

Book title: Frederick

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Supplies for activities needed:

- Wide popsicle sticks
- Markers
- A paper cup to decorate
- Pipe cleaners
- Timer (optional)

Activity Name: Collecting Sounds of Grain

- School Readiness Outcomes (SRO) goals met:
 - Identifying sounds in words
- Instructions
 1. Get your supplies ready.
 - a. Take your popsicle sticks and color them different colors, we're going to pretend these are some different types of grain.
 2. Next, decorate your paper cup to look like a granary, like was mentioned in the story "Frederick".



3. Get out your pipe cleaners, these are going to be pieces of grain too.
4. Spread all of your grain out in a small area in front of you, with the granary (decorated cup) in the middle.

5. Now, you're going to pretend to be Frederick and his family, collecting grain for the winter. To be able to collect the grain, you have to say what color each piece is. Once you say what color it is out loud, you can put it in the cup.
6. When you think you're getting really good at naming the colors of each piece of grain, instead of saying the color, say what sound the word starts with.
7. When you've mastered the sounds of the letters, move on to What letter makes that sound. Feel free to switch around steps 6 and 7 if you're better with letters than you are sounds. S

