Colorful Letters
Literacy Skills / Alphabet Recognition

Materials
1. A familiar poem, story, or song
2. Upper-case and lower-case letter cards
3. Crayons or markers

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K.9, 1.5

Procedure
1. Pass out a copy of a poem, story, or song to every student.
2. Pick a child to select a letter card and to identify the letter name.
3. Tell the students, “We are going on a hunt to see how many times we can find this letter in our poem.”
4. Locate and circle the chosen letter throughout the selected passage.
5. Repeat this procedure until the children have selected several different letters.

Evaluation:
1. This activity reinforces upper-case and lower-case letter recognition, and the children love their colorful masterpieces.
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