

Special Ed

THE PIGEON
HAS TO GO
TO SCHOOL



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LITERACY UNIT



Special Needs for Special Kids

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These literacy units are something I created and started using in my classroom. I had students with significant challenges and most were **non-readers**. This is a great way to expose all students to some great books.

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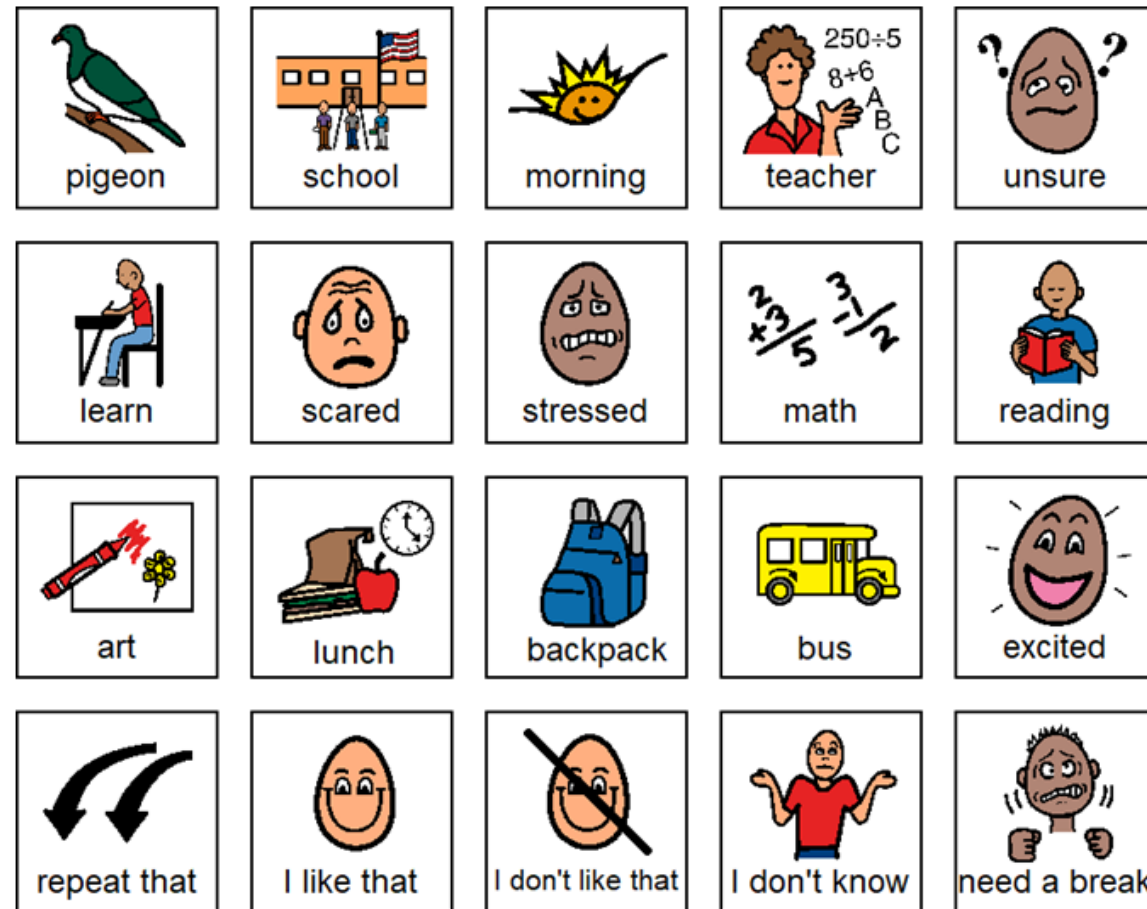
This unit has 5 activities to go with this book to last a full week of instruction.

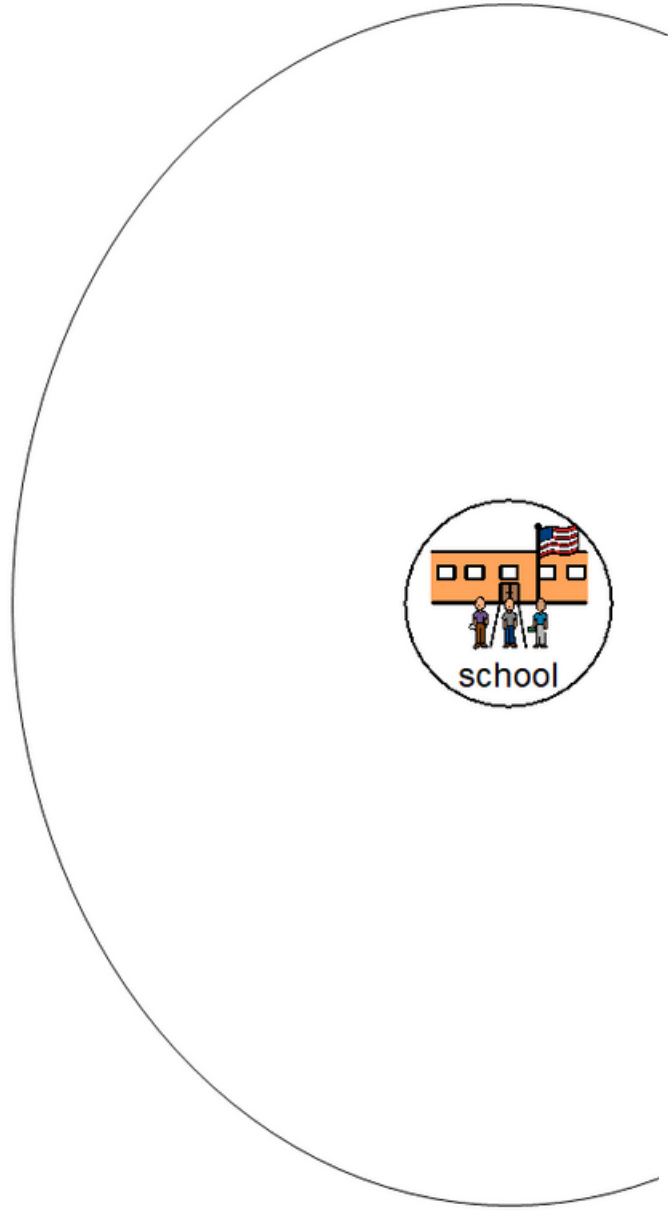
There are 2 separate files, one in color and one in black and white.

This unit comes with a storyboard.

Storyboards are great for ALL students to assist with participation and engagement in group discussions.

Tips on how to use in the unit!!





Errorless version

Cut apart pictures and place in circle map about some things you can learn in school.

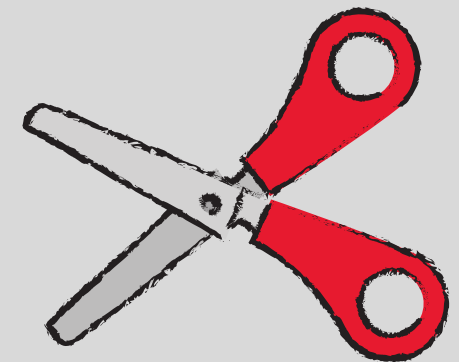


Cut apart pictures and place in circle map **ONLY IF** they are things you would probably learn in school.

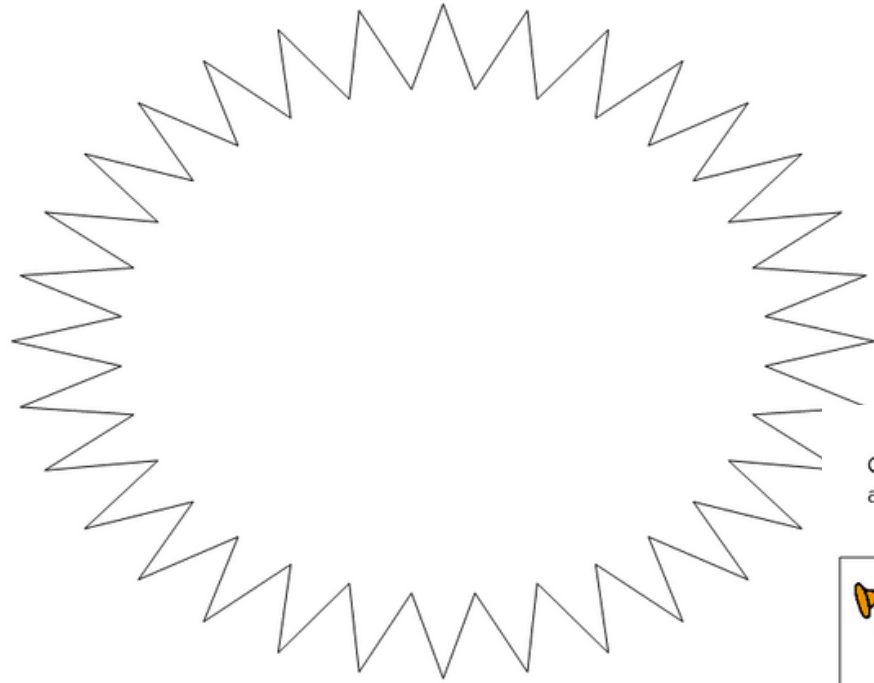


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There is a circle map showing things you learn in school. There is an option that only has correct answers and one that has wrong answers mixed in.



What are some things you are willing to practice until you get better at it?



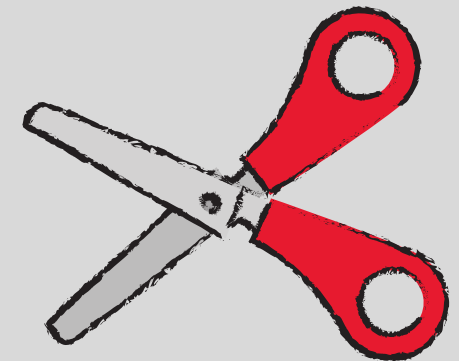
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Choose from the pictures below or come up with your own answers.

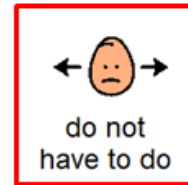


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Students will complete a picture map showing all the things they would be willing to practice. This is an errorless task.



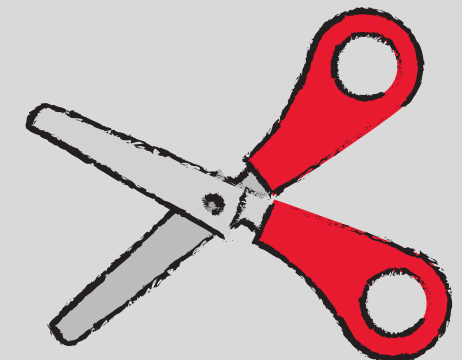
Sort things you have to (should) do and those you do not have to do.



Sorting activity cards:

- go to school
- watch TV
- drink
- play video games
- play sports
- breathe
- perform
- get dressed
- eat
- finish a puzzle
- follow rules
- eat brussel sprouts
- wear a dress
- be safe
- sleep
- eat dessert

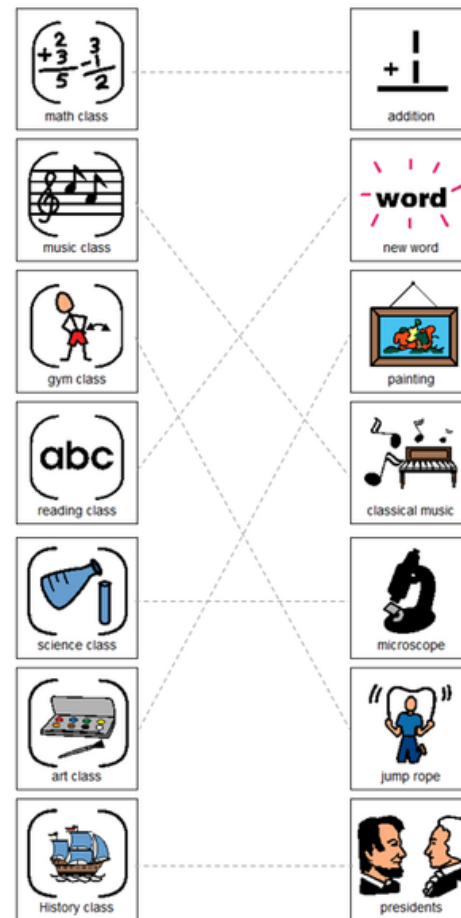
There is a sorting activity. Students will sort things you have to (should) and do not have to do. There is a suggestion for differentiation included.



Draw a line matching what you think the pigeon would likely learn in each class.



Trace each line matching what you think the pigeon would likely learn in each class.



Students will match what students are likely to learn in different classes. There is a differentiated version included with dashed lines for students to trace.

What if?

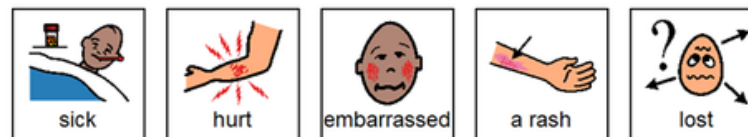
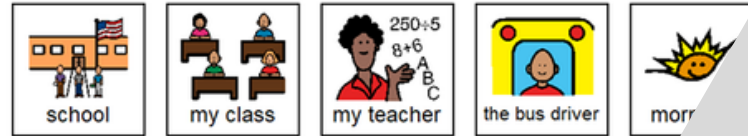
What if I don't like ?

What if my teacher is ?

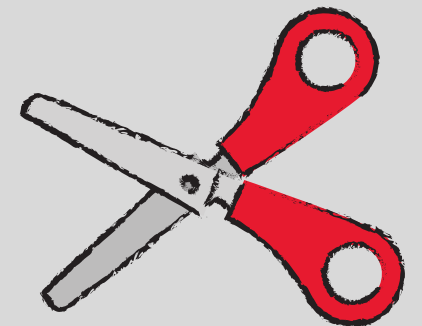
What if my friends are ?

What if I get ?

But what if it is a year?



Students will write their own story about what if? They can pretend they are someone or something else if they would like. This is an errorless activity that allows students to write their own story independently.



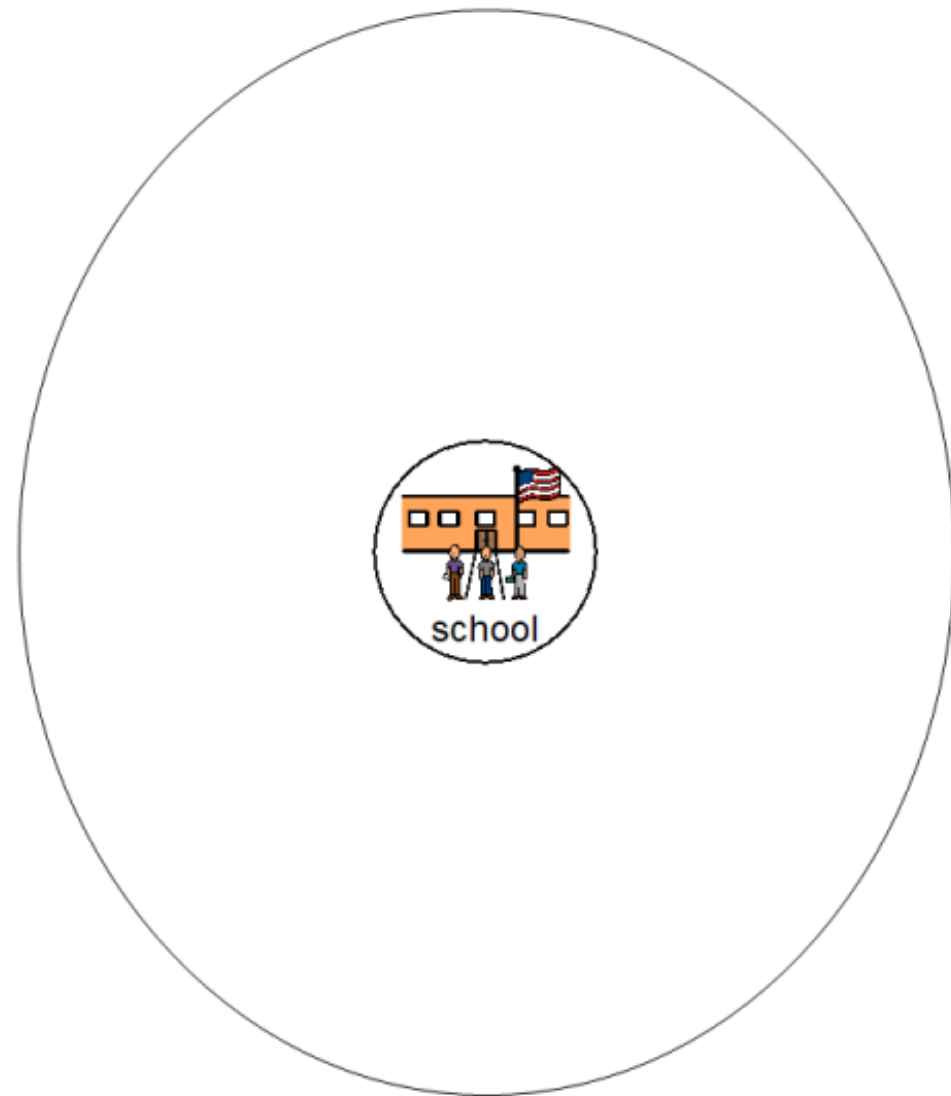
Listen to the
story read
aloud



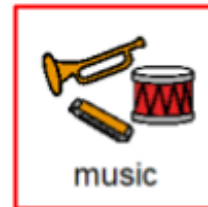
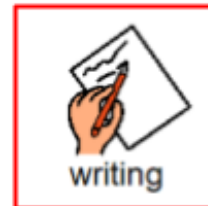
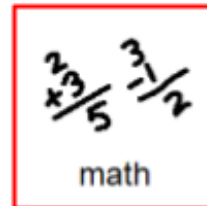
There is a video of the book
read aloud. This is a video
from YouTube.



Great for review

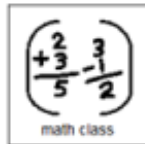


Place the pictures in circle map showing some things most people learn in school.



There are digital versions of the activities included. Students click and drag the answers.

Perfect for every learning level



math class



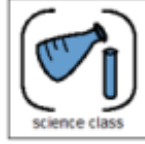
music class



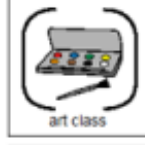
gym class



reading class



science class

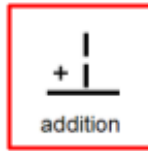


art class



History class

Match what you think you would learn in each class.



addition



new word



painting



classical music



microscope



jump rope

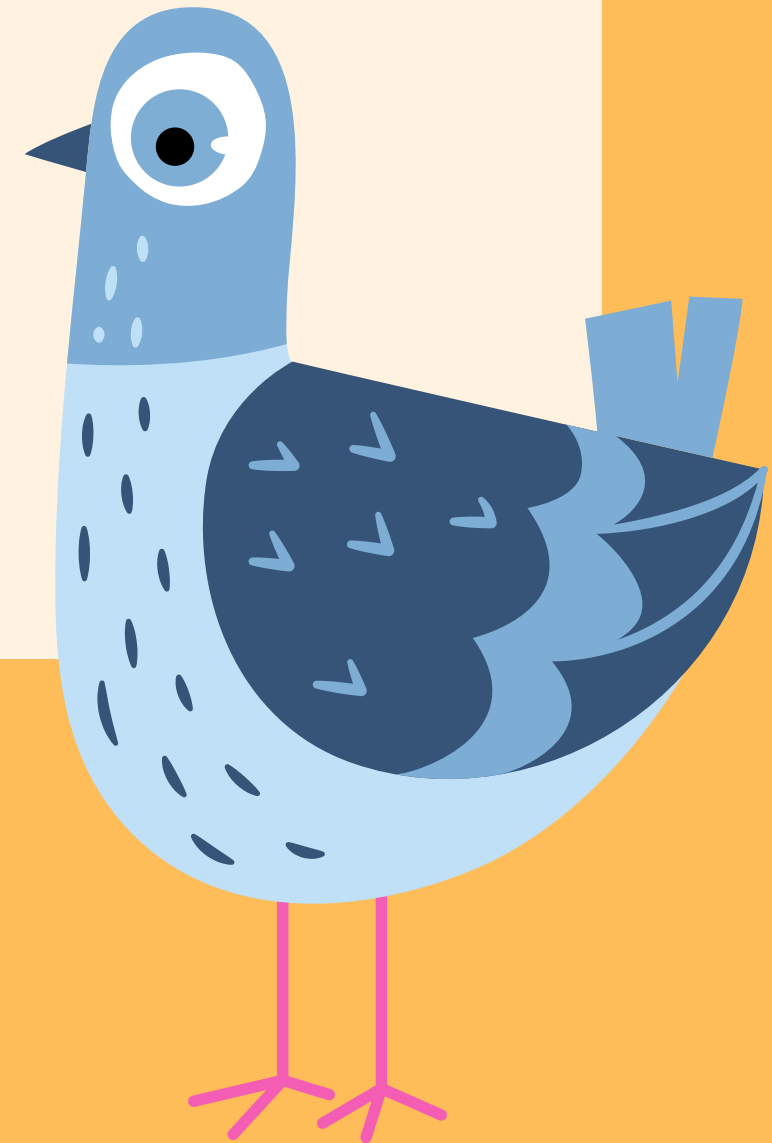


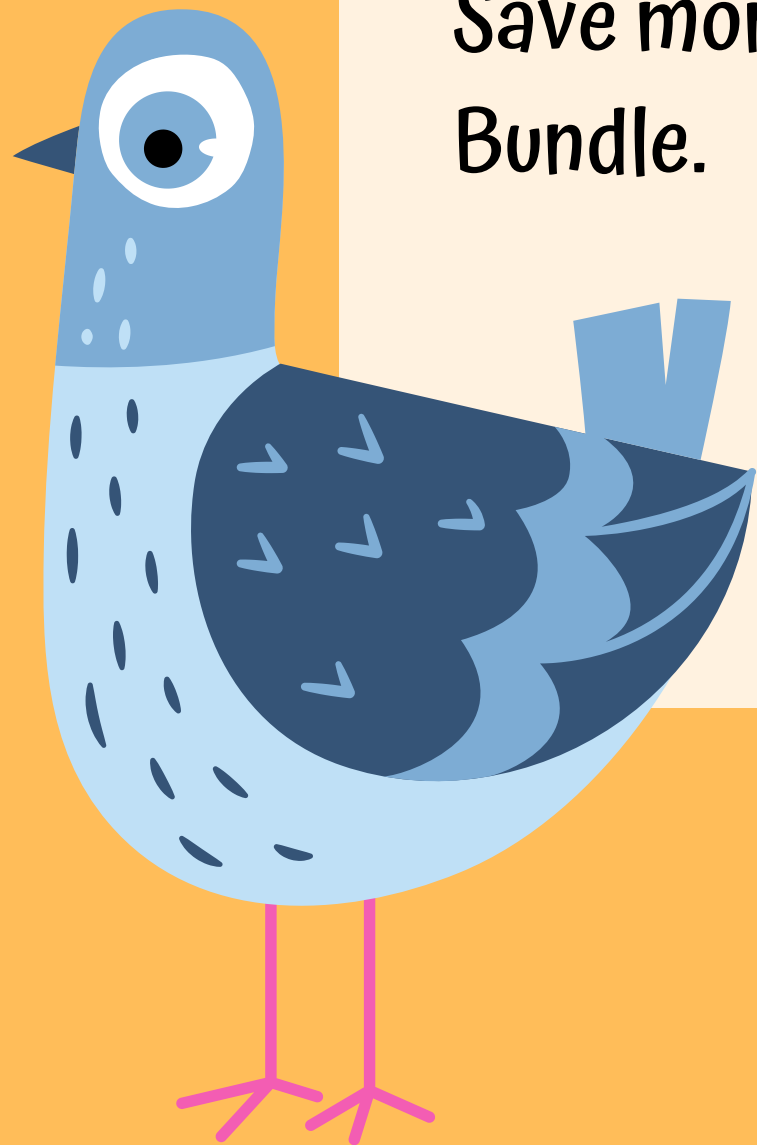
presidents

There are 2 sets, one that includes differentiation shown here.

This resource comes in a zipped folder. You will need to unzip the folder to access all the contents which include:

- *Activities in color*
- *Activities in black and white*
- *Links and directions to digital activities*





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