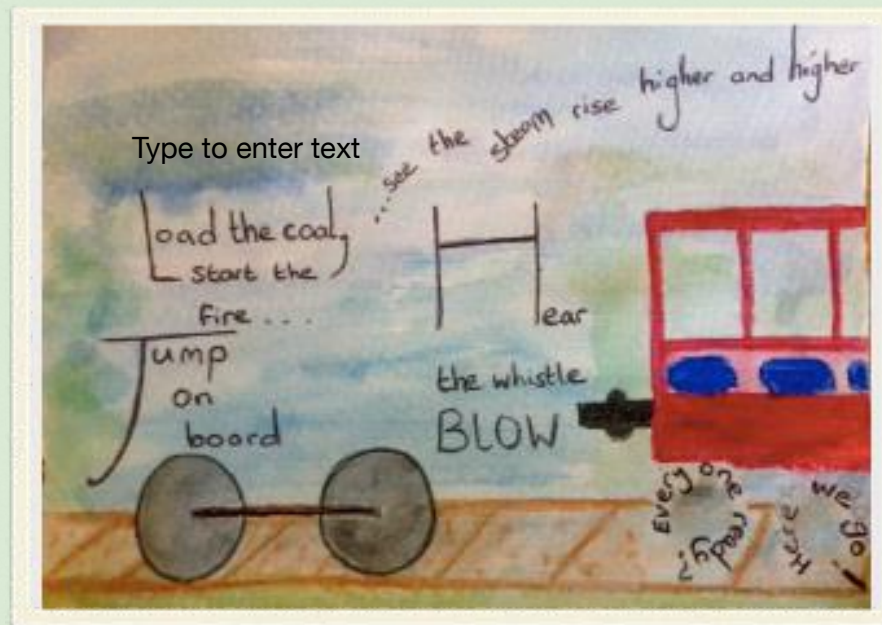


What is a Shape Poem?

A Shape Poem is a type of poem that is the same shape as the object it is describing. Sometimes they are whole poems like this one.

What do you think this Shape Poem is describing?



a car



a steam engine



a boat



a rocket



Sometimes they can be single words like this,

tunnel

tunnel

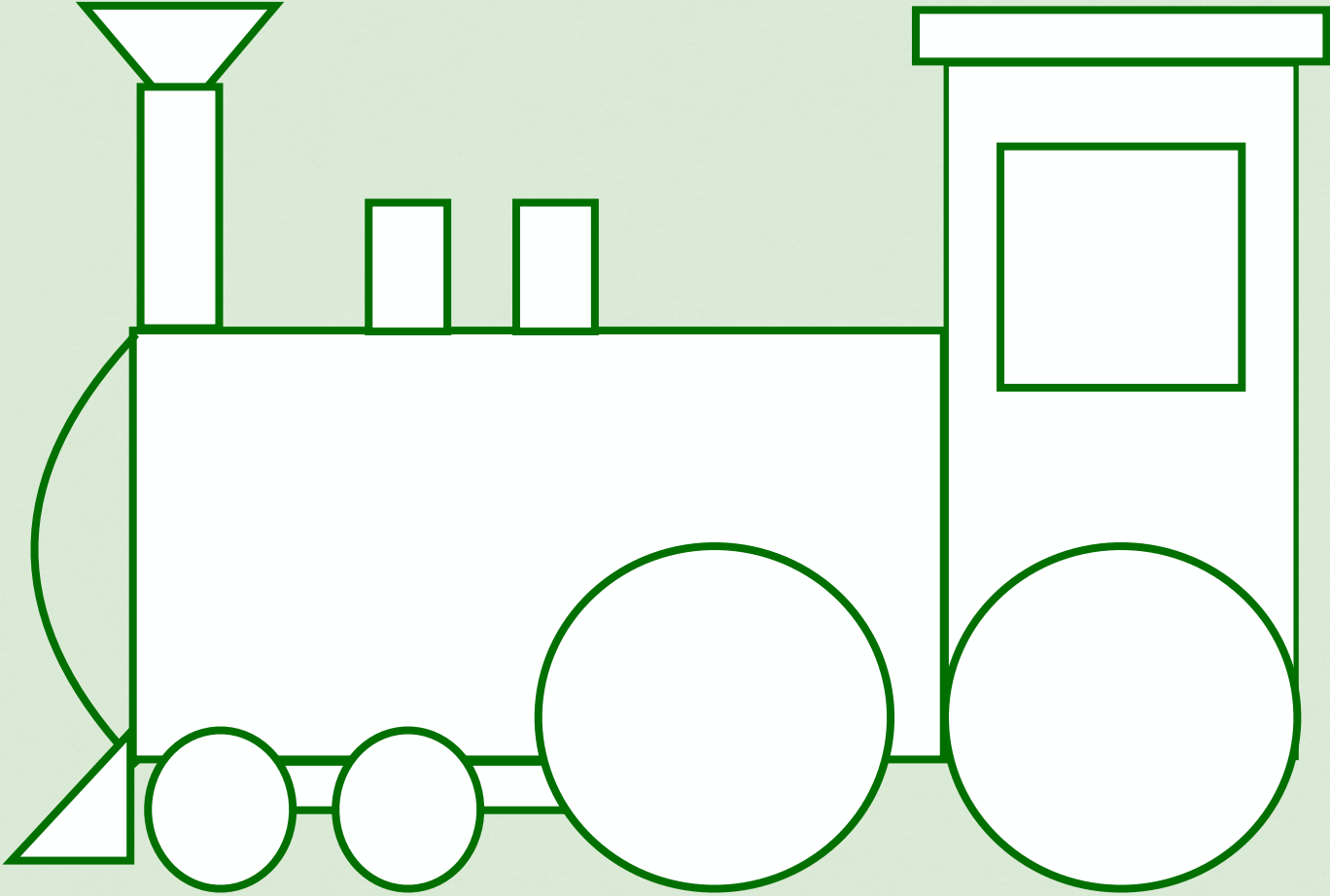
They are called calligrams.
They are written in the same
shape as the words they
describe.

Can you think of ways to make
these words into calligrams?

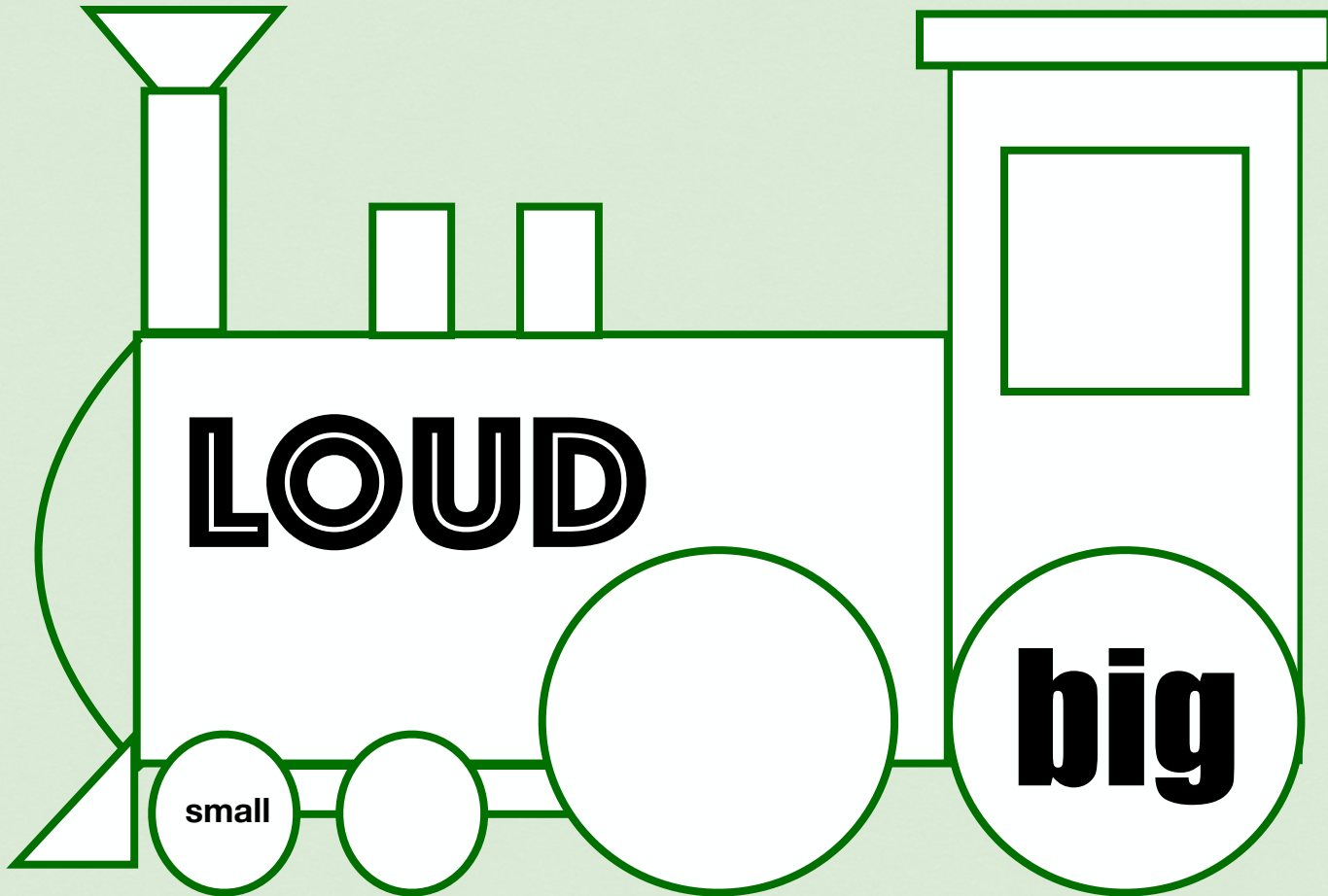
big	
small	
fluffy	
loud	
bridge	

Choose some of these words to make your own shape poem. Can you think of any more words to add?





fluffy



Clickety clack

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My Shape Train

