

# Alphabet Knowledge

AK1

Letter Names

## Letter Arc

Benchmarks: F.3b



### Objective

The child will gain speed and accuracy in letter recognition.



### Materials

- Uppercase Letter Arc (Activity Master) - *Copy of cardstock (enlarge 200 percent) and laminate.*
- Set of uppercase letters (e.g., plastic or foam)
- Extension: Uppercase Partial Letter Arc (Activity Master), Lowercase Letter Arc (Activity Master), Lowercase Partial Letter Arc (Activity Master), Set of lowercase letters (e.g., plastic or foam)



### Activity

After teacher introduction, children match letters of the alphabet to the letter arc.

1. Place the Letter Arc and set of letters on a flat surface.
2. The child chooses a letter, names it (e.g., "P"), and places it on the corresponding letter on the Letter Arc.
3. Take turns repeating the activity attempting to match all letters.
4. Self-check.



### Adaptations and Extensions

- Start with a few letters that have been learned. Work up to the full alphabet.
- Complete the other arcs (uppercase partial and lowercase arcs).
- Match lowercase letters to the uppercase arcs and uppercase letters to the lowercase arcs.

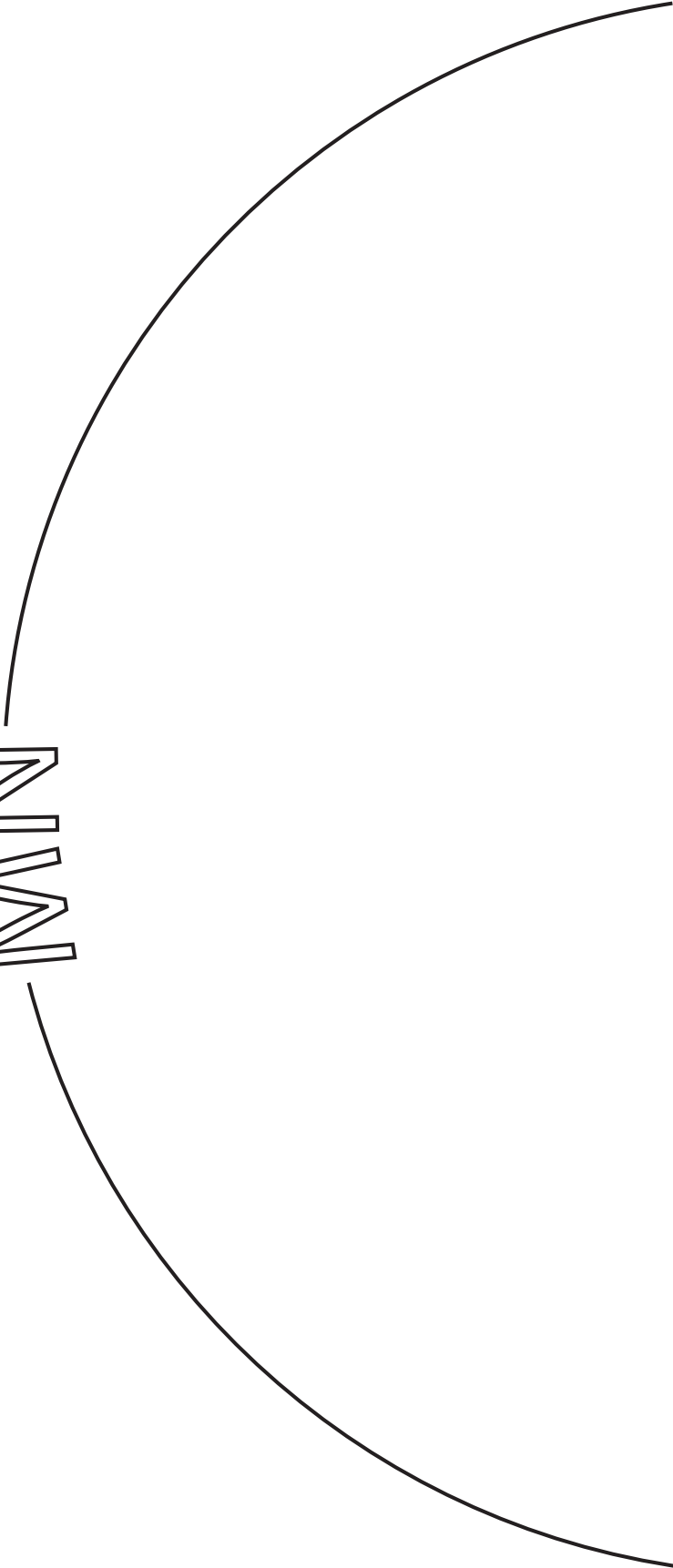


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