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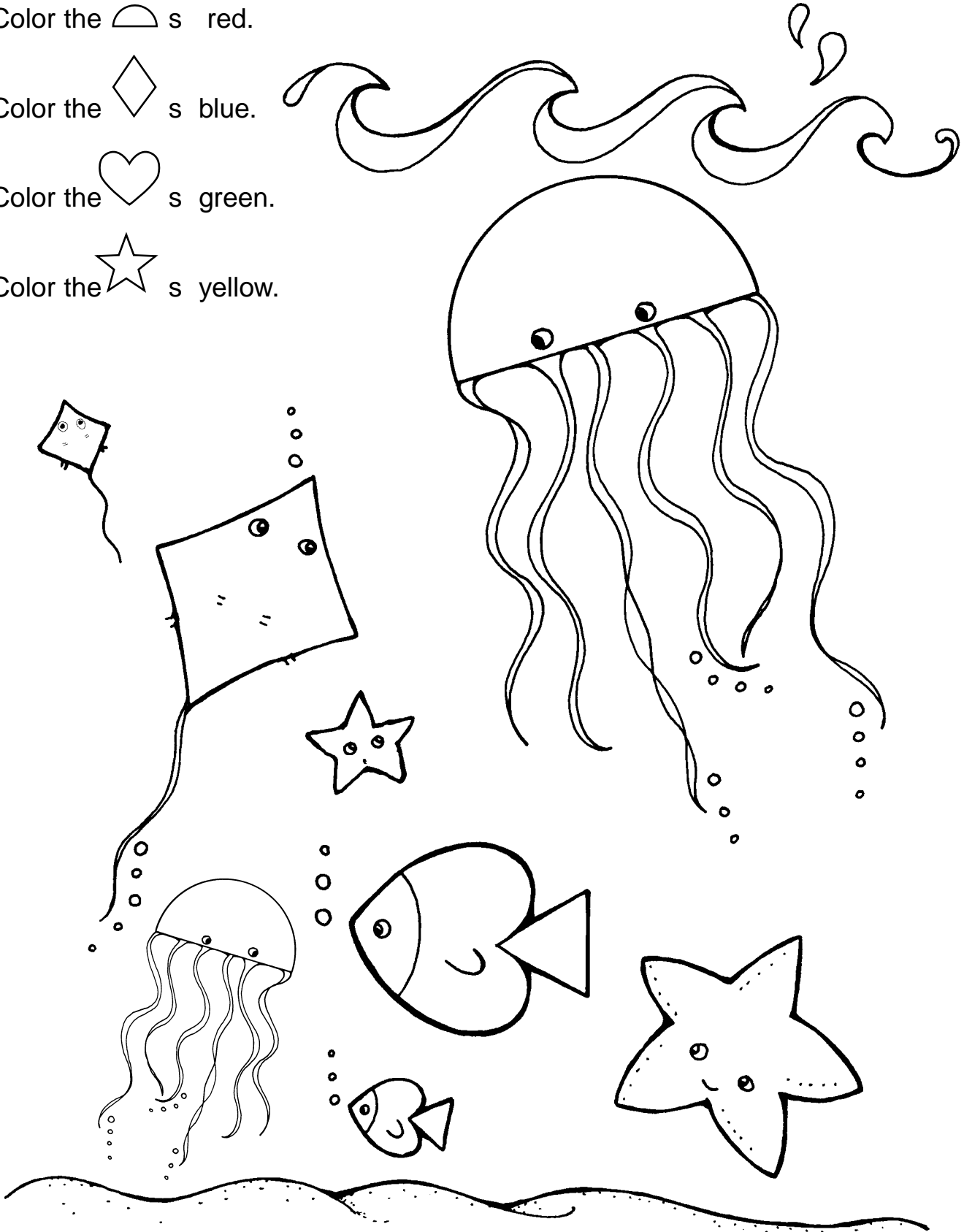
# Find the Sea Shapes

Color the  s red.

Color the  s blue.

Color the  s green.

Color the  s yellow.



# Shape Games

## Bean-Bag Shape Toss

This lively game will help reinforce your children’s shape-identification skills.

### Materials

- one large, old bedsheet or large sheet of bulletin-board paper
- black marker
- an assortment of bean bags

### Directions

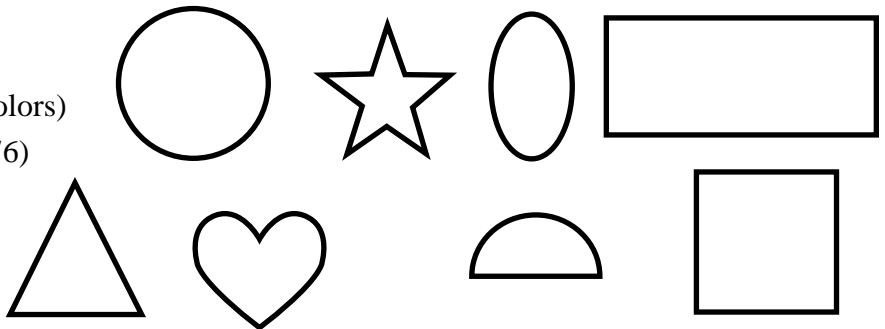
1. Draw several large shapes on the bed sheet/sheet of paper to make a “shape mat.”
2. To play, have each child, in turn, stand beside the shape mat holding a bean bag.
3. Call out a shape on the mat and have the child toss the bag onto that shape.
4. Continue in this manner until all your children have had the chance to participate.

## Hide and Seek Shapes

Your children will enjoy playing this game of hide and seek while practicing shape identification.

### Materials

- construction paper (assorted colors)
- shape patterns (pages 75 and 76)
- scissors
- pencil



### Directions

1. Reproduce the shape patterns; cut out. Trace the shape patterns onto different colors of construction paper. Cut out the shapes.
2. Hide the shapes around the classroom.
3. Let the children search for the hidden shapes.
4. As the children find the shapes, have them identify them as they show their discoveries to their classmates.

## Fishing for Shapes

Your children will enjoy fishing for shapes with this fun activity. Create a fishing pole by attaching a two-foot (61 cm) length of yarn or string to the end of a yard stick or dowel rod. Tie a small magnet to the end of the string. Attach a paper clip to each of several shape cut-outs. To play, a child fishes for a shape using the fishing pole and tells the name of the shape “caught.”