Rotating Letter Chart

This activity helps you with your attention and concentration for looking by reading letters from different places on a letter chart as it rotates.

Step 1. Read only first and last letters with the beat

This activity is the same as moving letter charts that you have completed previously, however this time the letter chart itself will rotate as you read the letters. The chart will turn around so that it is continuously changing its orientation. This means that at different times the letters will be in different orientations.

Click on 'Run Activity' at the top of this screen. Then click on 'New Chart' in the bottom right corner of the screen. A chart of lower case letters will be shown, which will rotate around the screen. You will also hear the beat, which will be set at 1.0 second.

To begin, you have to read only the first and last letter on each line, in time to the beat, beginning at the top and progressing down the chart.

When you have finished reading the first and last letters on each line of the chart, click on '**New Chart**', and continue.

Your goal is to read the first and last letter on each line, in time to the beat.

Step 2. Read outside to in

Now, as the chart rotates, read the letters on each line, from outside to in. You do this by reading the first then the last letter on the first line, then the second letter on the first line, then the second last letter, then the third letter then the third last letter etc... until you reach the middle of the line. Read the letters outside to in, in time to the beat, beginning on the top line and progressing down the chart.

Your goal is read the letters from outside to in on every row from top to bottom, in time to the beat, without losing your place.

Step 3. Read second and second last letter on each row

Now as the chart rotates, read the second letter on the first row then the second last letter on the first row. Then read the second letter on the second row, then the second last letter on the second row, etc, etc...

Your goal is read the second letter and second last letter on every row from top to bottom, in time to the beat, without losing your place.

Step 4. Read every second letter

As the chart rotates, read across the chart, but now read every second letter on each row, in time to the beat. Progress through the chart row by row.

Your goal is read every second letter, in time to the beat, without losing your place.

Step 5. Read the third and third last letter on each row

Now you have to read the third and third last letter on each line, in time to the beat, beginning at the top and progressing down the chart.

Read the **third letter** on the first row then the **third last** letter on the first row. Then read the third letter on the second row, then the third last letter on the second row, etc, etc...

Your goal is read the third letter and third last letter on every row from top to bottom, in time to the beat, without losing your place.

Step 6. Read every third letter

Read across the chart, but now read every third letter on each row, in time to the beat. Progress through the chart row by row.

Your goal is read every third letter, in time to the beat, without losing your place.

Step 7. Diagonal reading

Read the letters so you read down the left edge of the chart and up the right edge. You do this by reading the first letter on the first line then the last letter on the bottom line, followed by the first letter on the second line and the last letter on the second bottom line, followed by the first letter on the third line and the last letter on the third bottom line, etc, etc...

Your goal is to read the letters diagonally, in time with the beat, without losing your place.