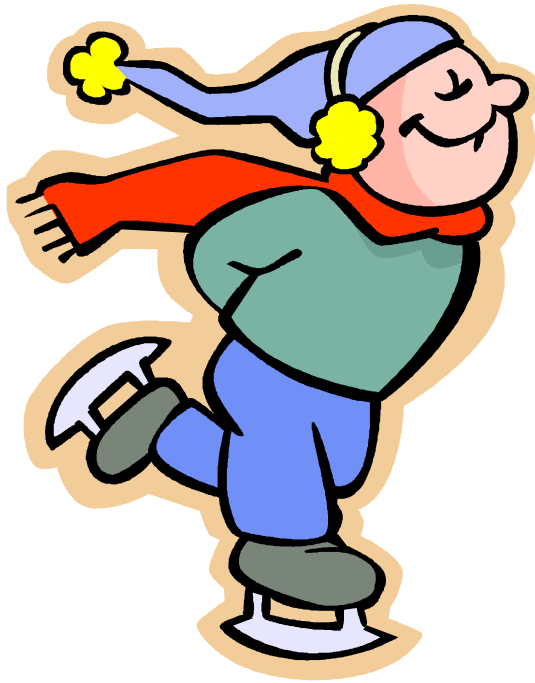




-ate Word Family List

ate

crate

date

fate

gate

grate

hate

late

mate

plate

rate

skate*

slate

state

calculate

create

debate

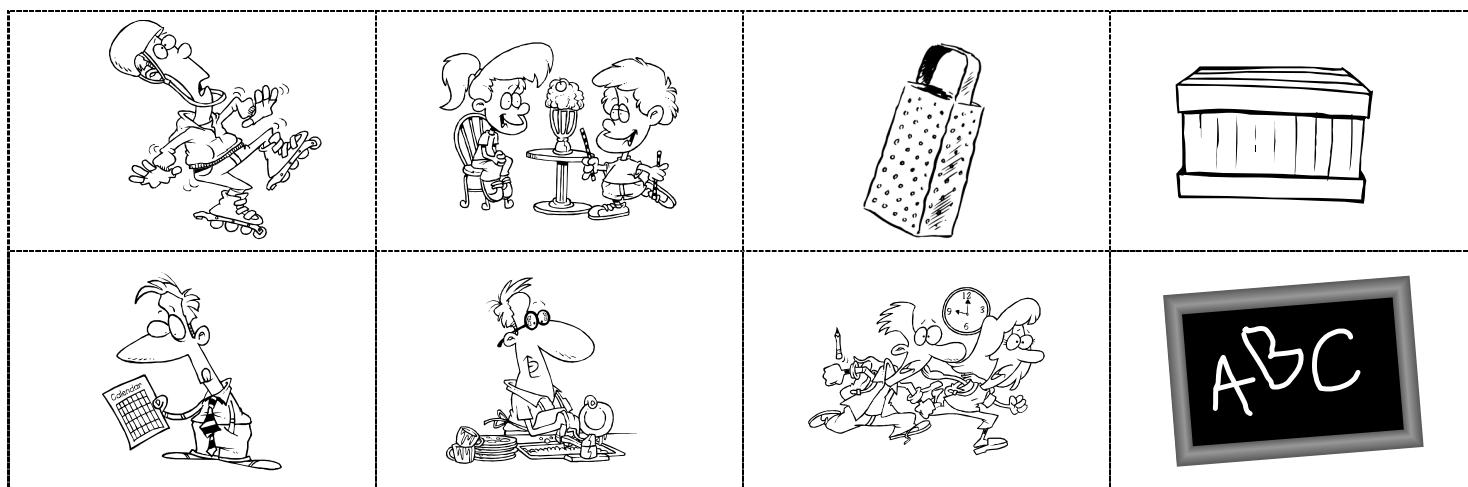
donate

Name _____



Cut and Paste: ate

skate		late	
date		crate	
plate		date	
slate		grate	



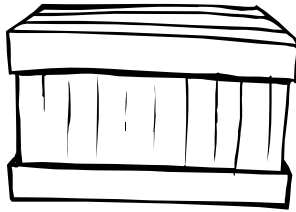
Name _____



Say the name of each picture. If the picture belongs in the -ate family and rhymes with **skate**, add -ate to finish writing the word.



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cr



sh



gr



sw



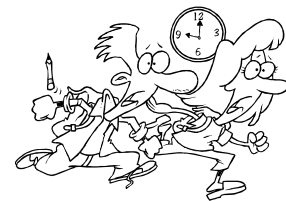
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tr



d



l

Name _____



Look at the picture in each box. Circle the word that matches the picture. Write the word on the lines.

1.



skate
show

2.



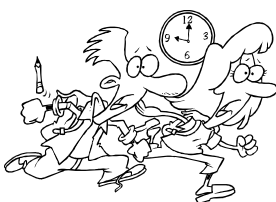
got
grate

3.



date
down

4.



little
late

5.



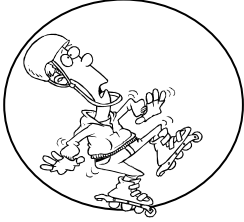
plate
plant

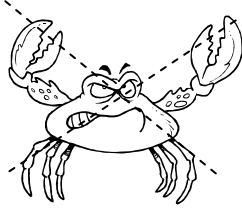
X's and O's

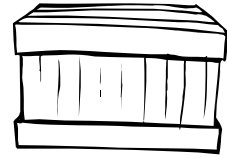


Directions for teacher/parent: Students circle each picture that ends with the *-ate* rime. They make an x on each picture that does not end with the *ate* rime.

More X's and O's







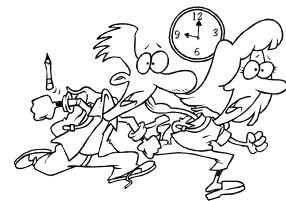












Directions to teacher/parent: Students circle each picture that ends with the *-ate* rime and write the word in the box. If the picture does not end with the *-ate* rime, students make an x over the picture.

Name _____



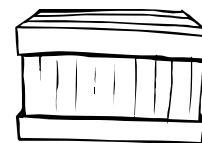
Say the name of each picture. Read the words and circle the word that names the picture. Write the word underneath the picture. Make a picture for the last word.



skate scat



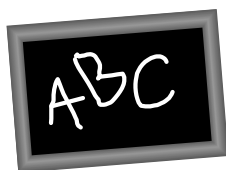
data date



create crate



great grate



slate slat



light late



date dart



plot plate

gate



Cloze the Gap: ate

Read the following sentences, saying the word "skate" when you come to a blank space. Use words from the -ate family to fill in the blanks and make sense. Reread your sentences to double check your choices! Some words might be used twice!

1. I can't believe I _____ the whole thing!
2. A _____ is a very sticky, chewy fruit.
3. Did you put your _____ in the dishwasher?
4. It's not good to be _____ to school.
5. Love is the opposite of _____.
6. Mom, may I _____ the cheese for the spaghetti?
7. Do you like to ice _____ or rollerblade?
8. Dad put up a _____ to keep the puppy in the yard.
9. "Be sure to tag the _____ for a homerun," said Coach.
10. My big sister had a _____ for the school dance.
11. Who did you _____ your story to, Nate?
12. Do all bears _____ in the winter?

Word Bank

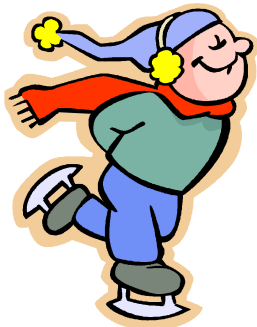
date
hate

ate
skate

grate
late

plate
gate

dedicate
hibernate



Alphabet Avenue

Place the words below in alphabetical order.

1.

7.

2.

8.

3.

9.

4.

10.

5.

11.

6.

12.

WORD BANK

hate
state

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late

Kate
crate

date
slate

skate
rate

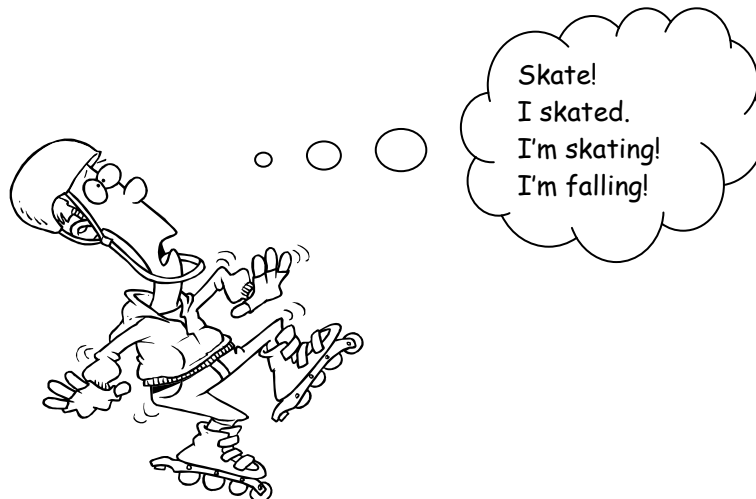
plate
gate

Suffix City: ate

Look at the root words on the left.

Use your magnetic letters to add *-s*, *-ed* and *-ing* to make new words. Drop the *e* before adding *-ed* and *-ing*. Write the new words in the boxes below.

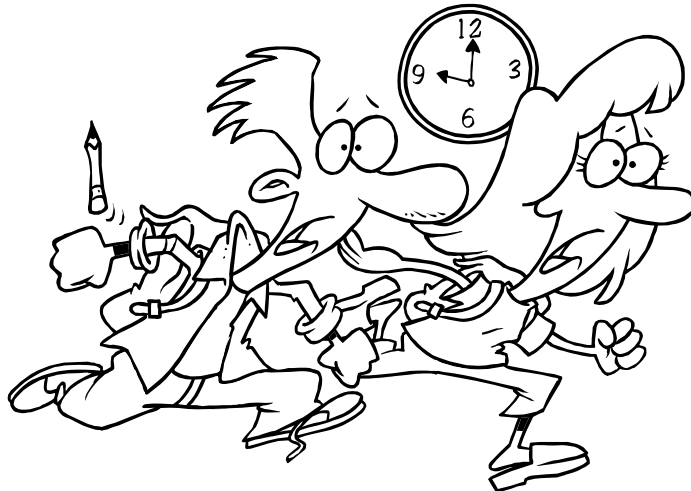
Root Word	-s	-ed	-ing
date			
grate			
hate			
skate	skates	skated	skating
rate			
state			
create			
crate			
donate			



Suffix City Cloze: ate

Use your Suffix City: ate worksheet to help you fill in the blanks below.
Read the finished sentences to make sure they sound right.

1. We went _____ on the ice at the pond.
2. Sometimes my sister says that she _____ her hair.
3. We had fun _____ the poster at school.
4. Mom wants help _____ cheese for the pizza.
5. Aunt Kate is _____ a baseball player.
6. My family _____ our car to charity last week.
7. The movers took all of the _____ to our new house.
8. The weatherman _____ that we'll have rain today.
9. Do you know the _____ for the PTA meetings?
10. My dad always _____ a mess when he cooks!
11. We drove through five _____ to get to Grandma's.
12. President Bush _____ broccoli and didn't eat any.



Name _____



ate See, Say, Spell and Write











gate

Name _____



ate Crossword Puzzle

[illegible]

Across

1. sounds like *great*
3. round, flat dish
5. the month, day, and year
7. to sleep all winter
9. one of a pair

Down

1. a door in a fence
2. past tense of *eat*
4. opposite of *early*
6. *California* is a . . .
7. opposite of *love*
8. to set a value on something

Word Bank

mate
date

gate
plate

state
late

hibernate
grate

rate
ate

hate

Definition Derby: ate



Read each -ate family word in the first column. Find the correct definition and write the matching letter next to the word (see sample). Write each word in a sentence.

Word		Sentence	Definition
1. ate	d	<i>We ate lunch inside our classrooms today because it was raining.</i>	a. the day, month and year; a meeting between two people
2. crate			b. tardy; not on time: opposite of early
3. date			c. to shred, as in cheese
4. gate			d. past tense of the word <i>eat</i> ; had a meal
5. grate			e. a fence opening
6. hate			f. to glide on shoes with runners or wheels
7. late			g. speed or tempo; grade or value
8. plate			h. a rock used to make chalkboards and walkways
9. rate			i. to say firmly; condition
10. skate			j. a wooden or plastic storage box
11. slate			k. dislike; the opposite of love
12. state			l. a flat dish or platter;

Score With Scrabble!

SCORE

C ₃	R ₁	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁			
D ₂	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁				
G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁			
S ₁	T ₁	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁			
C ₃	R ₁	E ₁	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁		
L ₁	O ₁	C ₃	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁		
M ₃	I ₁	G ₂	R ₁	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁	
P ₃	L ₁	A ₁	Y ₄	M ₃	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁
N ₁	A ₁	R ₁	R ₁	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁	
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T ₁	A ₁	I ₁	L ₁	G ₂	A ₁	T ₁	E ₁

ate Word Search



g	r	a	t	e	e	r	a	t	e
a	o	b	x	h	y	o	v	w	z
t	z	s	l	a	t	e	b	h	m
e	v	t	w	t	m	e	p	x	a
v	o	a	x	e	z	y	l	b	t
d	a	t	e	p	l	o	a	m	e
b	z	e	m	l	v	x	t	h	e
y	e	h	f	a	t	e	e	y	a
x	r	b	o	t	d	w	x	b	t
c	r	a	t	e	v	z	e	o	e

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Simple Sentences (ate)

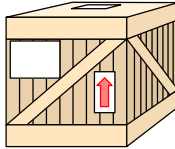
Word Bank
late
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date
crate
plate

Name _____

Read each sentence below, saying the -ate picture names as you read. Rewrite the sentence and change each picture to a word. Illustrate the sentences on the back of your paper.

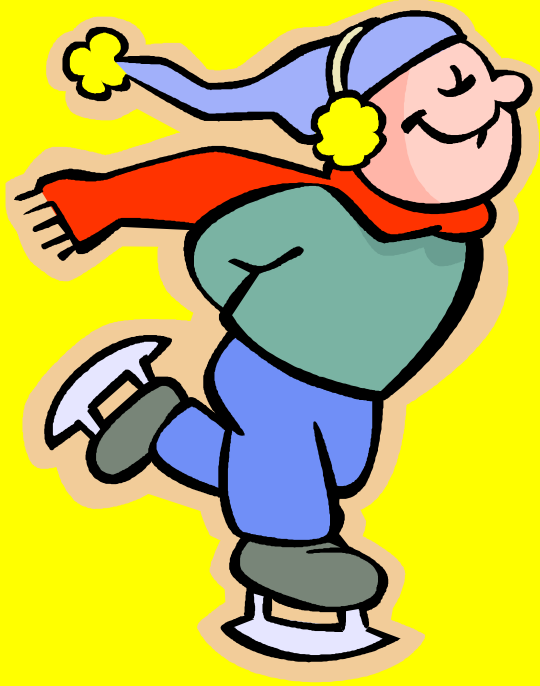
1. Do you have a  to  ?

2. Nate was  for his date with Kate!

3. Please pack the last  in the .

ate Family Word Slide

ate



ate Family Word Slide
(Sound Blending)

Print on vellum, cut, and laminate for durability. Cut the top and bottom slits to the left of the rime chunk for the slide. Model proper use for students: blending to form and say new words.

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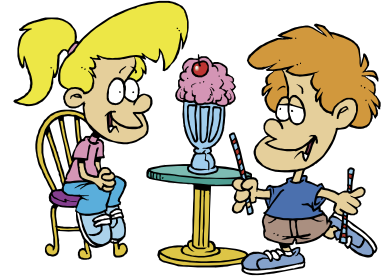
st



date



date



skate



late



plate



grate



-ate Word and Pictures for Sorts

-ate Pictures and Words



-ate Pictures and Words

skate

-ate Pictures and Words



-ate Pictures and Words

grate

-ate Pictures and Words



-ate Pictures and Words

plate

-ate Pictures and Words



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late

-ate Word and Pictures for Sorts

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ate

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-ate Pictures and Words

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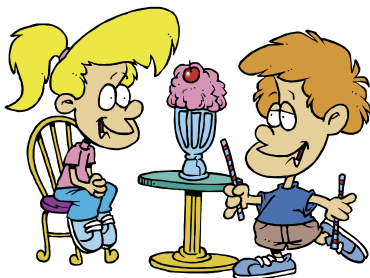
-ate Pictures and Words



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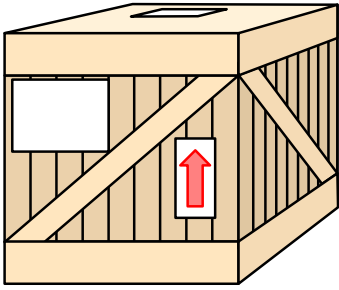
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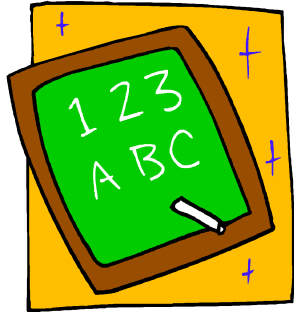
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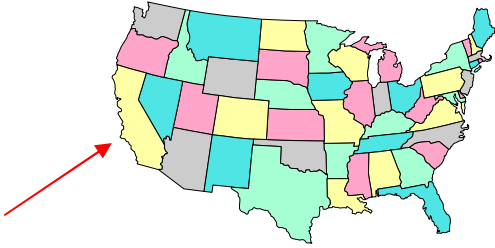


-ate Pictures and Words

slate

-ate Word and Pictures for Sorts

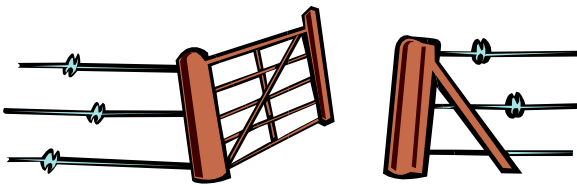
-ate Pictures and Words



state

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gate

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locate

-ate Pictures and Words

vacate

-ate Pictures and Words

translate

-ate Pictures and Words

educate

-ate Pictures and Words

celebrate

-ate Word and Pictures for Sorts

-ate Pictures and Words

decorate

-ate Pictures and Words

elevate

-ate Pictures and Words

estimate

-ate Pictures and Words

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duplicate

ate Partner Puzzle

Print the Partner Puzzle on vellum. Laminate for durability or print in gray scale for children to cut, color and glue.

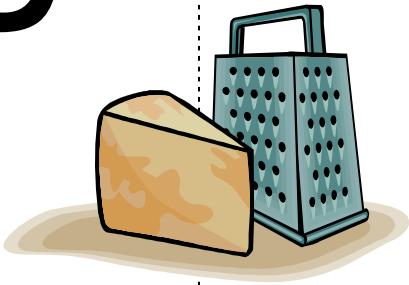
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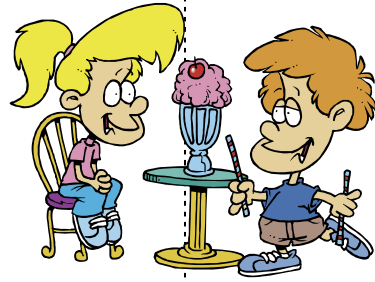
late



grate



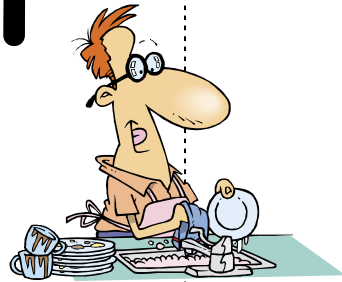
date



skate



plate





My ate Book



My ate Book



Word Family (-ate)

ate, crate, date, fate, gate, grate, hate, late,
plate, rate, skate, slate, state, classmate

Write sentences or a story with -ate words of your choice.

[illegible]

What's it Worth? (ate)

(cut, spell, glue)

			a 1	t 2	e 3	
						
						
						
						

a 1	a 1
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a 1	a 1
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t 2	t 2
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e 3	e 3
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-ate family

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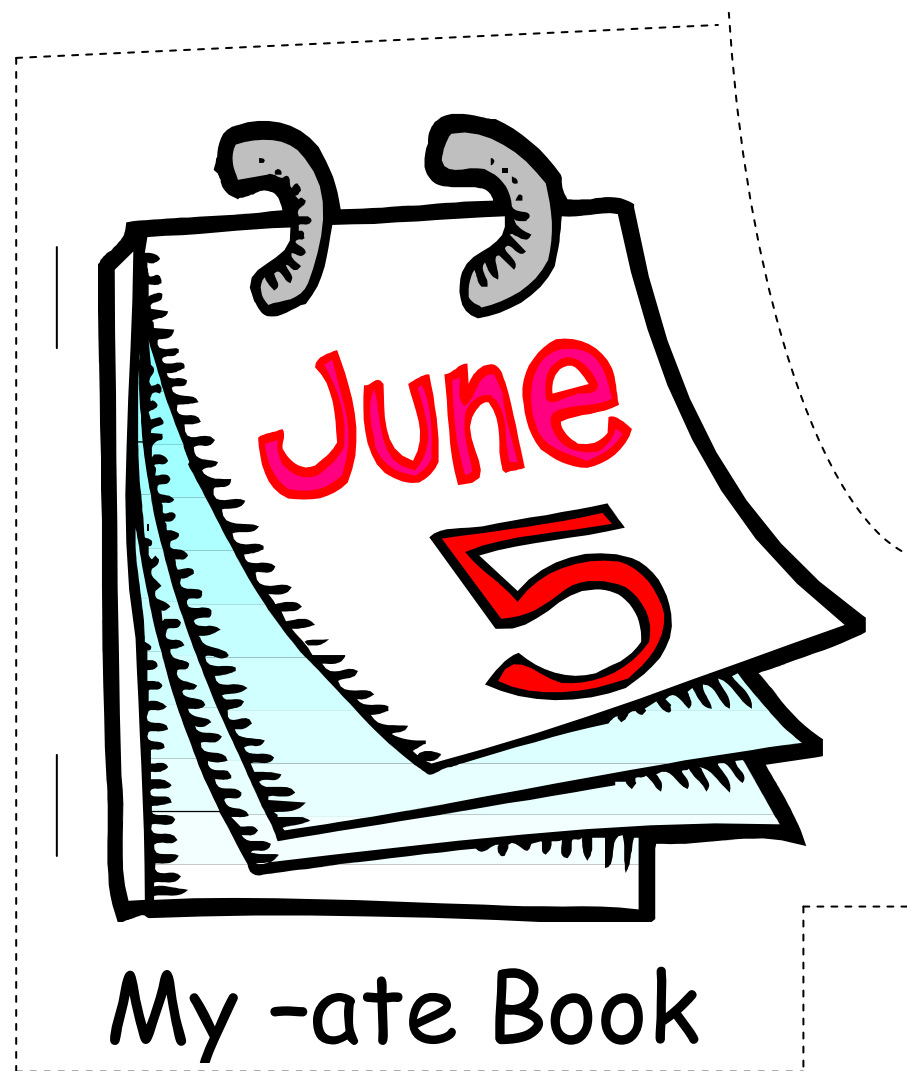
-ate family

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____ate ____ate



Reproduce enough shape book covers for each child in your group. Place several sheets of paper behind each cover. Cut out and staple on the left side of each book. Children draw and write pictures and words from the -ate family. Place in emergent reader book boxes to use as familiar reading. for fluency.