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|-------------|-------|-----------|-------|
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| 7. lunch    | _____ | 8. apple  | _____ |
| 9. peach    | _____ | 10. truck | _____ |
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| 15. dog     | _____ | 16. egg   | _____ |
| 17. car     | _____ | 18. beach | _____ |
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