailing boat
- ladder
- torch
- hammer
- slice of pizza
- hat
- canoe
- saucepan
Harvesting fruits together
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- fish
- teacup
- saucepan
- wishbone
- mushroom
- hammer
- mouse
- slice of pie
- swan
- sailing boat
- toothbrush
- crescent moon
- lollipop
- bell
- jug
- candle
Helping to fold the laundry
Look for these things in the big picture.

- toothbrush
- slice of pizza
- caterpillar
- musical note
- jug
- sailing boat
- fish
- pennant
- ice-cream cone
- artist's brush
- mouse
- comb
- mushroom
- bell
- pencil
- candle
- tack
Having fun washing the car

Look for these things in the big picture.

- pencil
- slice of pie
- snake
- tack
- torch
- hamburger
- nail
- slice of bread
- American football
- ice-cream cone
- banana
- slice of pizza
- hotdog
- glove
Playing basketball at home

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- pencil
- tack
- paintbrush
- hat
- artist's brush
- heart
- nail
- golf club
- flag
- drinking straw
- teacup
- thimble
- clothes peg
- needle
- spoon
- carrot
- crescent moon
- mug
- wedge of cheese
- candle
Acting grown-up at teatime

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- crayon
- clothes peg
- pliers
- slice of pie
- needle
- mushroom
- bird
- drinking straw
- artist’s brush
- tack
- wishbone
- toothbrush
- ice-cream lollipop
- banana

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Finding hidden treasure

Look for these things in the big picture.

- wishbone
- lollipop
- candle
- pencil
- nail
- golf club
- mouse
- teacup
- fish hook
- ice-cream cone
- needle
- tack
- paintbrush
- heart
- leaf
- artist's brush
- coat-hanger
- bell
Camping out in the garden

Look for these things in the big picture.

- arrow
- toothbrush
- needle
- wishbone
- pencil
- nail
- ring
- clothes peg
- barbell
- envelope
- coat-hanger
- open book
- sailing boat
- funnel
- flag
- fish hook
- lollipop
- drinking straw
- comb
- golf club
Setting out for school

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- ball
- scrub brush
- jar
- mitten
- screwdriver
- mushroom
- paper aeroplane
- bowl
- sock
- mouse
- lollipop
- skipping-rope
Boarding the school bus
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- slice of pizza
- wishbone
- torch
- shoe
- flowerpot
- pear
- snake
- tube of toothpaste
- needle
- paintbrush
- jar
- crown
- carrot
- candle
Riding on the school bus

Look for these things in the big picture.

- sticking-plaster
- banana
- caterpillar
- torch
- sock
- bell
- envelope
- lollipop
- moth
- scissors
- spoon
- dustpan
Celebrating Teachers’ Day
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- bowling pin
- nail
- earthworm
- banana
- crescent moon
- snake
- boomerang
- bagel
- fish hook
- scissors
- hatchet
- clam
- canoe
- needle
Listening to a visiting author
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- toothbrush
- pencil
- pear
- fish
- paper clip
- banana
- slice of pie
- hammer
- ice-cream cone
- star
- bowling pin
- bell
Dancing in a concert

Look for these things in the big picture.

- heart
- screwdriver
- ice-cream cone
- hammer
- fish hook
- tube of paint
- toothbrush
- snake
- slice of pizza
- spoon
- wishbone
- fork
- artist's brush
Learning about fire safety
Look for these things in the big picture.

- mitten
- spatula
- mushroom
- jug
- bell
- tube of toothpaste
- sailing boat
- banana
- torch
- sock
- fish hook
- ladder
- flowerpot
- ice-cream cone
- witch's hat
Cleaning up Pets’ Corner
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- ice lolly
- ruler
- mitten
- pizza cutter
- key
- ring
- banana
- bell
- sock
- flag
- needle
- fish hook
- fish
- bird’s head
- golf ball
Coming out tops in a contest

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- handbell
- needle
- paper clip
- spoon
- toothbrush
- comb
- flower
- sailing boat
- banana
- heart
- mushroom
- shoe
- bird
Visiting the town aquarium

Look for these things in the big picture.

bell
banana
hammer
slice of pie
teacup
paper clip
coat-hanger
ice-cream cone
lizard
deer
chicken
Studying a dinosaur exhibit

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- shoe
- bottle
- mitten
- light bulb
- banana
- heart
- glove
- saw
- snake
- whale
- sailing boat
- ice-cream cone
- candle
Following the nature trail
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- fish
- bowl
- broccoli
- crescent moon
- ice-cream cone
- sailing boat
- slice of pizza
- slice of cake
- button
- umbrella
- pennant
- worm
- fish hook
- heart
- spatula
- carrot
- muffin
Seeing animals in the wild

Look for these things in the big picture.

- flag
- spectacles
- fork
- slice of pizza
- spoon
- trowel
- candle
- butterfly
- mallet
- ice-cream lollipop
- carrot
- envelope
- artist's brush
- book
Casting animal tracks

Look for these things in the big picture.

mug  ring  paintbrush  saw  canoe
snail  mushroom  pear  tack  rabbit
whale  crescent moon  needle  heart
pennant  funnel  lollipop  boot
Getting our pets to the park

Can you find these things in the big picture?

gingerbread man
butterfly
cupcake
cinnamon bun
button
candle
bowling ball
2 teacups
canoe
candy cane
fish
Taking our dogs to the vet’s
Can you find these things in the big picture?

- bat
- bell
- fish
- paintbrush
- high-heeled shoe
- feather
- heart
- slice of pie
- bowling pin
- glove
- paper clip
- sailing boat
- pencil
Attending an animal show

Look for these things in the big picture.

- ice-cream cone
- needle
- artist's brush
- candle
- golf club
- fish hook
- crayon
- wishbone
- heart
- crescent moon
- bowl
- magnifying glass
- teacup
- saucepan
- pencil
- carrot
- toothbrush
- baseball bat
Raking leaves at autumn's end

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- spoon
- light bulb
- banana
- glove
- paper clip
- pencil
- ice-cream cone
- flyswatter
- fish
- flag
- sailboat
- bird
- bat
- bell
Snowboarding downhill

Can you find these things in the big picture?

dinosaur
mug
saw
penguin
caterpillar
fish
dinosaur
sailing boat
bowling pin
comb
heart
bell
mushroom
bird
boot
Setting up a snow family

Look for these things in the big picture.

- wishbone
- ice-cream cone
- clothes peg
- golf club
- slice of bread
- comb
- vase
- paintbrush
- fork
- handbell
- slice of pizza
- crescent moon
- saucepan
- ice lolly
- dog bone
- light bulb
- snake
Wrapping Xmas presents

Look for these things in the big picture.

open book
mug
banana
sailing boat
spectacles
golf club
bagel
sock
tack
fish hook
toothbrush
envelope
Rehearsing the dragon dance

Can you find these things in the big picture?

- ice-cream cone
- glove
- baseball
- crescent moon
- pencil
- star
- owl
- bird
- elephant
- frog
- fish
- ghost
- snake
- candle
- palette
- pretzel
- carrot
Hidden Pictures

This series of four books promises hours of fun and loads of benefits for all the family!

Each seek-and-find activity can be done individually as a pastime, or played as a game with a partner or a 'rival' group.

But more than that, solving the puzzles develops figure-ground perception and improves the ability to establish object constancy and size relationships.

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