

squirrel & acorns

SHAPE MATCH

8 2D shapes in real life





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INTRODUCTION

Help your students explore and identify shapes in the world around them with the Squirrel and Acorn Shape Matching activity! This engaging resource uses real-life objects to make shape recognition both interactive and fun.

What's Included:

- **8 squirrel shape cards:** Each squirrel displays a different shape.
- **16 acorn cards:** Two acorns per shape, each showing pictures of everyday objects that match the shape.

How to Use:

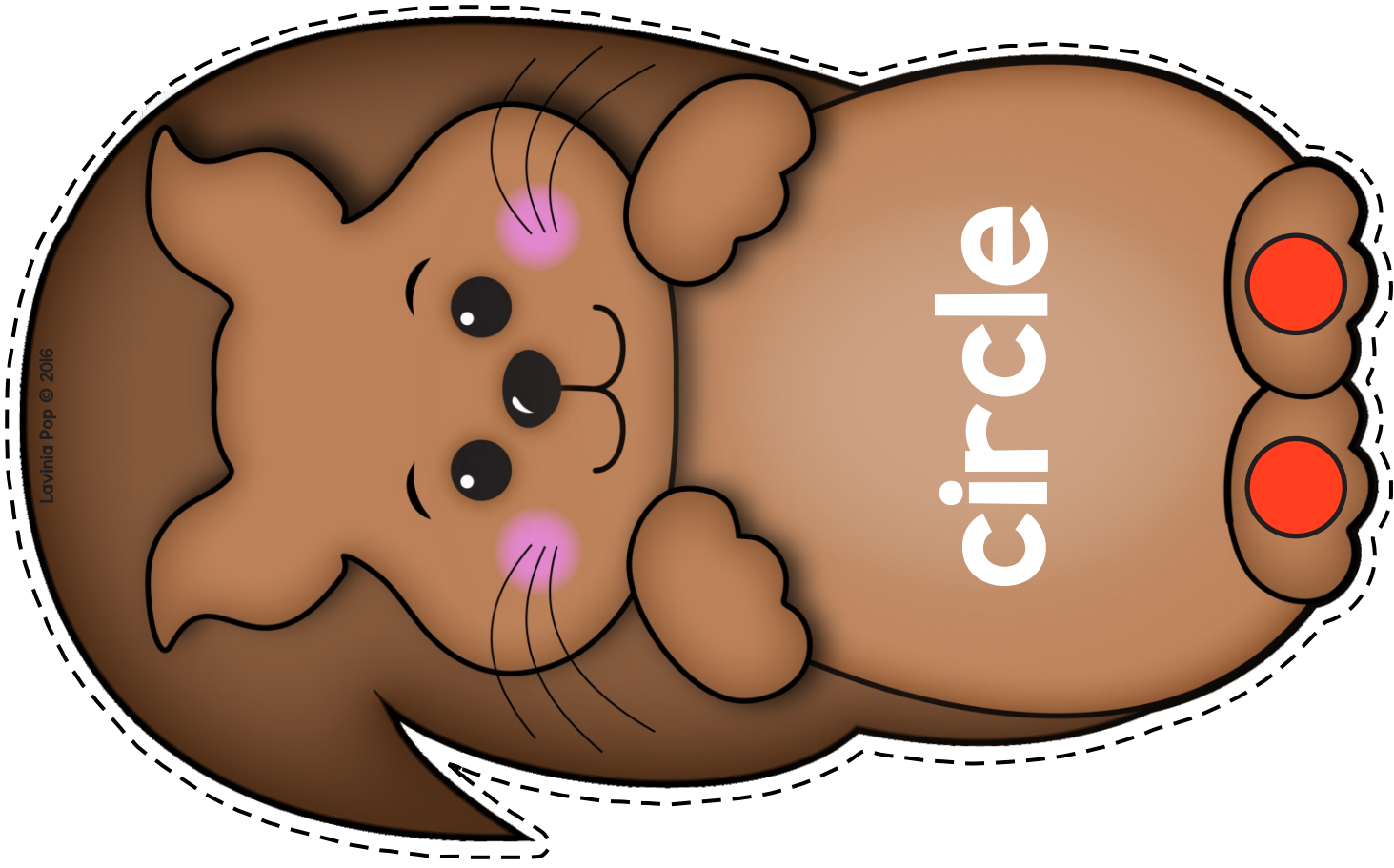
- **Setup:** Print, laminate, and cut out the squirrel and acorn cards for durability.
- **Activity:** Children will match the acorns, featuring images of real-life objects, to the corresponding squirrel shape card.
- **Real-life object extension:** To extend the activity, invite students to gather physical items from around the classroom or home that match the shapes and sort them according to the squirrel cards.

Educational Benefits:

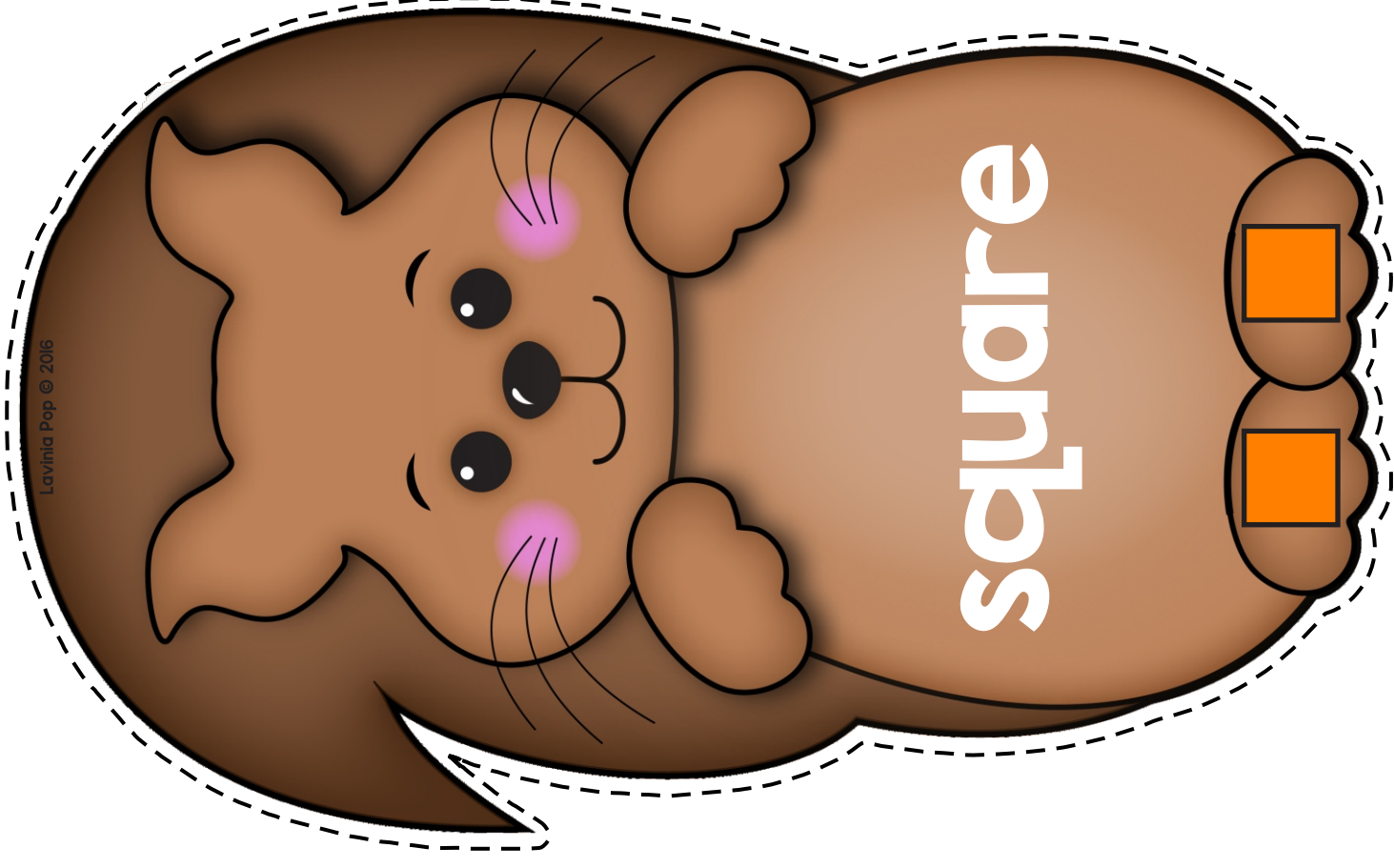
- **Shape recognition:** Strengthens understanding of common shapes through real-world examples.
- **Sorting skills:** Enhances categorization and sorting abilities as children group shapes by attributes.
- **Hands-on learning:** Encourages active participation and boosts engagement with the tactile matching of shapes.

Perfect for math centers, shape review, or individual practice, this shape-matching activity brings a fun, educational twist to learning about geometry and shapes!

Happy Teaching :)



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