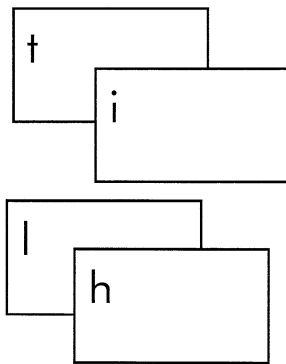
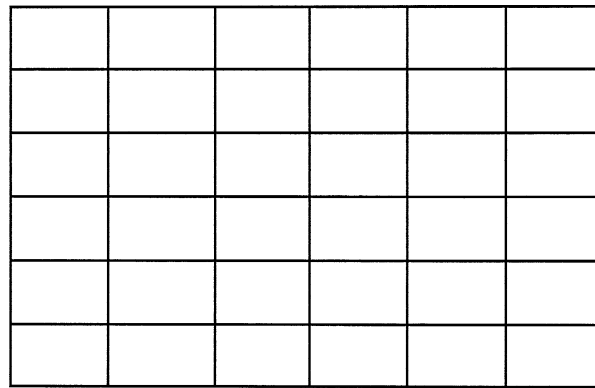


# Letter Lotto

**To prepare the activity:** Laminate all pages if desired for extra wear. Cut the letter cards apart. Each row of letters is printed in a different font. Store the pieces for each letter in a separate envelope or plastic bag. Label the envelopes. Store the envelopes in a box in alphabetical order. Remove the two blank grids from this book. Cut along the outside edges of the grids to make two large sheets. Tape the edges of the two sheets together, putting tape on the top of the seam and on the bottom, so that the pages can fold and unfold.



Set up envelopes for storing letters.



Join here with tape. ↴

**Letter Selection:** To play the game, the teacher should select several sets of letters that have been introduced. For example, if t, i, h, and l have been taught, get out all of the letter cards for those letters. There are six cards for each letter. If most of the letters have already been introduced, choose several of the most recent ones that have been studied. If needed, include some of the letters taught earlier that are still causing difficulty. For instance, you may want to select b and d as two of the letters to be used.

**Set up:** Shuffle the selected letters and place them face up (or face down) on the table.

**To do the activity:** The student takes one letter card at a time, gives the sound, and places it face up on the grid. As the letters are placed, they are sorted so that all of the same letters are placed in the same row. When a letter is first drawn, it is placed in any empty space in the first column of the table. When the same letter is drawn again, in a different font, it is placed in a row to the right of the first letter. Letters that are accidentally misplaced must go into the letter swamp. Play continues until all of the letters have been correctly placed. This activity can be done with just one student. If there are several students, they can take turns. The goal is to place all of the letters correctly.

t	t	t			
l					
i	i	i	i		
w	w				
n	n	n	n	n	

