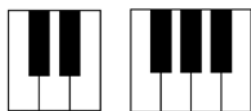
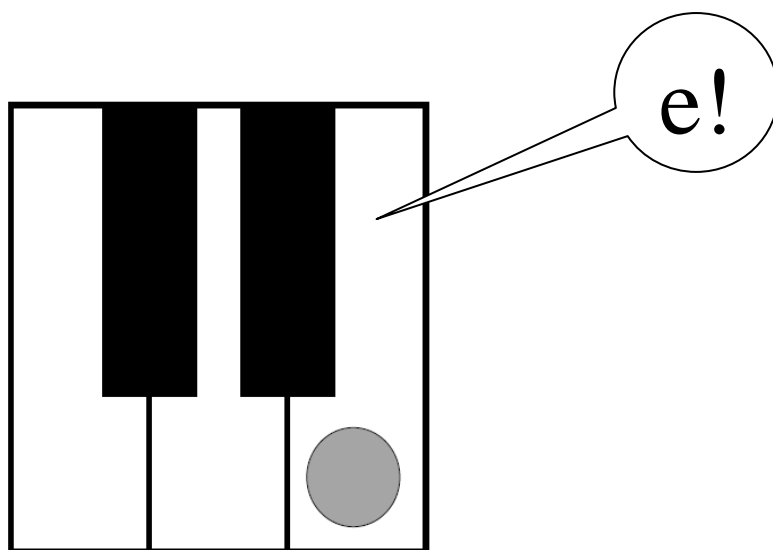


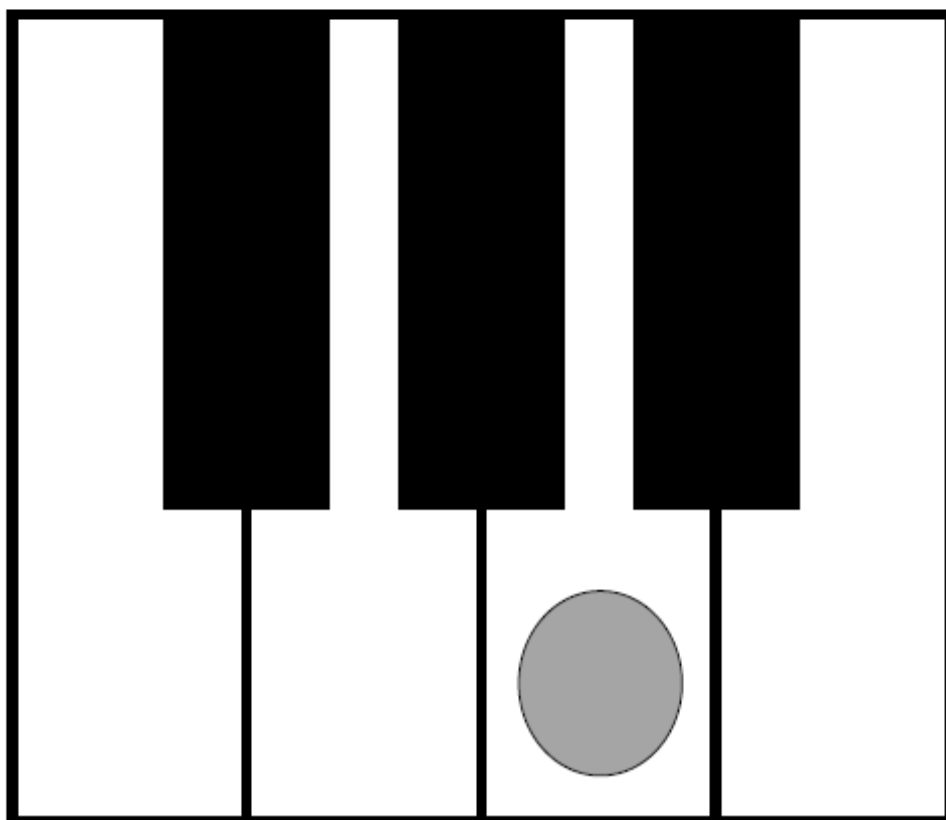
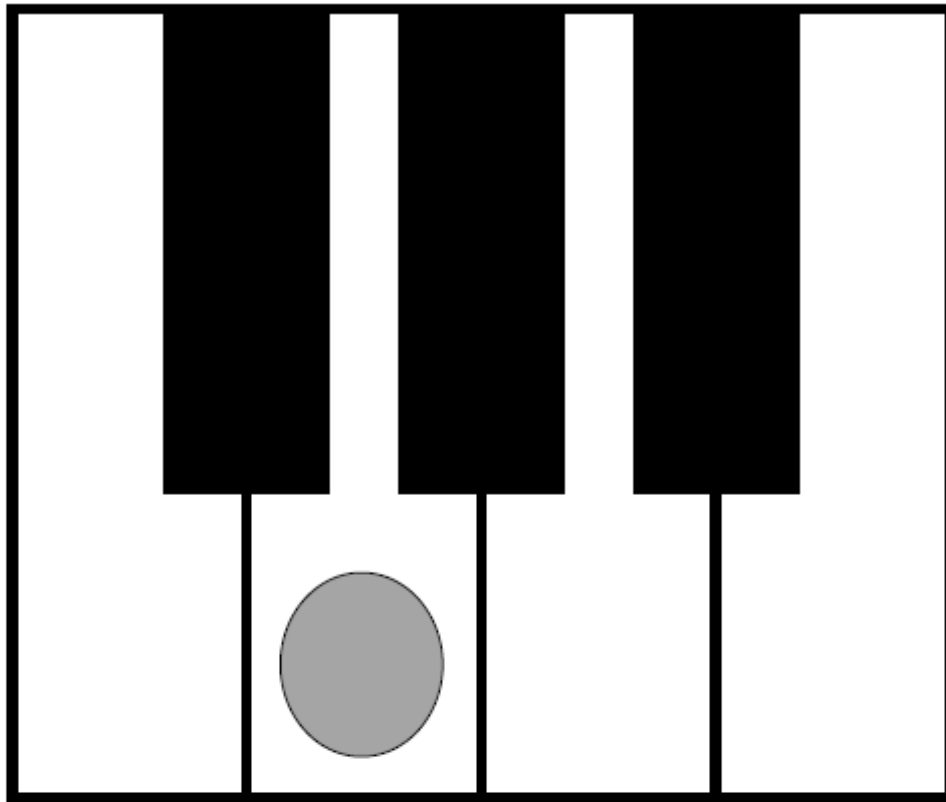
Using the Keyboard Flashcards

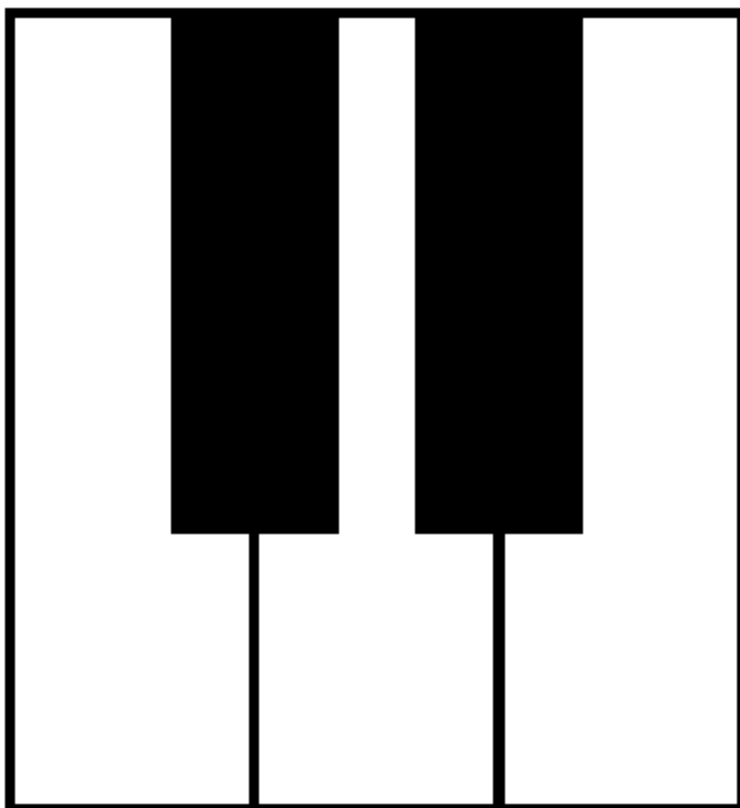
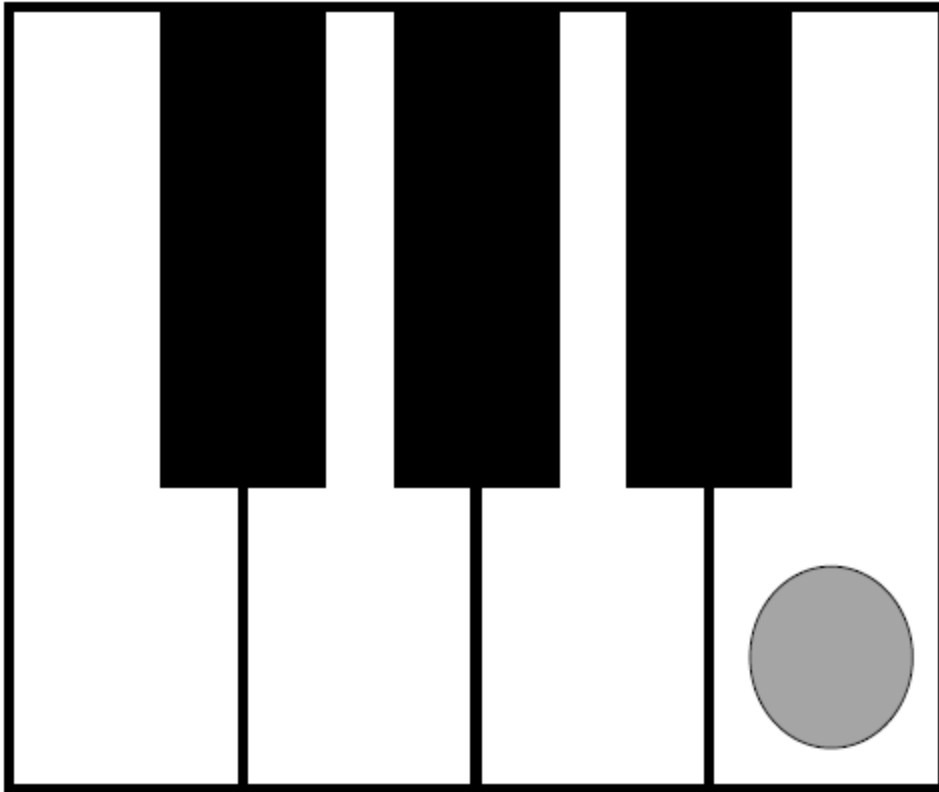


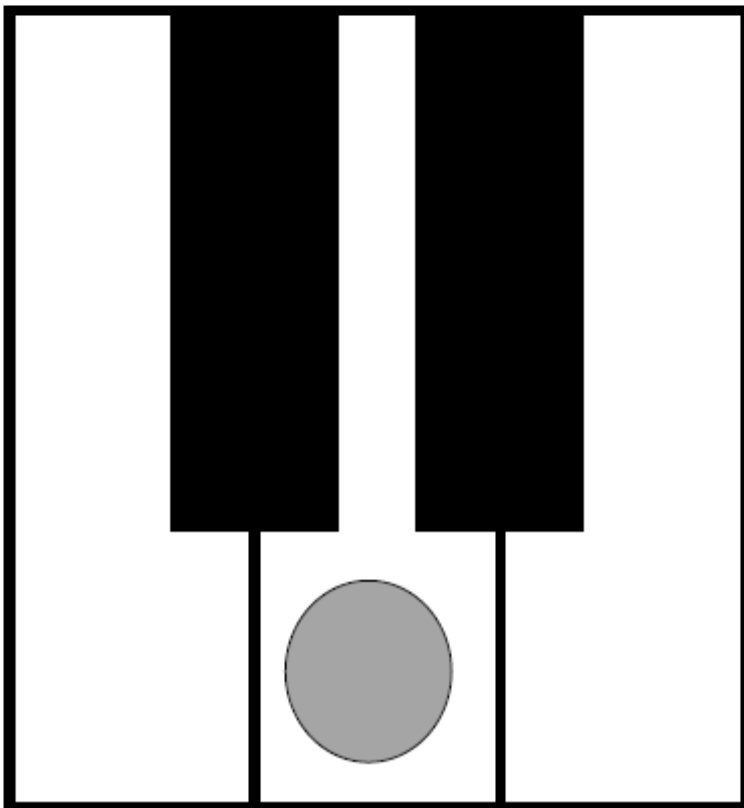
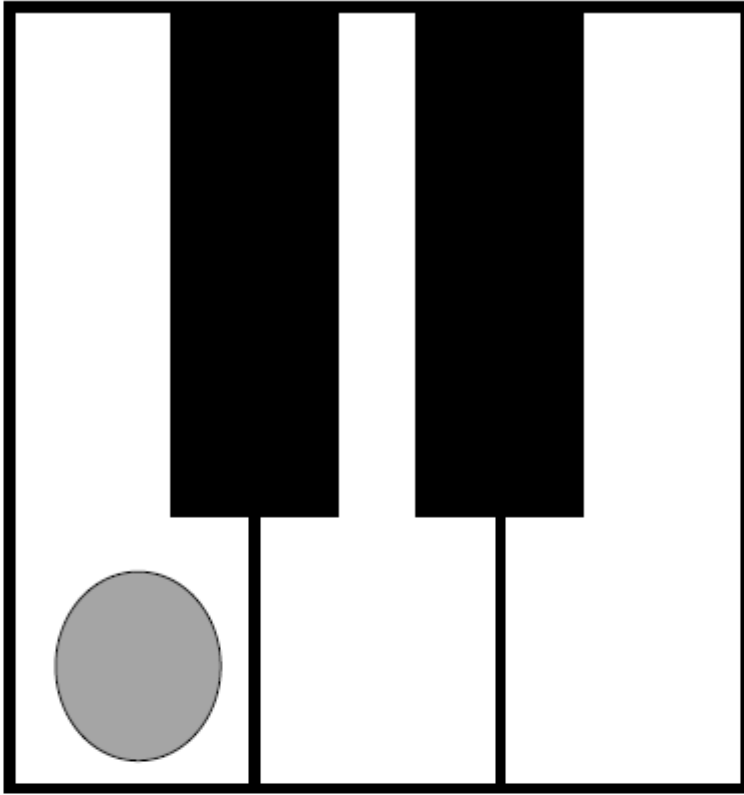
Yellow Lesson 5 is the perfect time to give your students their own set of keyboard flashcards. [The keyboard flashcards are on pages 47-51 of this manual and are also available on the DownLow.] By Lesson 5, the students have just learned the letter names of the white keys and can really cement this information by using their flashcards daily. An instruction card is included with the keyboard flashcards so your students and their parents will know how to best utilize this tool. The lyrics of verses 2 and 3 of Kit Kat Keyboard are included as a great way to help the message sink in! Demonstrate how to use the flashcards in Lesson 5, so the parents see how to sing and act out these verses with the “blank” flashcards (the ones without a gray dot), touching each key as you sing the letter names of the keys indicated by the song.

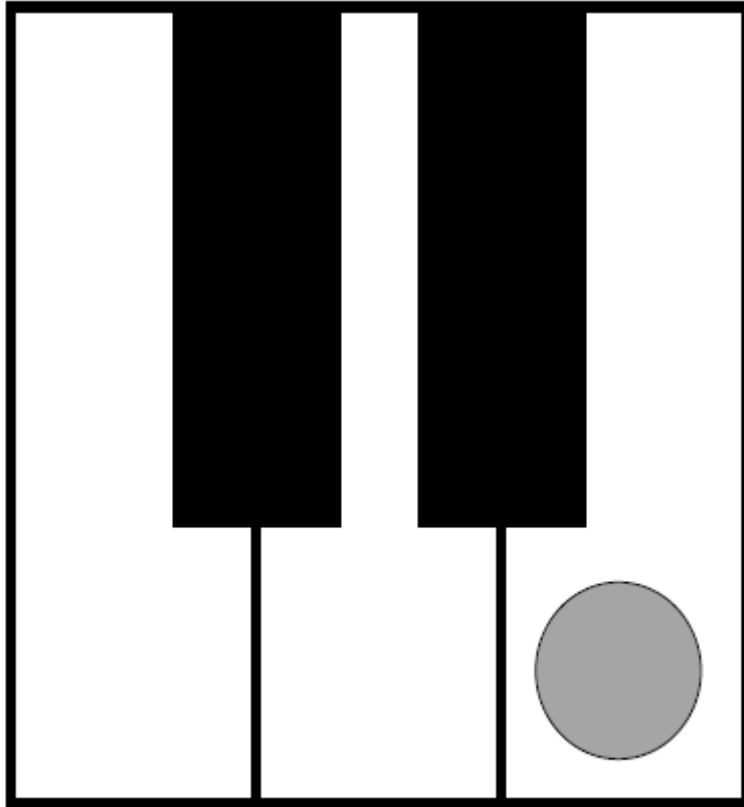
Having your own laminated set of keyboard flashcards for your teaching will be extremely useful as well! You can make copies of the flashcards included in your manual, or access them from the DownLow. In order to keep the flashcards the same size, you will want to first cut out the “group of 3” flashcards, leaving some space around the flashcard, then use it as a guide as you cut out the “group of 2” cards to that same size. Laminate, hole punch the upper LH corner, add a ring and voila! You have your own set of Keyboard Flashcards! What a great way to quickly review the white keys!











Instructions for using your Keyboard Flashcards:

Go through the flashcards several times each day to really learn those white keys! Sing the 2nd and 3rd verse of Kit Kat Keyboard (below), pointing as you sing to the keys on your flashcards that are indicated by the lyrics. You'll be an expert with those white keys in no time!

Kit Kat Keyboard (verses 2 & 3)

When I look a little closer, what do I find?
So many white keys it just blows my mind!
My little candy bars will help me know
The names of all the white keys, here I go:
Find a group of 2, down one is C
And a group of 3 leads to F, YIPPEE!

When I'm learning names of white keys,
What do I find?
Alphabet letters of a musical kind!
The group of 2 is C-D-E,
And the group of 3 is F-G-A-B!