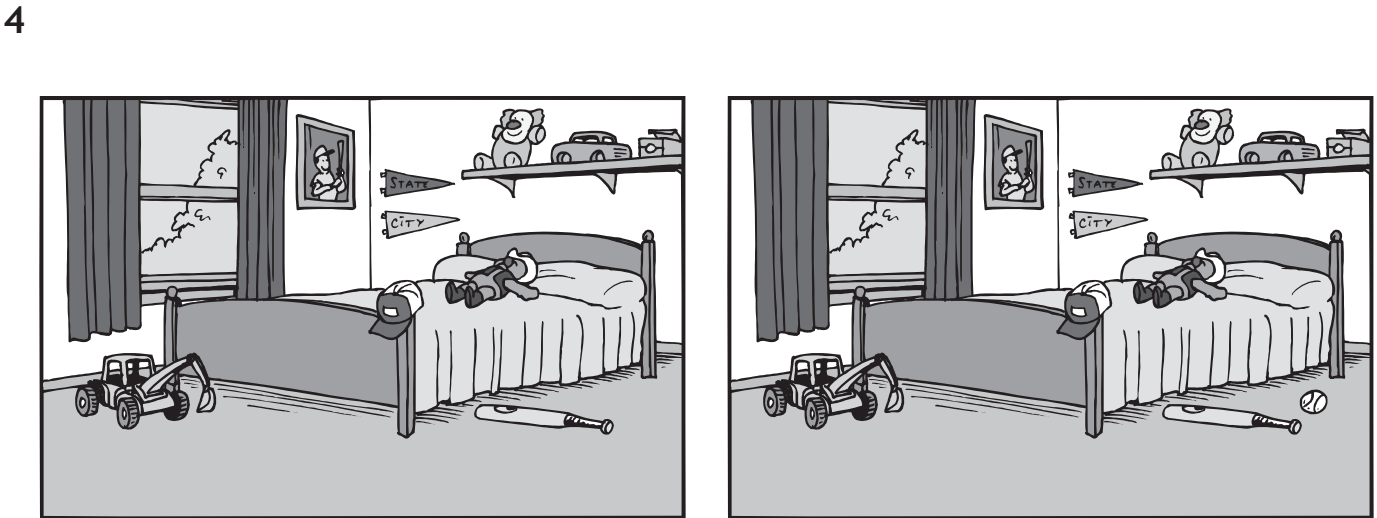
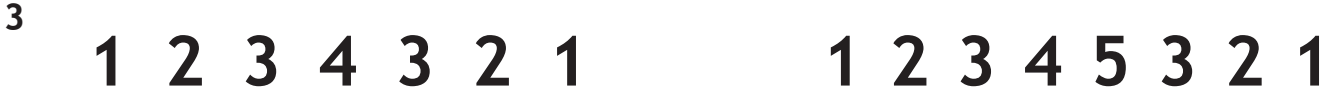




For Teachers: Detective Sense! Station Set-Up

Seeing Station

Make 6 or more copies of the two-columned pictures. It may be helpful to keep these copies in sheet protectors. *Three pairs of students can visit this station at the same time.*





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Hearing Station

In 5 small containers, place a marble, a paper clip, rice, water, and sand. The containers should not be transparent (35 mm plastic dark film containers work well) and should be sealed and labeled.

Two pairs of students should be able to work at this station at the same time.

Smelling Station

You will need 4 small containers (glass baby food jars work well), cotton balls, water, vinegar, orange juice or extract, and vanilla extract (or other fragrant materials like cloves, cinnamon, garlic, pickle juice, and so on). Place 1 or 2 cotton balls in each jar, and then add some fragrance, so that the cotton ball is damp. Close the lids tightly. Label each container.

NOTE: If you don't want students to open the containers, you can punch 3 or 4 holes into the lids and then seal the containers with tape. Otherwise, remind the students to close each jar carefully when they are finished.

Two pairs of students should be able to work at this station at the same time.

Tasting Station

You will need 3 different, small tasting samples. Plan to have enough for each student to taste each sample. Food choices may include saltine crackers, lemon drops, or peppermint. Try to vary the flavors involved.

NOTE: Before setting up this station, please make sure no students have allergies to the samples. This can be a good time to remind students that they shouldn't normally taste things if they don't know what they are, especially if no adults are present.

Two pairs of students should be able to work at this station at the same time. Remind students that they only get to try each sample once!

Touch Station

You will need 4 brown paper bags and a variety of materials for students to feel. These materials may include pipe cleaners, sand paper, silk and/or velvet cloth samples, pom poms, feathers, plastic straws, modeling clay, and so on. Place one material in each bag. Label each bag.

Two pairs of students should be able to work at this station at the same time.