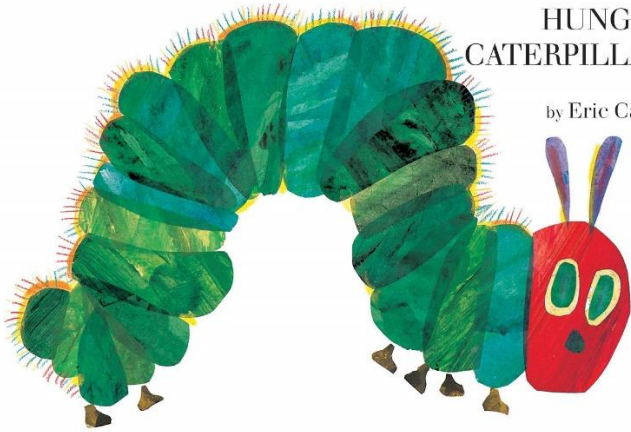


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THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR

by Eric Carle

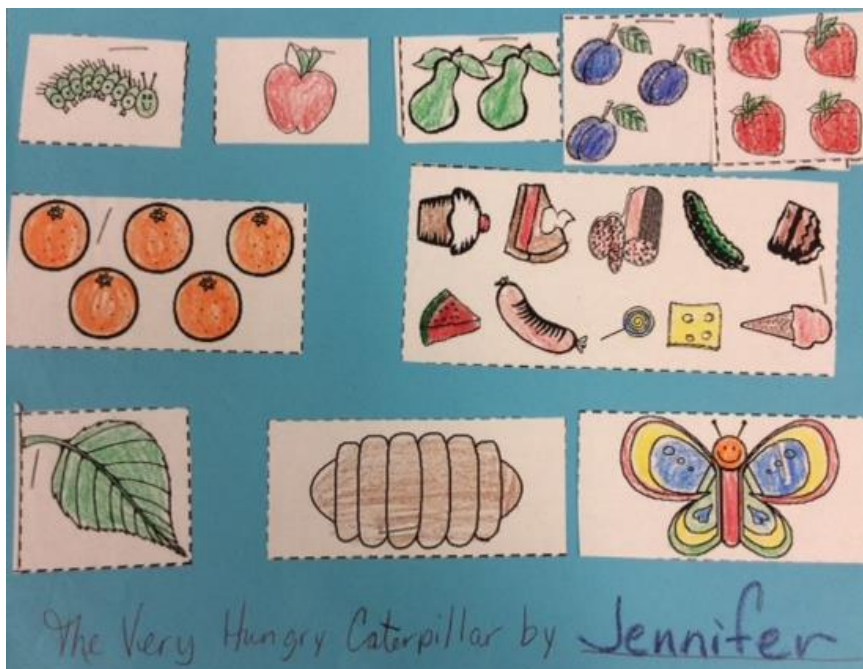


The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle. The story tells of a tiny caterpillar who pops out of his egg then eats his way through a week's worth of fruit, as well as a full-page display of sweet and savory treats, (resulting in a stomach-ache), before his eventual transition into a butterfly.

As you read the book with your child, talk about each of the foods – what is it, how many are there, what

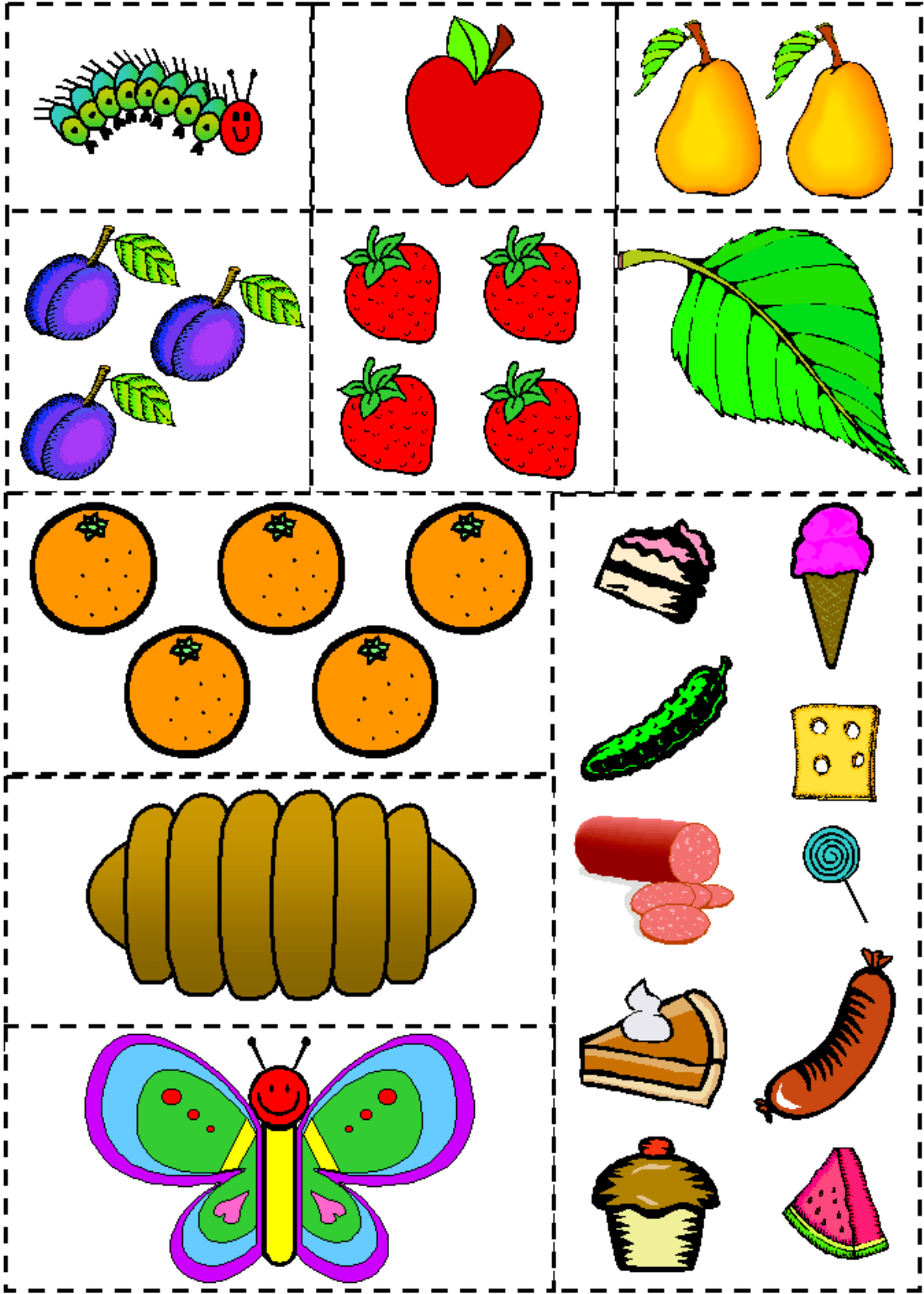
colors does he/she see, do they like that food, how does that food taste/smell/feel, etc. This is a great story to model different verb tenses such as *It is going to eat the strawberry* (or *It will eat the strawberry*), *It is eating the strawberry*, *It ate the strawberry*. Below are story picture cards that your child can cut out. Your child can use these pictures as sequencing cards to retell the story of the caterpillar and its journey.

Your child's finished project may look something like this... Enjoy!





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The Very Hungry Caterpillar sequencing cards