

Fun With Apples

We will have lots of “Fun With Apples” today. The children will have fun making Torn Paper Apples during art time. They will also play a game of Red Apple, Green Apple. As a group they will chart everyone’s favorite apples.



● Day Three

Cognitive & Language

Sign Language: Pie

Materials Included:

Sign Language Sheet for Child Notebook, Pg. 21

Pie: Pull the little-finger edge of the right flat hand across the palm of the left flat hand twice. Use a different angle second time.

Print the Sign Language Sheet for Child Notebook and place one in each child's binder.

Show the children how to perform the sign language and allow them to practice it over and over again.

Library & Books

"A" Was Once An Apple Pie by Edward Lear and Suse

Mouse and Apple by Stephen Butler and Stephen J. Butler

A Apple Pie by Gennady Spirin

Field Trip Idea

If you have an Apple Orchard nearby visit it this week.

Torn Paper Apple

Materials Included:

Apple Pattern, Pg. 22

Materials Needed:

Yellow, Green or Red Tissue Paper
Glue

Invite the children to tear their tissue paper into small pieces and then glue them onto their apple.

Sensory & Art

Exploration & Discovery

Charting Apples

Materials Included:
Apple Chart, Pg. 23

Materials Needed:
Variety of Red, Green and Yellow Apples

Cut the apples into wedges and give the children each a red, green and yellow apple to taste then ask them which one they like best. Chart the results on the Apple chart.

Music/Movement

Apples Fingerplay

Materials Included:
Finger Play Sheet, Pg. 24

Apples here (point to yourself)
Apples there (point away)
Apples are growing everywhere (hands form a circle...the world)
Some are high (point up)
Some are low (point down)
You will see apples wherever you go (point to eyes)
Apples on the left (extend left arm)
Apples on the right (extend right arm)
You will see (point to eyes again)
Both day and night (Hands together and head down on them)

Small & Large Muscle

Red Apple, Green Apple

Materials Included:
Red Apple, Pg. 25
Green Apple, Pg. 26

Materials Needed:
Tape

Print enough Red & Green apples to have one per child, with as close to an even number of each in your class. Ex. If you have 11 children print 6 red and 5 green.

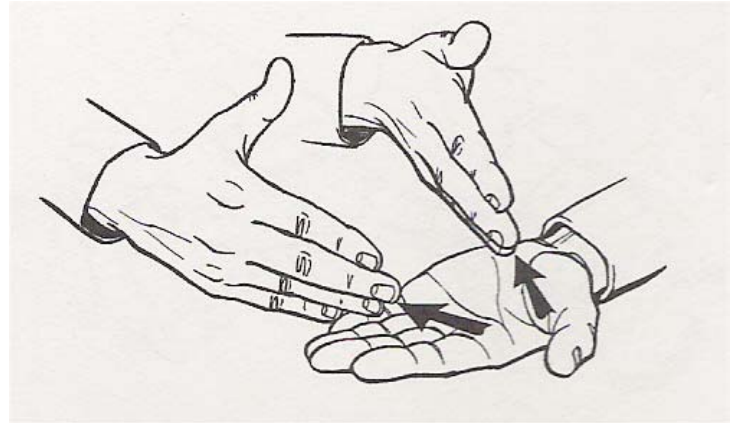
Tape an apple on each child's chest. Play this game by telling all of the Red apples to run to the other side of the room or yard. Then tell the green apples to jump up and down. Continue with several different actions until the child loose interest.

Show & Tell Today!

Sign Language Sheet

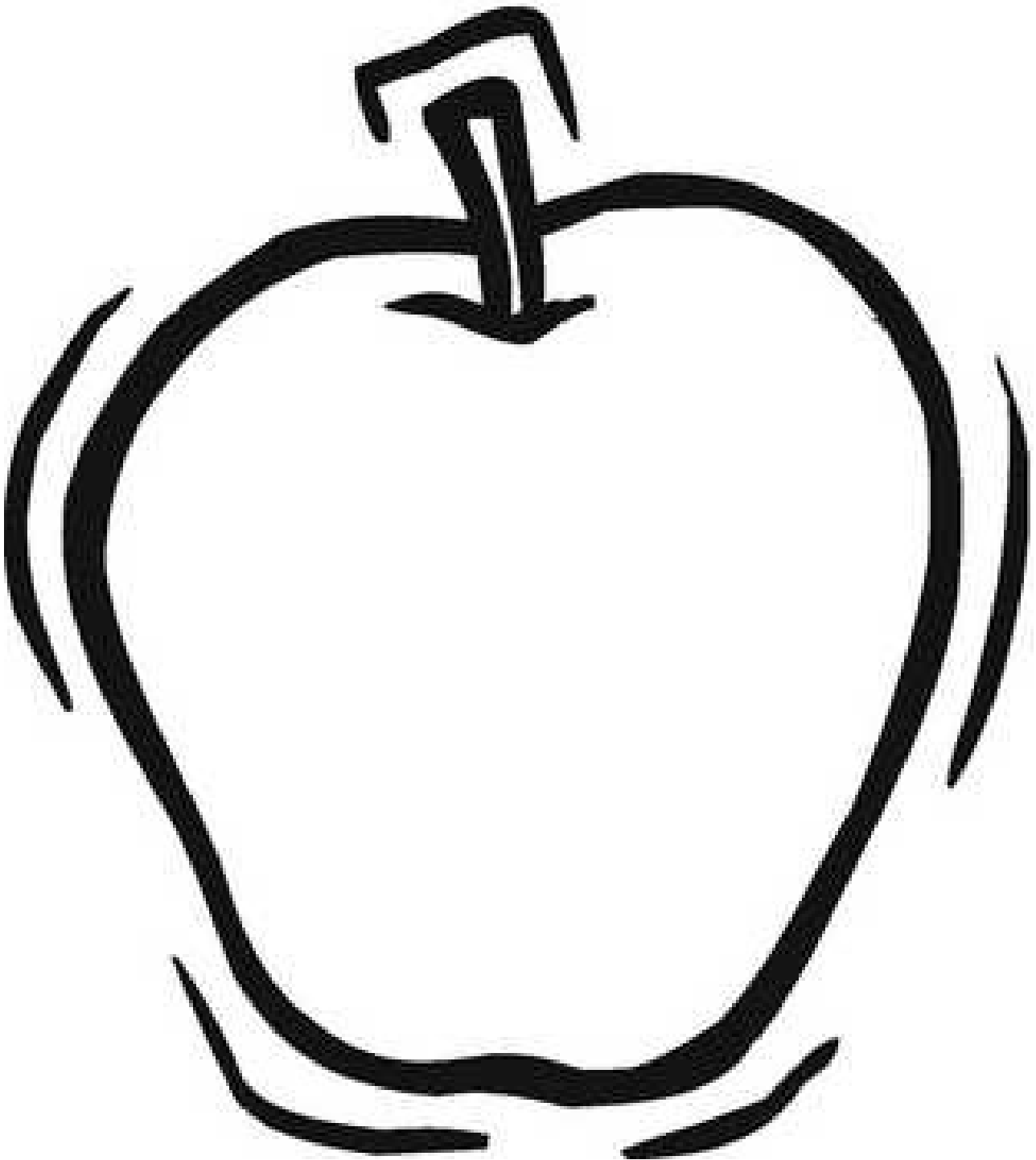
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Pie

Apple Pattern



Apple Chart

Fingerplay Sheet - Apples



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Apples there (point away)

Apples are growing everywhere
(hands form a circle...the world)

Some are high (point up)

Some are low (point down)

You will see apples wherever you go
(point to eyes)

Apples on the left (extend left arm)

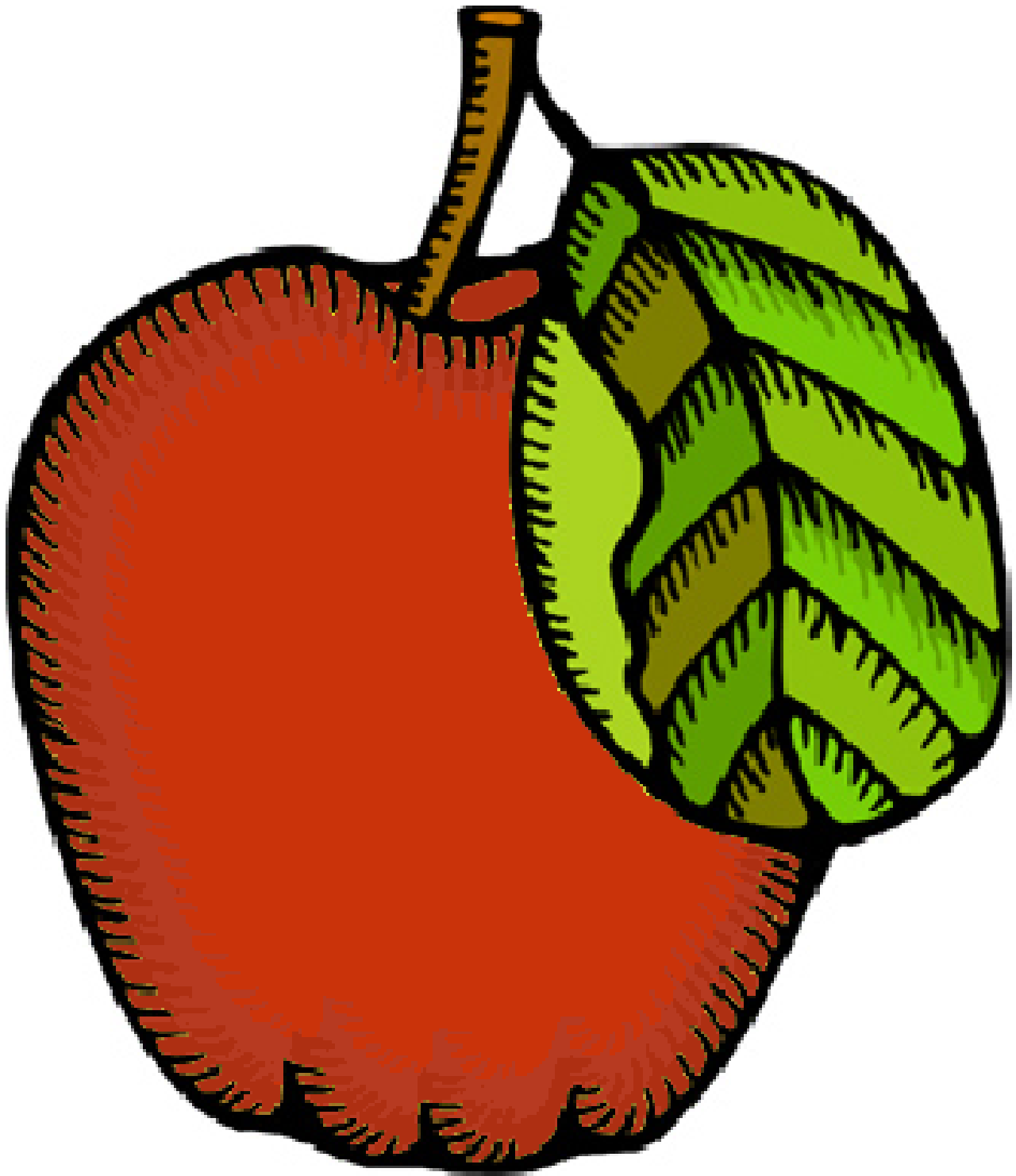
Apples on the right (extend right
arm)

You will see (point to eyes again)

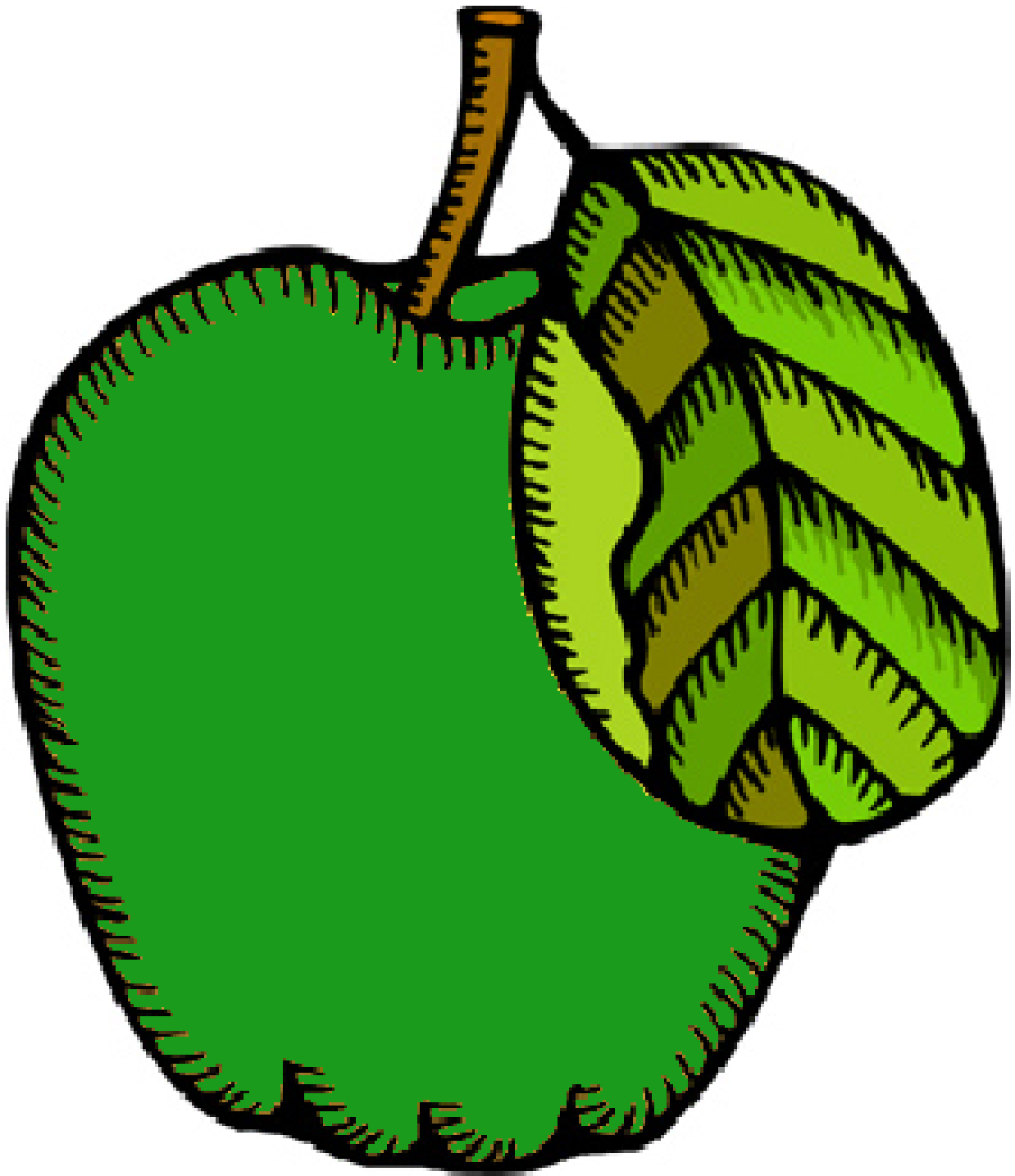
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Red Apple



Green Apple



A-peel-ing Apples

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