

Activities:



Give each child a card with one way to say hello in another language (written phonetically). Tell them not to let any of the other children see their card. Ask the children to pretend that they are at the Tower of Babel and all of the sudden they start to speak another language. Have them form pairs by saying hello in the language of their card to everyone, until they meet the person with the same language.

Tower of Babel coin toss: Print the tower sheets onto yellow or tan paper. Laminate if desired. Tape together to create a Tower of Babel and have children try to toss a coin as close to the top as they can.

Teach children how to say hello in different languages: Hola, Ciao, Bonjour, Shalom, Aloha, Ni Hao.

Where is heaven? Do you think you could ever climb there by building a tower high enough? Why not?

Ask children to name good works (helping others, giving to poor, etc.) and each draw a picture on an index card of a different one. Place each index card onto a step ladder. Can this ladder reach to heaven? No! Neither can doing good things get a person into heaven. God wants us to do good things because they are good, but He doesn't want us to think that being good will ever keep us from needing Him. Have children draw a picture of themselves serving God.



GOD DOESN'T SAVE US BECAUSE WE DO GOOD WORKS.

WE DO GOOD WORKS BECAUSE GOD HAS SAVED US.

Konichiwa
(koh-nee-chee-wah)
~Japanese~

Ya at ee
(yah aht ay)
~Navajo~

Hola
(oh-la)
~Spanish~

Shalom
(shah-lohm)
~Hebrew~

Ciao
(chow)
~Italian~

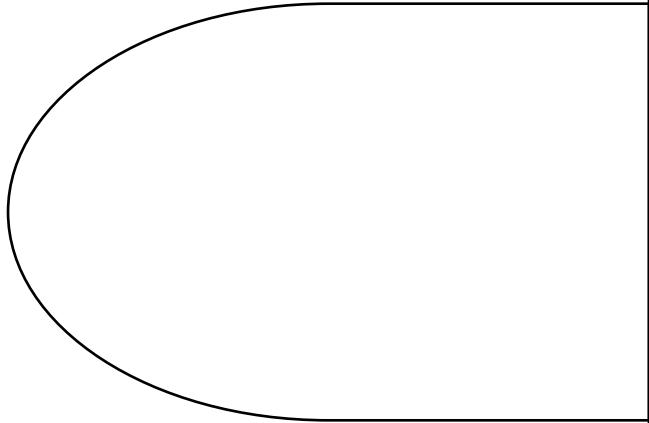
Dia duit
(dee-ah doo-it)
~Irish~

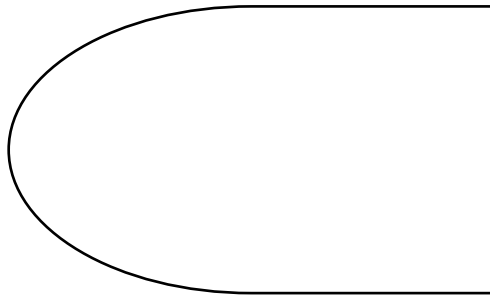
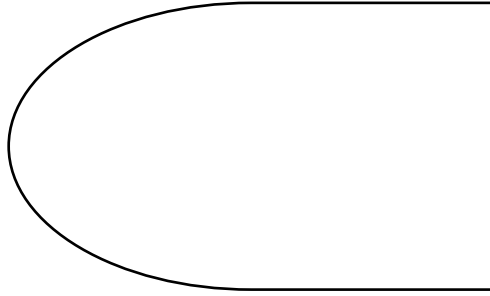
Aloha
(ah-loh-ha)
~Hawaiian~

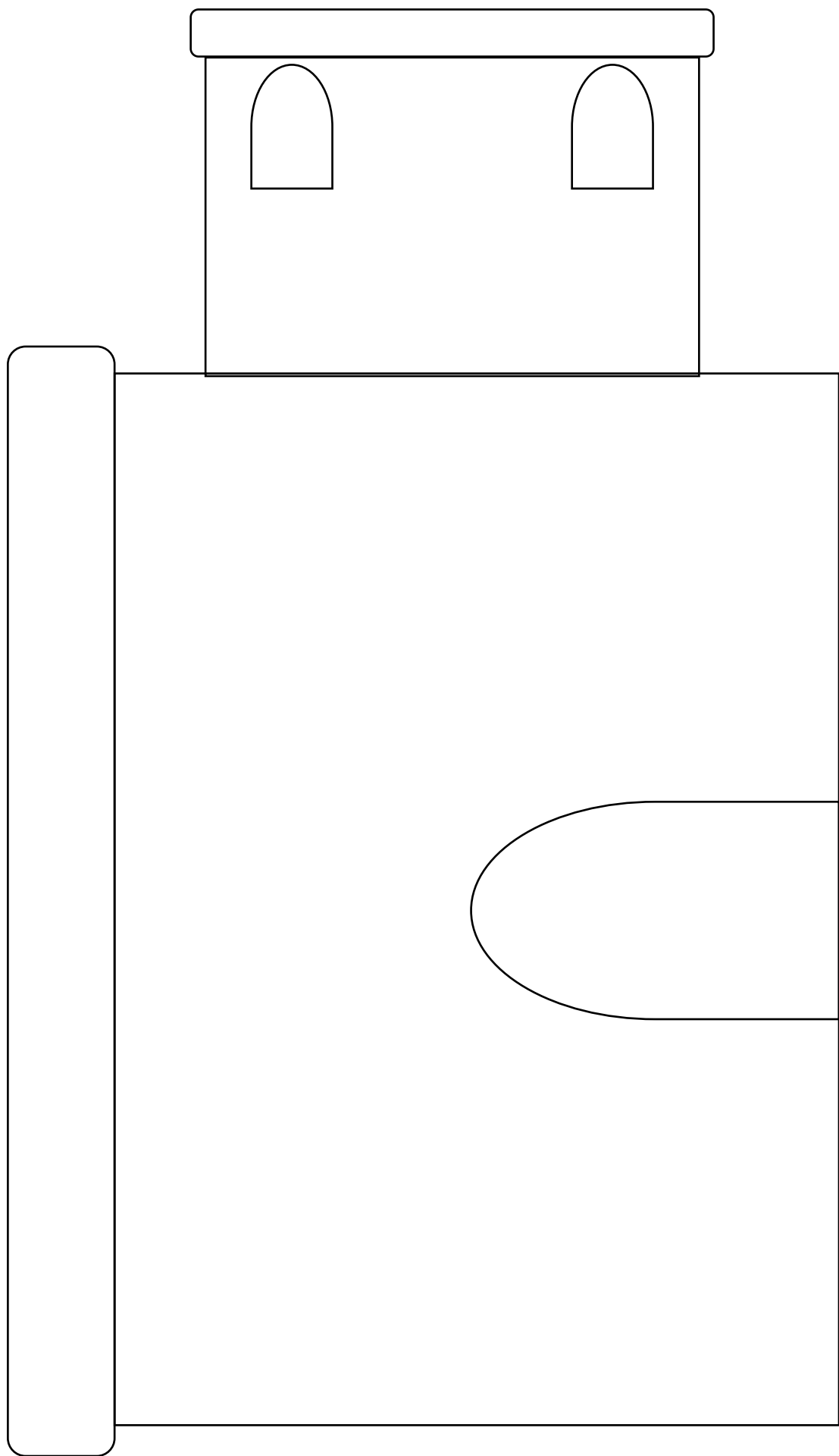
Ni hao
(nee how)
~Chinese~

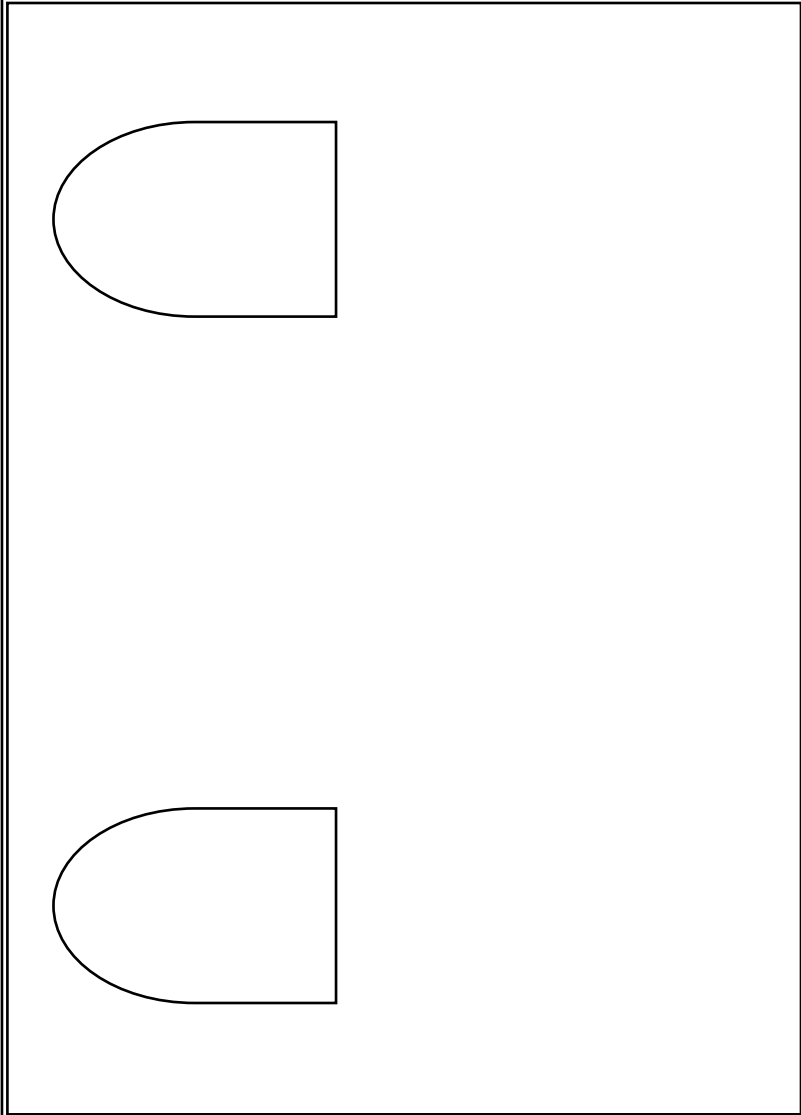
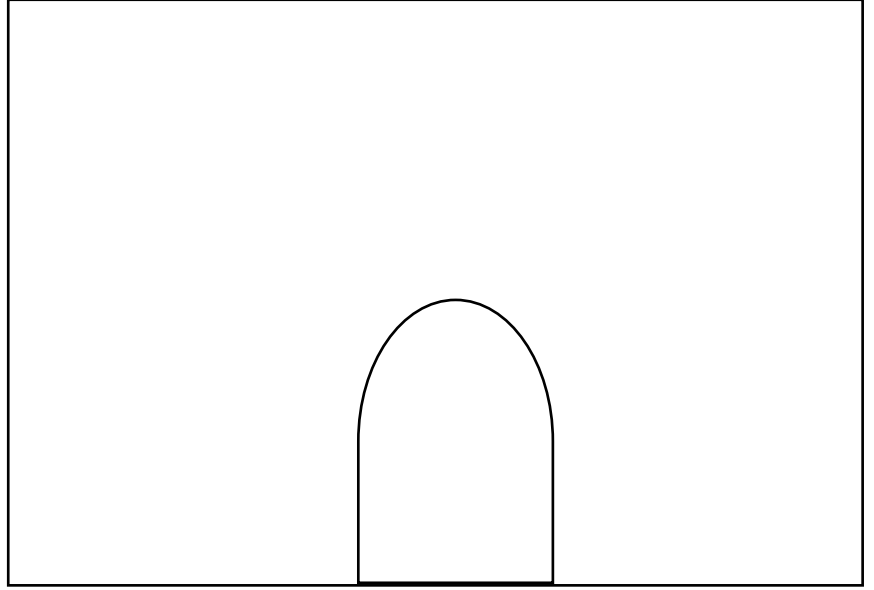
Hujambo
(hoo-jam-bo)
~Swahili~

Geia sas
(gay-ah sas)
~Greek~









UPPER

ELEMENTARY

NAME: _____

Babel, Tower, Heaven, Shem, Ham, Japheth, Earth,
Scatter

vnhaee _____

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hjhpaee _____

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trectsa _____

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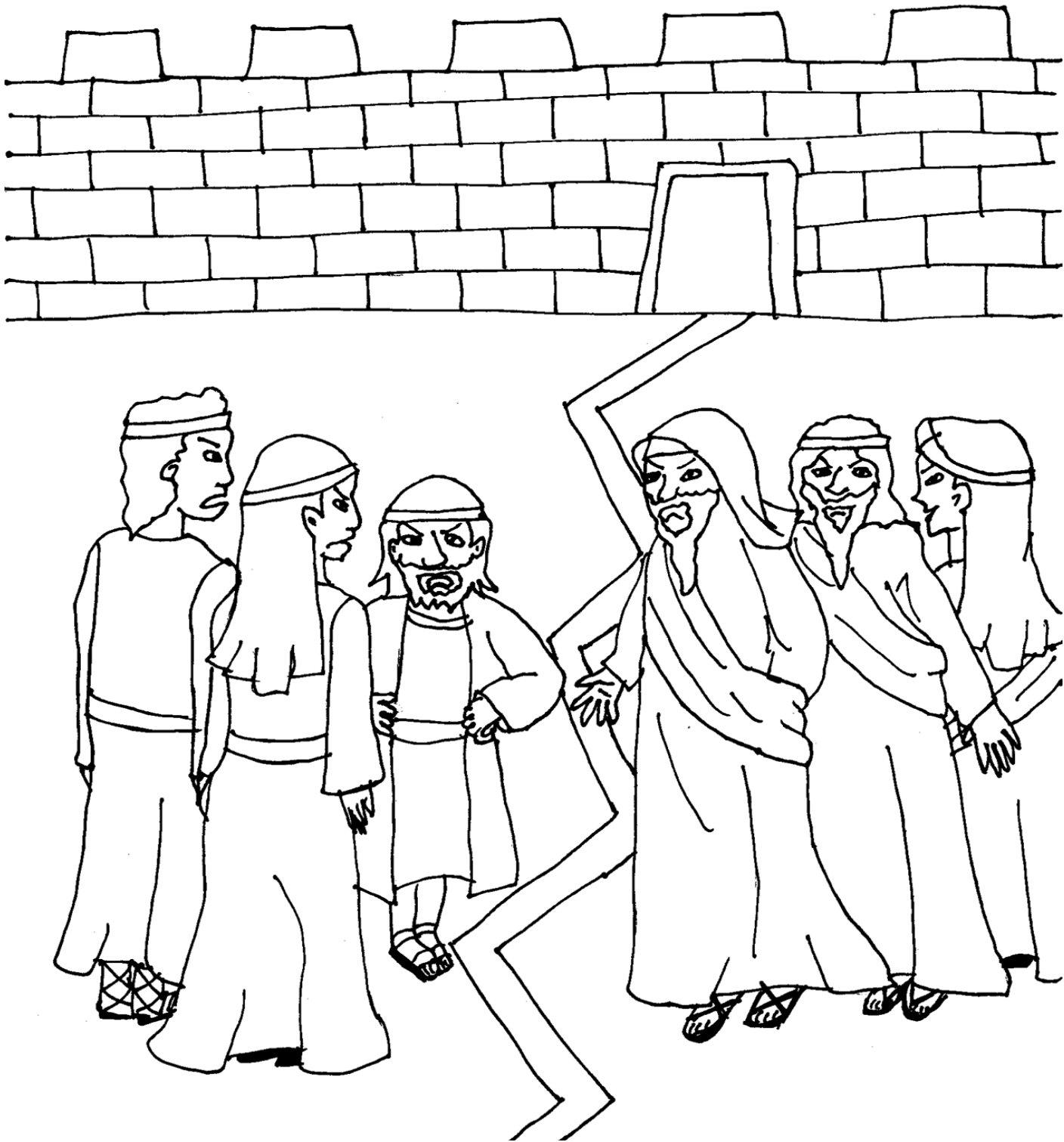
treat _____

woret _____

Lower Elementary

Babel

Name: _____



So the LORD scattered them all over the earth, and they stopped building the city. ~ Genesis 11:8

- ❖ Children color and cut out Hello cards.
- ❖ Children draw bricks and windows on paper towel roll.
- ❖ Children glue cotton balls to top of tower.
- ❖ Teacher tapes Hello cards to side of tower.



Preschool

Coloring Page:

Ask children if they speak any other languages. Write down the language(s) they know.

Encourage children to draw people on the tower.

Modeling Dough:

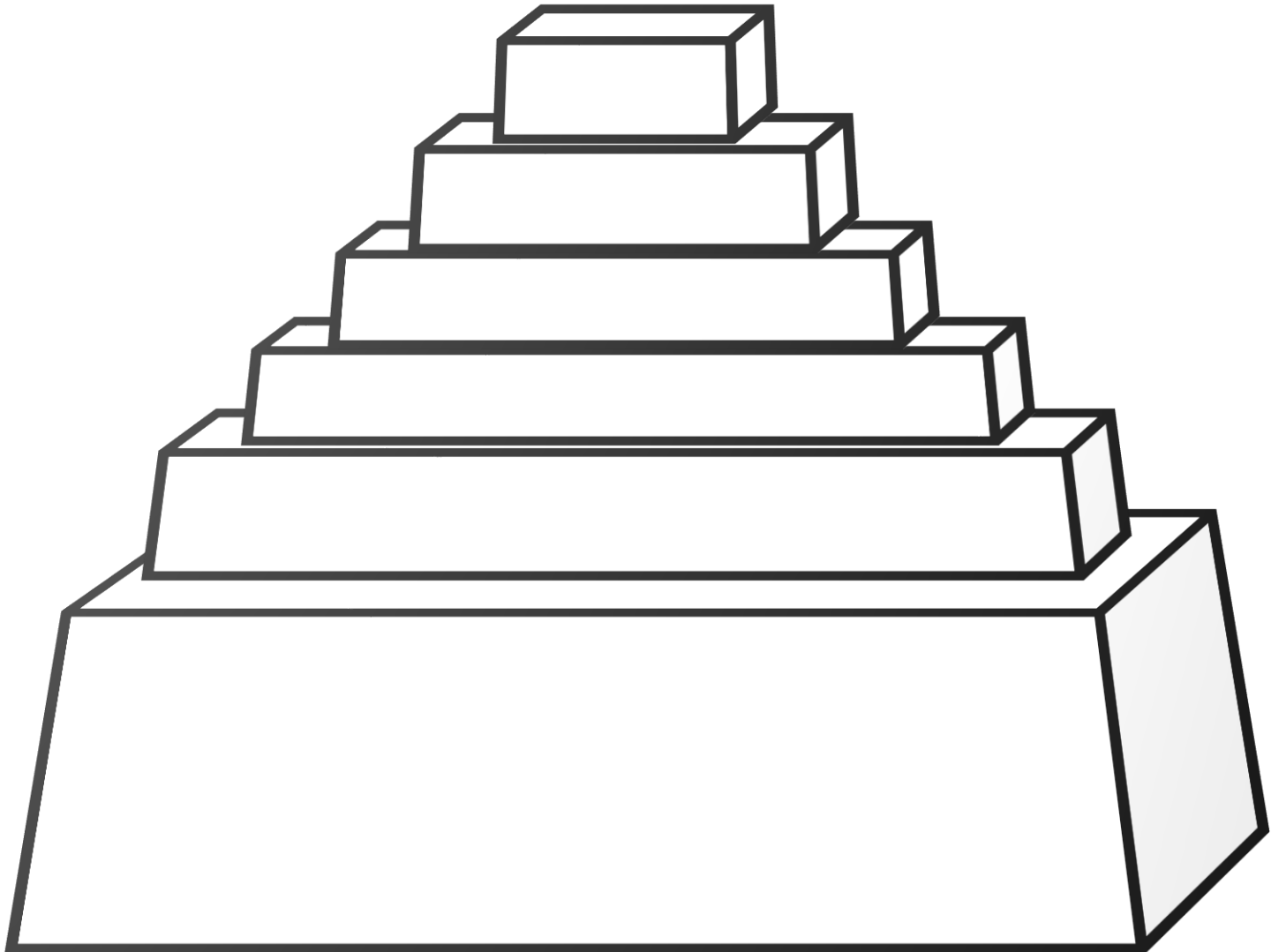
Encourage children to mold a tower.

Game:

Give children blocks to build a tower. Can break into teams to see who can build the tallest tower.

Babel

Name: _____



I can speak _____.