

Read with Your Fingers

Most people read by using their eyes. However, people who can't see can still read. They read with their fingertips! The Braille alphabet is based on a rectangle of six dots. Each dot position has a number, 1 through 6. For each letter, some dots are raised and some are not. For example, the letter A has one raised dot in position 1. The letter G has four raised dots in positions 1, 2, 4, and 5. Use the Braille alphabet below to write messages to your friends in the empty box.

Braille Alphabet Chart

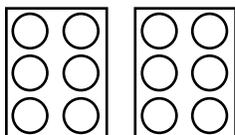
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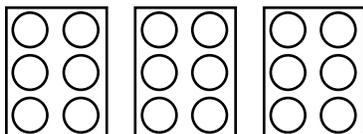
Learn to Write Braille

Using the Braille alphabet chart, write the words in the boxes.

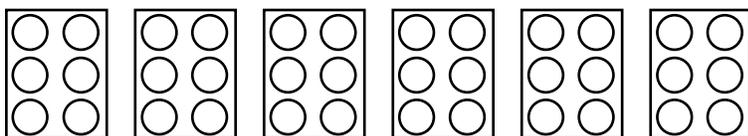
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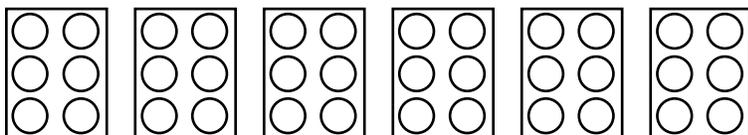
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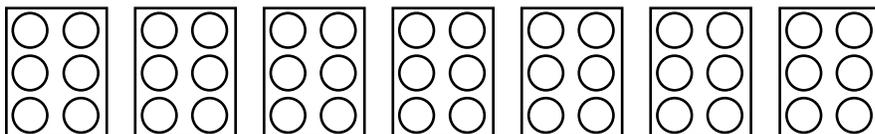
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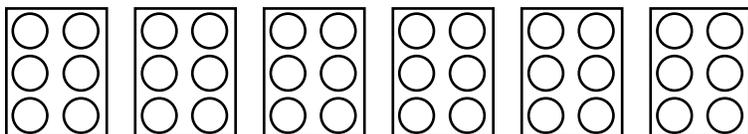
4. friend



5. Braille



6. family



7. Write your name using Braille dots.

