

VOWEL CROSSES

LEVEL: grade 1 and up

SKILLS: spelling simple 3 letter words

PLAYERS: 2

EQUIPMENT: one thirty-sided alphabet die, one gameboard per player (see black line master), letter tiles (if available) or pencil.

GOAL: to fill in the gameboard with as many correctly spelled words as possible.

GETTING STARTED:

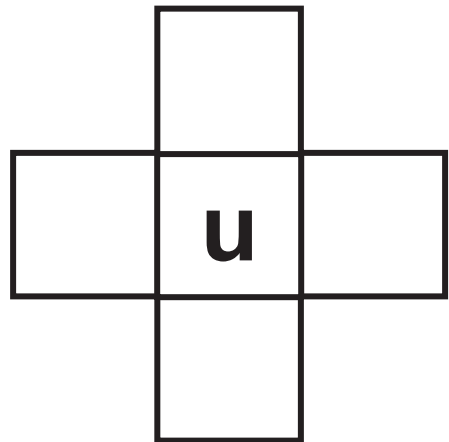
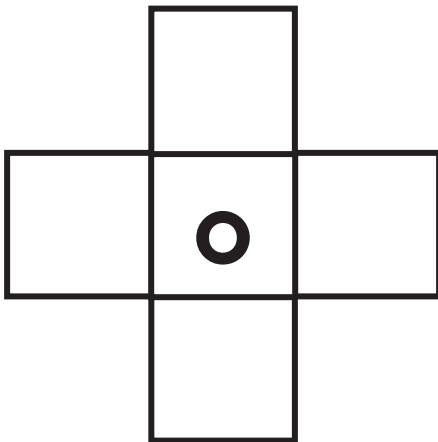
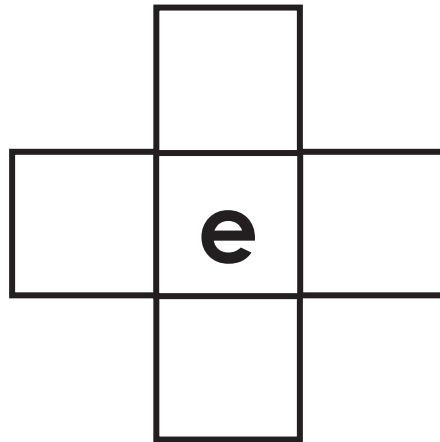
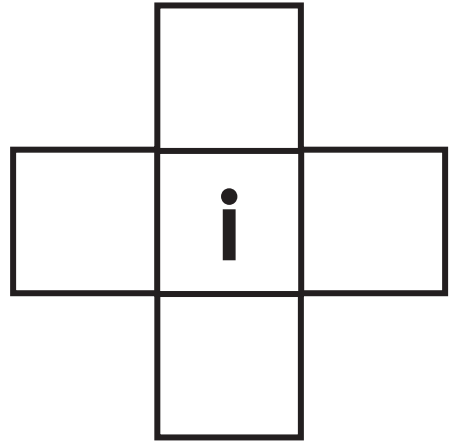
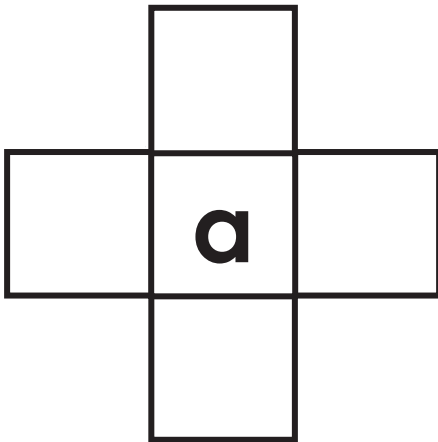
Players alternate rolling the die and calling the letters out loud. If a player rolls a ☆ they may choose a letter of their choice.

A total of thirty rolls will be taken during the game. Throughout the rolling, players may place the letters into any space on their gameboard. Any roll may be rejected by either player and placed into the reject spaces. Once a letter is placed into any space, it cannot be moved or changed. After thirty rolls are completed, players count up the number of correctly spelled three-letter words. The player with the most correctly spelled words is the winner

VARIATION:

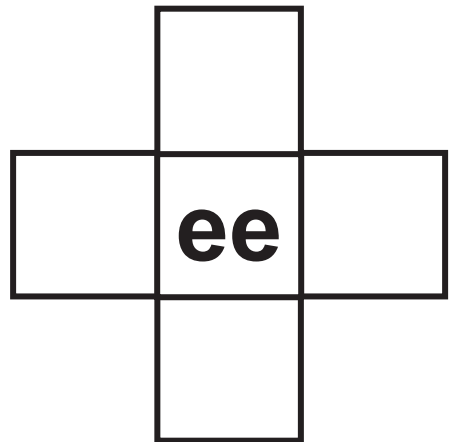
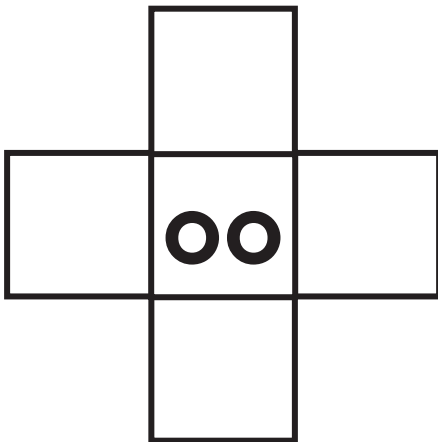
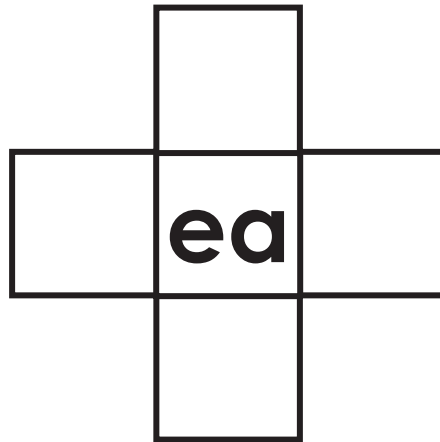
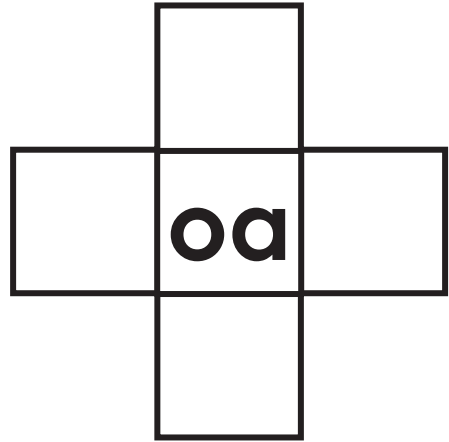
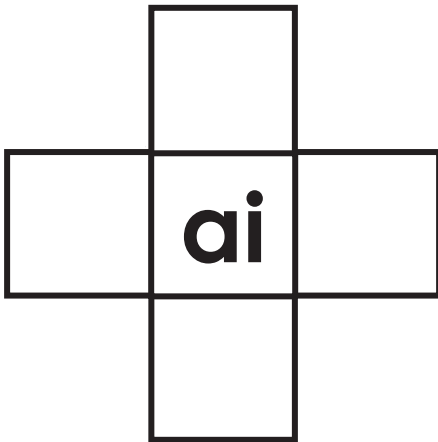
To increase the difficulty, players may alter the gameboard to include various double vowel combinations (see p.18 for a blank board).

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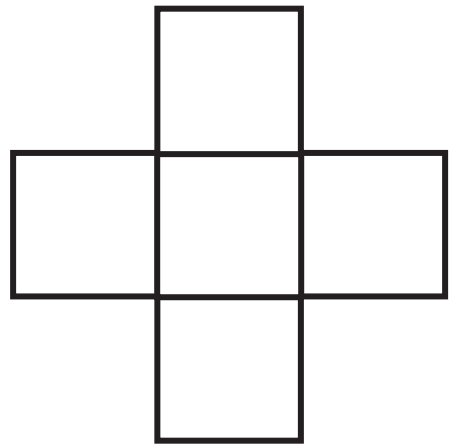
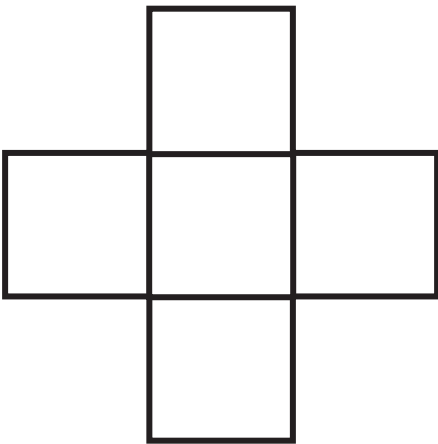
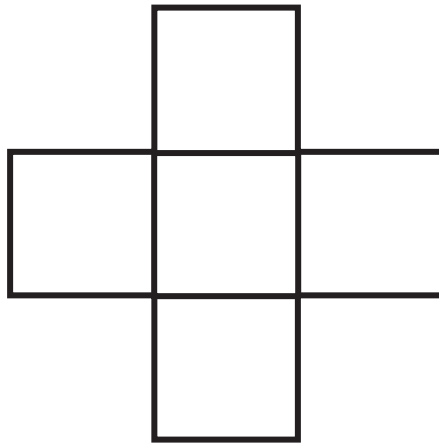
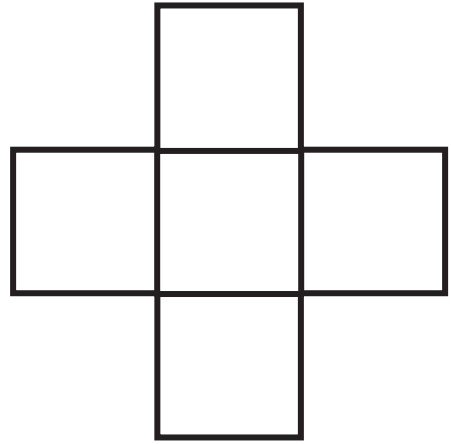
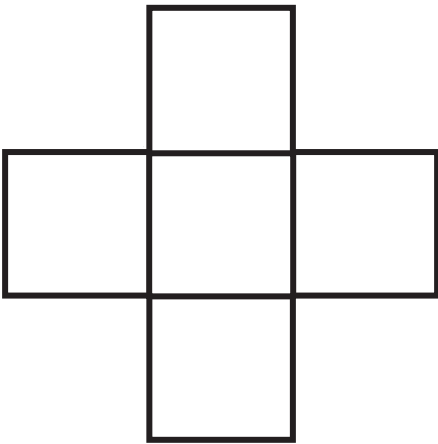
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