

Summer Tracing Cards

These summer themed writing cards make practicing letters and numbers fun and easy for little learners! Perfect for preschool and kindergarten, they give children plenty of hands-on practice with a simple, low-prep setup.



Learning Objectives:

Letter and Number Recognition – Students will identify uppercase and lowercase letters A-Z, numbers 0-10, and shapes reinforcing early literacy and numeracy skills through hands-on practice.

Pre-Writing and Fine Motor Development – Students will use proper stroke formation to trace and begin writing letters and numbers, strengthening hand coordination and pencil grip in preparation for independent writing.

Preparation:

- **Print** the pages on standard paper or cardstock for durability.
- **Cut** along the lines to create individual writing cards.
- **Laminate** the sheets for reuse or place them in dry-erase pockets.

How to Use:

Children use dry-erase markers to trace each uppercase and lowercase letter, as well as numbers 0-10. When they're done, just wipe and try again for endless practice!

Other Fun Uses:

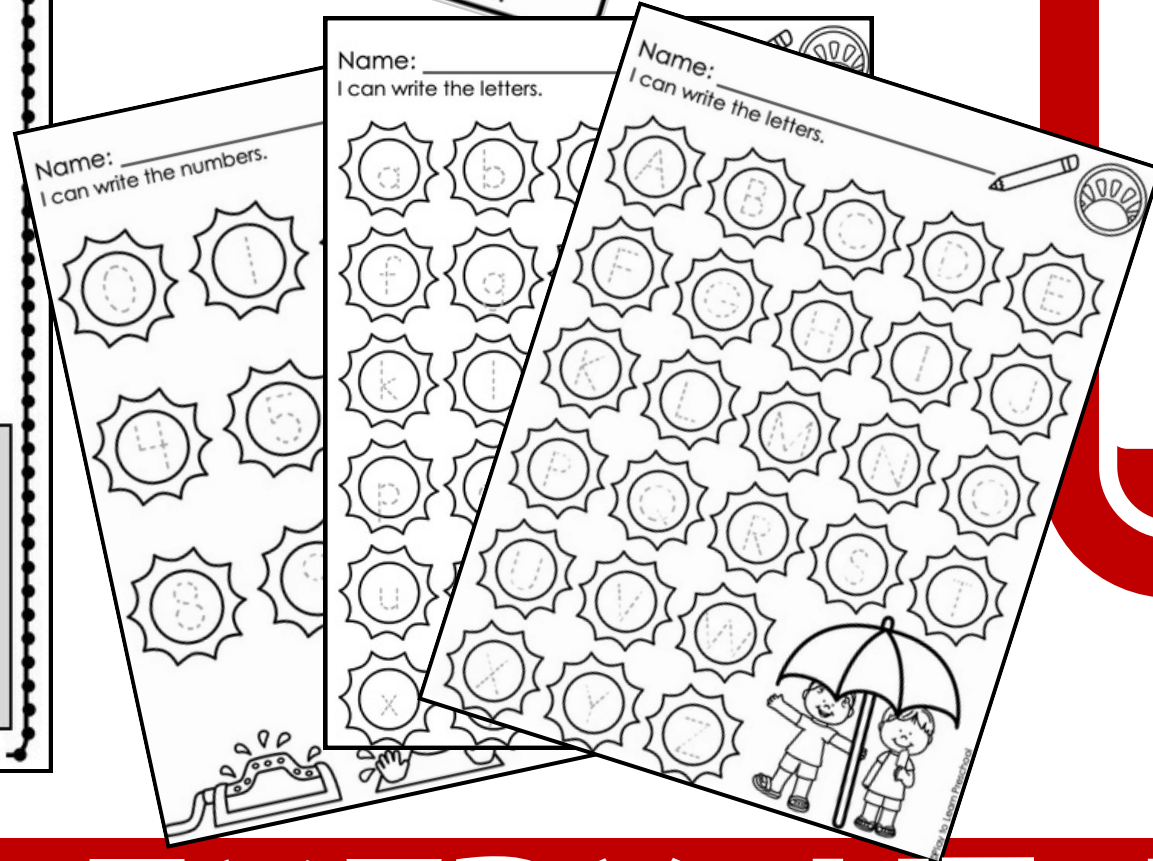
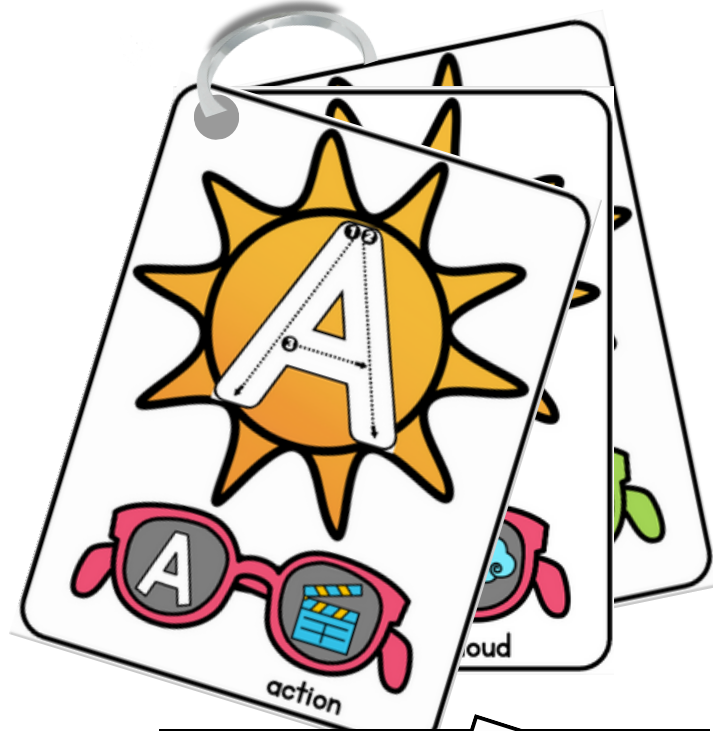
- **Build the Letters, Numbers, & Shapes** – Instead of tracing with a marker, students can form the letters, numbers, & shapes using small manipulatives like **mini erasers, pom-poms, or beads**, reinforcing letter recognition and fine motor skills.
- **Hands-On Letter Formation** – Students use **wax-coated yarn sticks** (like Wikki Stix®), **pipe cleaners, or playdough** to shape letters. This allows a tactile way to explore letter and number shapes before writing.
- **Sensory Writing Practice** – Place the cards under a **clear sensory bag** filled with hair gel or sand. Students can trace the letters by pressing with their fingers, promoting sensory exploration and early writing skills.



Storage Tips:

Keep the cards in a small basket or on a binder ring for easy access. Provide a dry-erase marker and cloth or eraser alongside the set for independent use.

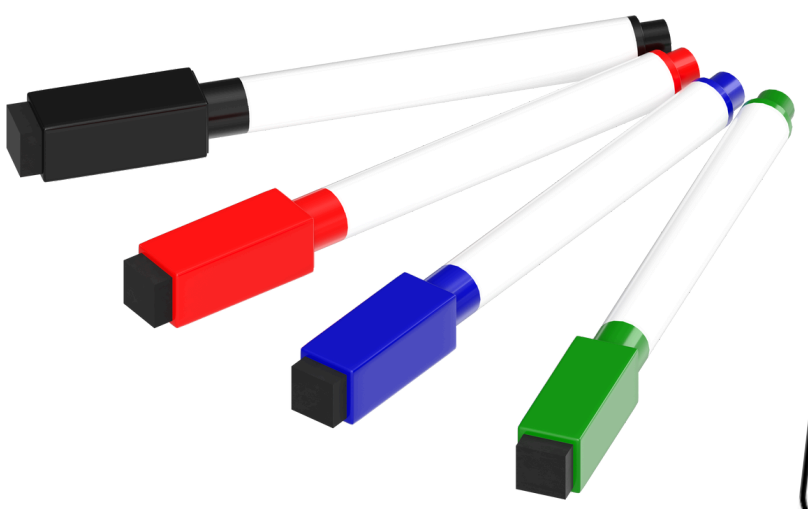
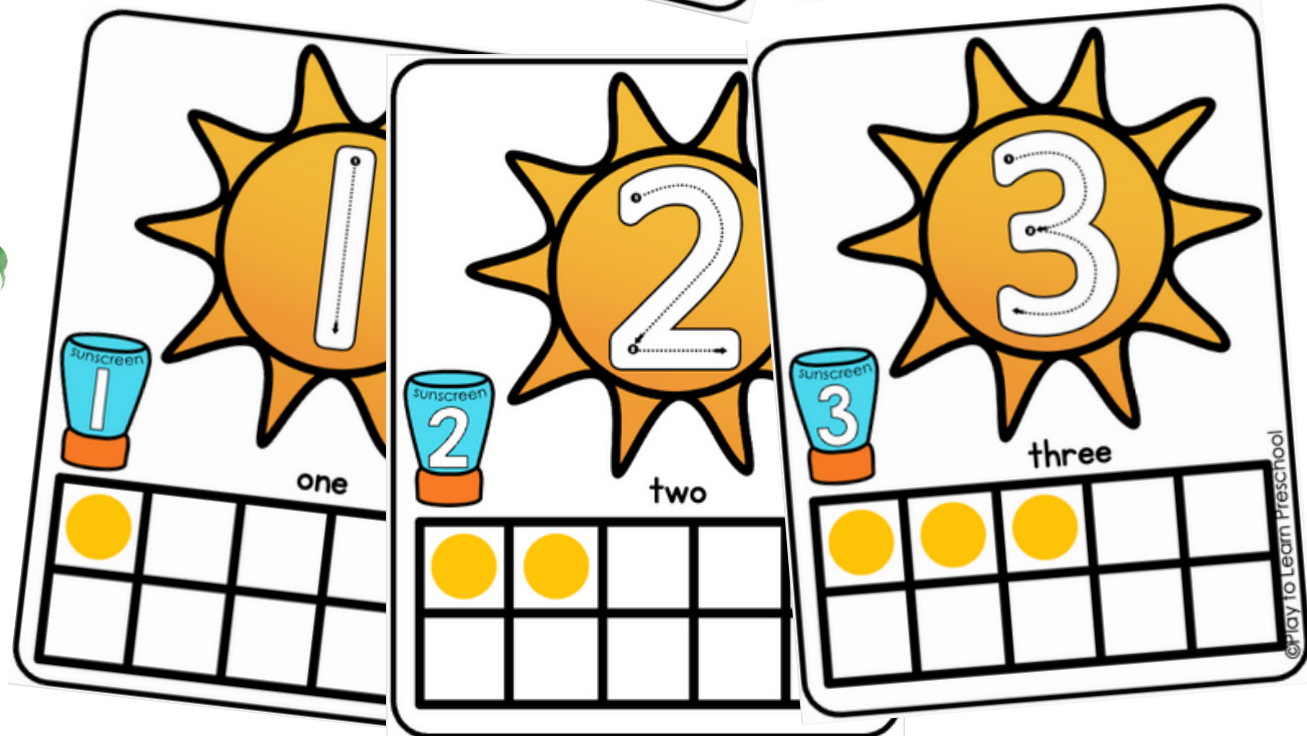
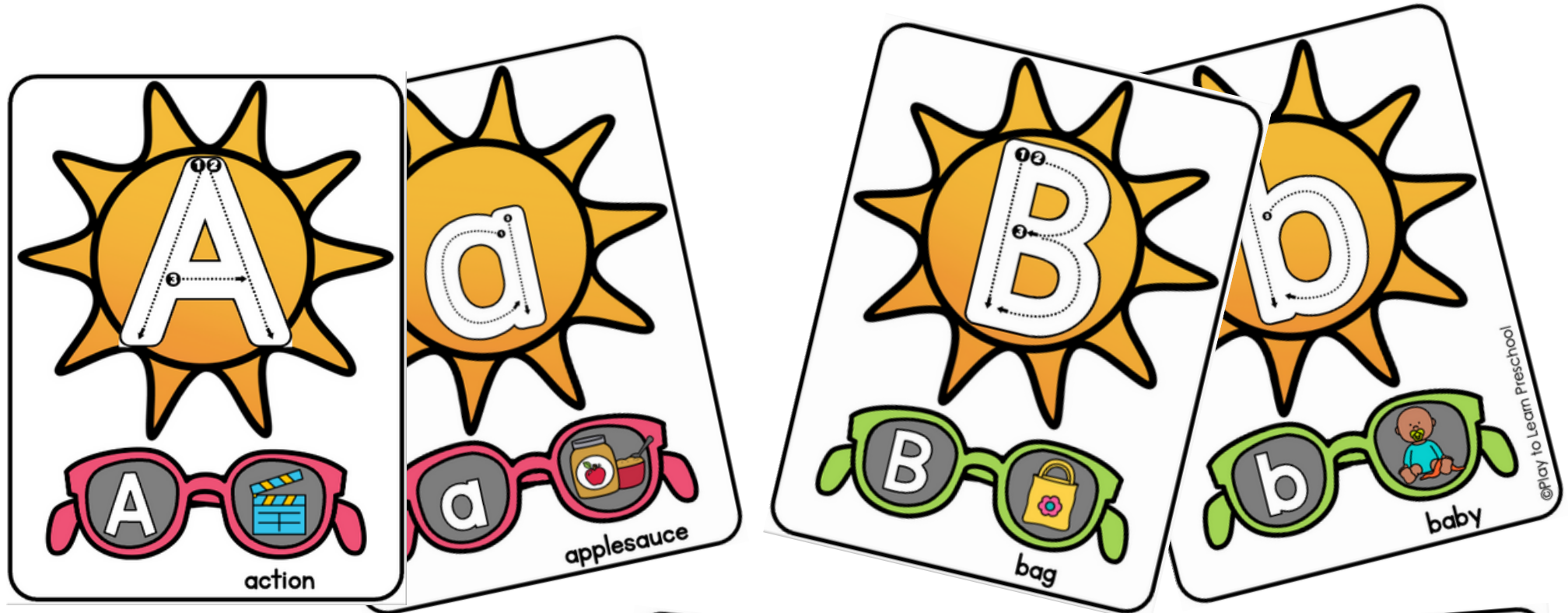
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