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One **chilly** day, **Chick** went to visit his **chum**, **Chimp**.





Chimp and **Chick chatted**. They played **chess** and **checkers**. They read a **chapter** book. All of this made the two **chums** very hungry!



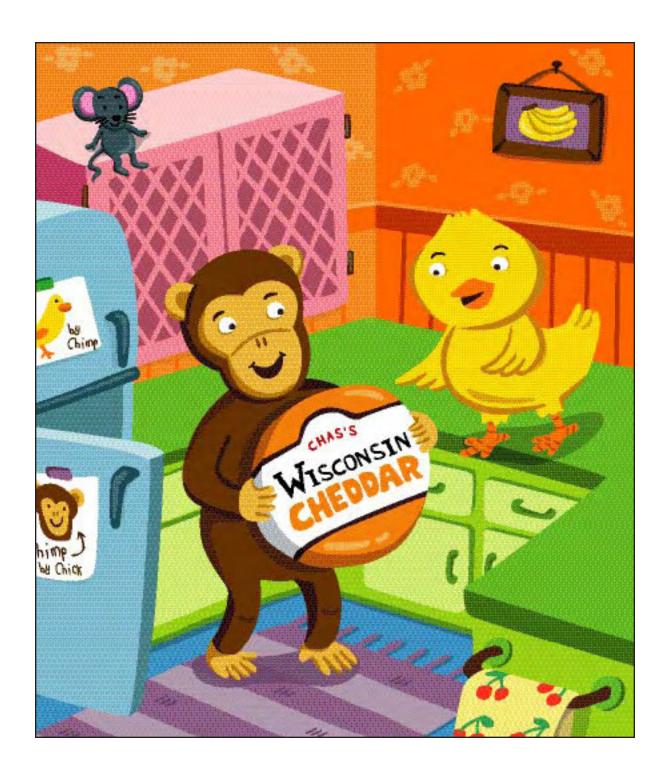


So **Chimp** and **Chick** decided to make some **lunch**.

"What should we munch?" cheeped Chick.

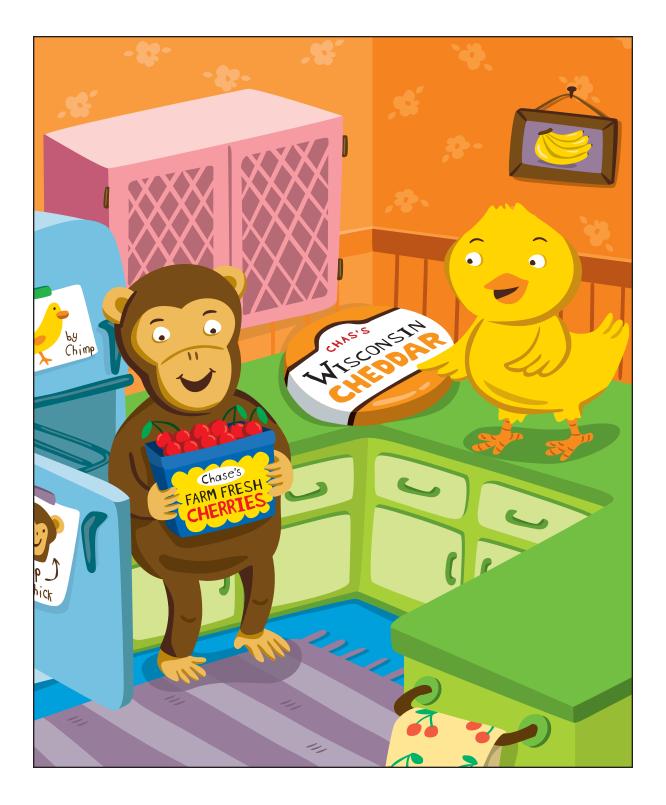
"You **choose**," answered **Chimp**.





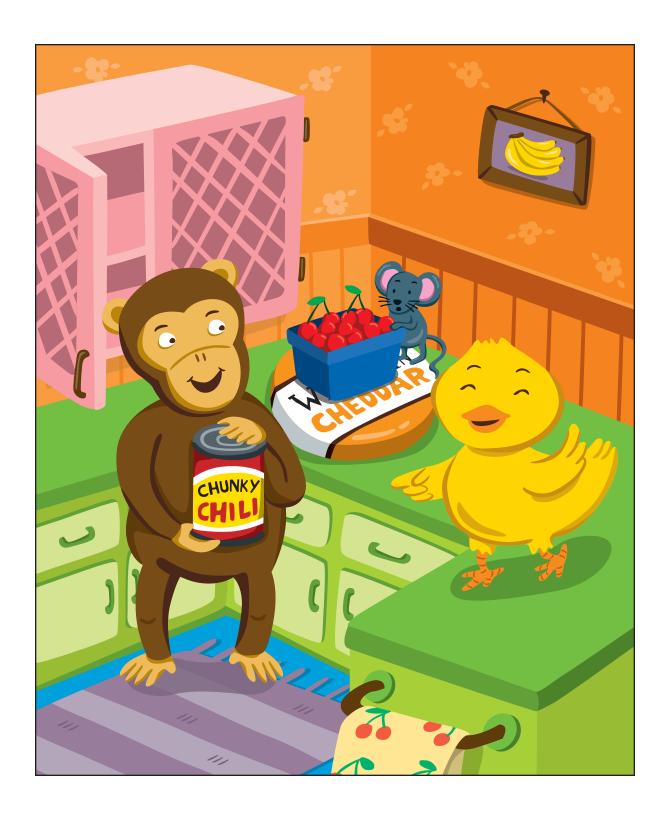
"OK," cheeped Chick. "I choose cheddar cheese!"
So Chimp got cheddar cheese.
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"I choose cherries!" cheeped Chick. So Chimp got cherries.





"I choose chili!" cheeped Chick. So Chimp got chili.





"I choose chips!" cheeped Chick. So Chimp got chips.





"I choose chestnuts!" cheeped Chick. So Chimp got chestnuts.





"I choose chocolate!" cheeped Chick. So Chimp got chocolate.



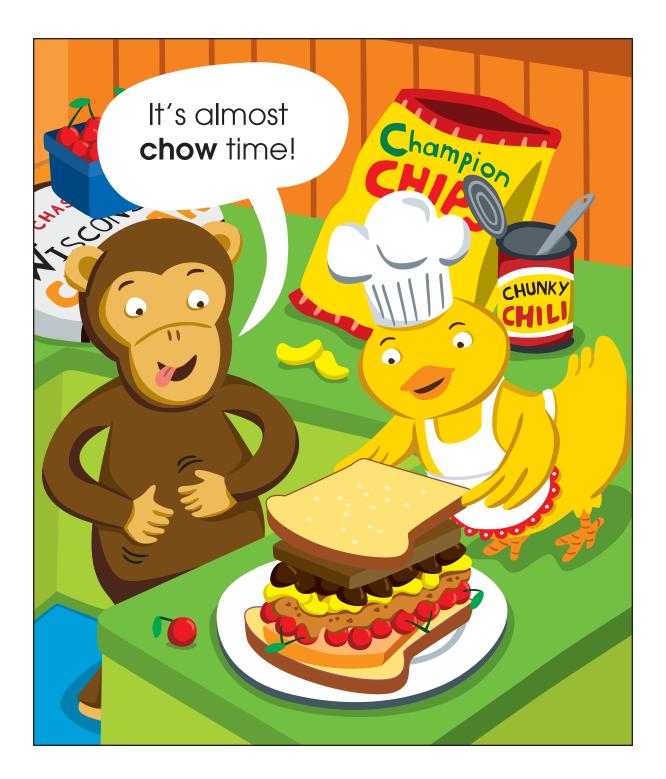


"This food looks delicious," said Chimp cheerfully.

"But how do we turn it into our lunch?"

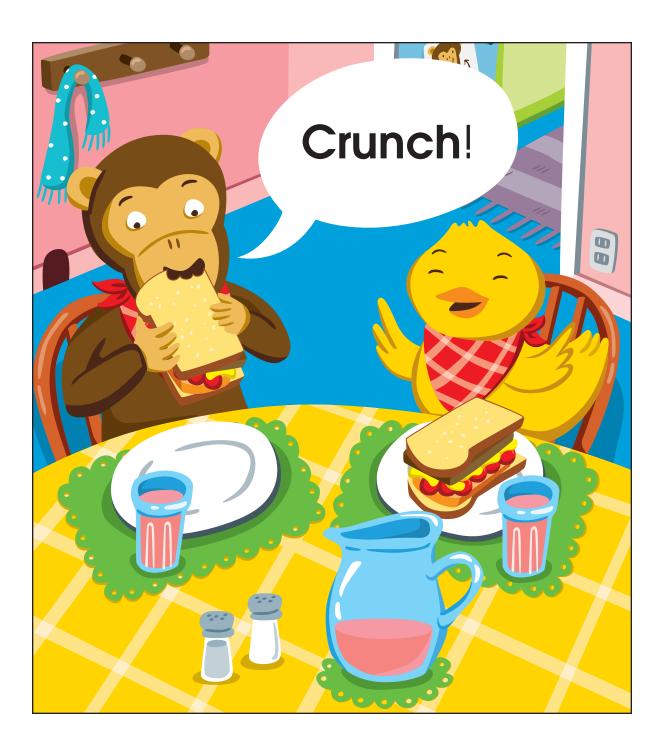
"I have an idea!" cheeped Chick.





Chick took the cheddar cheese and cherries and chili and chips and chestnuts and chocolate and made a huge sandwich!





Chimp poured some punch. Then the two chums plopped down in chairs and shared the sandwich. Crunch, crunch, crunch!





"Mmmm! What a **charming** meal!" **cheeped Chick**.

"Yes," chuckled Chimp. "It's the best lunch I have ever munched!"



CH Riddles

Listen to the riddles. Then match each with the right ch word from the box. (Hint: Sometimes the ch appears at the end of the word.)

Word Box

chick cheese cherry checkers chair chuckle chimp chilly lunch crunch

- This is another name for monkey.
- 2 It means almost the same thing as laugh.
- 3 This sweet, red fruit is small with a long stem.
- One person can sit on it.
- 5 You eat this meal in the middle of the day.
- 6 People put this on top of pizza and burgers.
- 7 This sound is made when you bite into an apple.
- 8 This board game has red and black playing pieces.
- 9 It means almost the same thing as cold.
- 10 This is the name for a baby chicken.



CH Cheer

Hooray for *c-h*, the best sound around!

Let's holler *c-h* words all over town!

There's chimp and chick and chair and chore.

There's **charm** and **child** and so many more—

Like chip and cheese and brunch and lunch

And rich and peach and munch and crunch!

C-h, c-h, give a great cheer,

For the most **charming** sound you ever will hear!



Make a list of other words that have *ch* at the beginning or the end. Then use them in your cheer.

