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Introduction

The **Longman Children's Picture Dictionary** presents 800 words and phrases within 50 beautifully illustrated and photographed Topics. The dictionary is divided into two sections. The first section contains 50 double-page illustrations. The second section contains an alphabetical word list, a thematic word list, a dialogs index and the complete lyrics for the 50 songs and chants.

Activity

Each Topic has one or more activities. Use these to practice the vocabulary words or personalize the Topic. Most of the activities present an idea that can be expanded upon by the teacher. Answers to all the activities are in the Teacher's Resource Book.

Some of the activity types include:

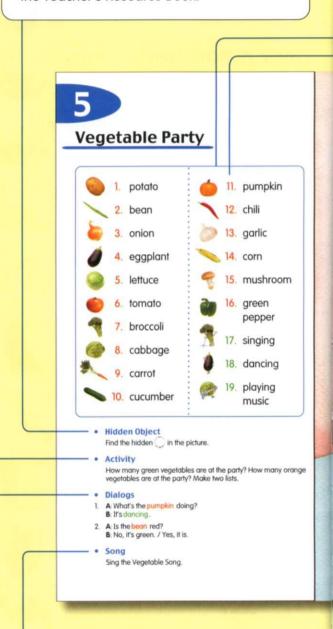
- counting
- miming
- categorizing
- ordering alphabetically
- searching for information in the picture
- finding the odd-one-out
- talking about yourself and asking others about themselves

Dialogs

The dialogs use many of the vocabulary words in short, meaningful exchanges. They provide practice in some of the most common functions of language, such as asking for information or stating preferences. Many of the dialogs can be used for role-play. Words in the dialogs and numbers in the word lists are color-coded, indicating which words can be substituted into each dialog.

Hidden Object

One item from Topic 1 Alphabet is hidden on each double-page illustration of the dictionary. Finding the hidden object can be used as a fun warm-up activity. Answers to the location of all the hidden objects are in the Teacher's Resource Book.

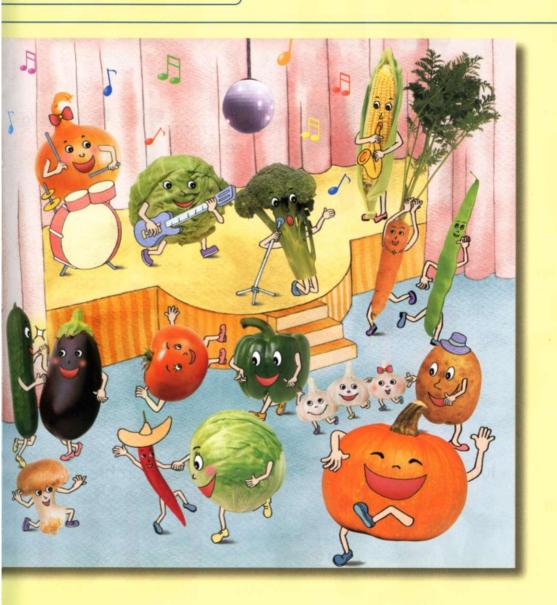


Songs and Chants

Each Topic contains a song or chant and its karaoke version to help children practice the vocabulary words in a lively and creative way. Lyrics to all the songs and chants can be found in section two of the dictionary.

Vocabulary

Each Topic contains 10–20 vocabulary words. Small illustrations and numbers are placed next to each word for easy reference.



Color-coding

All the vocabulary words are colorcoded to match the substitutable dialogs. All words with red numbers against them can be substituted into the dialog containing the red word. The same applies to green, blue and purple numbers. Words with black numbers are not designed to fit the dialogs.

Audio CDs

Two CDs are provided at the back of this dictionary. They include the pronunciation models for all the vocabulary words and dialogs. They also contain the 50 songs and chants and all the karaoke versions of the songs and chants.

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Alphabet





Activities

- What letter does a start with? What letter does 🦠 start with?
- 2. Find something that starts with c. Find something that starts with f.

Dialogs

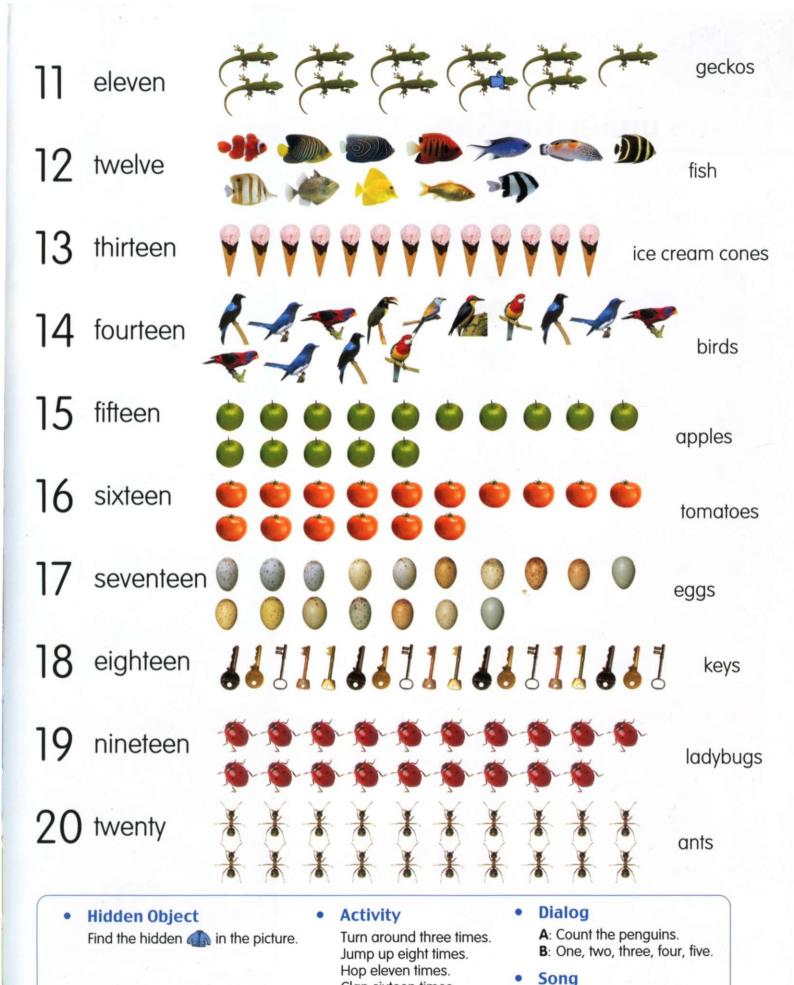
- **A**: Spell apple. **B**: a-p-p-l-e
- 2. A: What's this?
 - B: It's a kite. / It's an egg.

Song

Sing the Alphabet Song.

Numbers





Clap sixteen times.

Sing the Numbers Song.