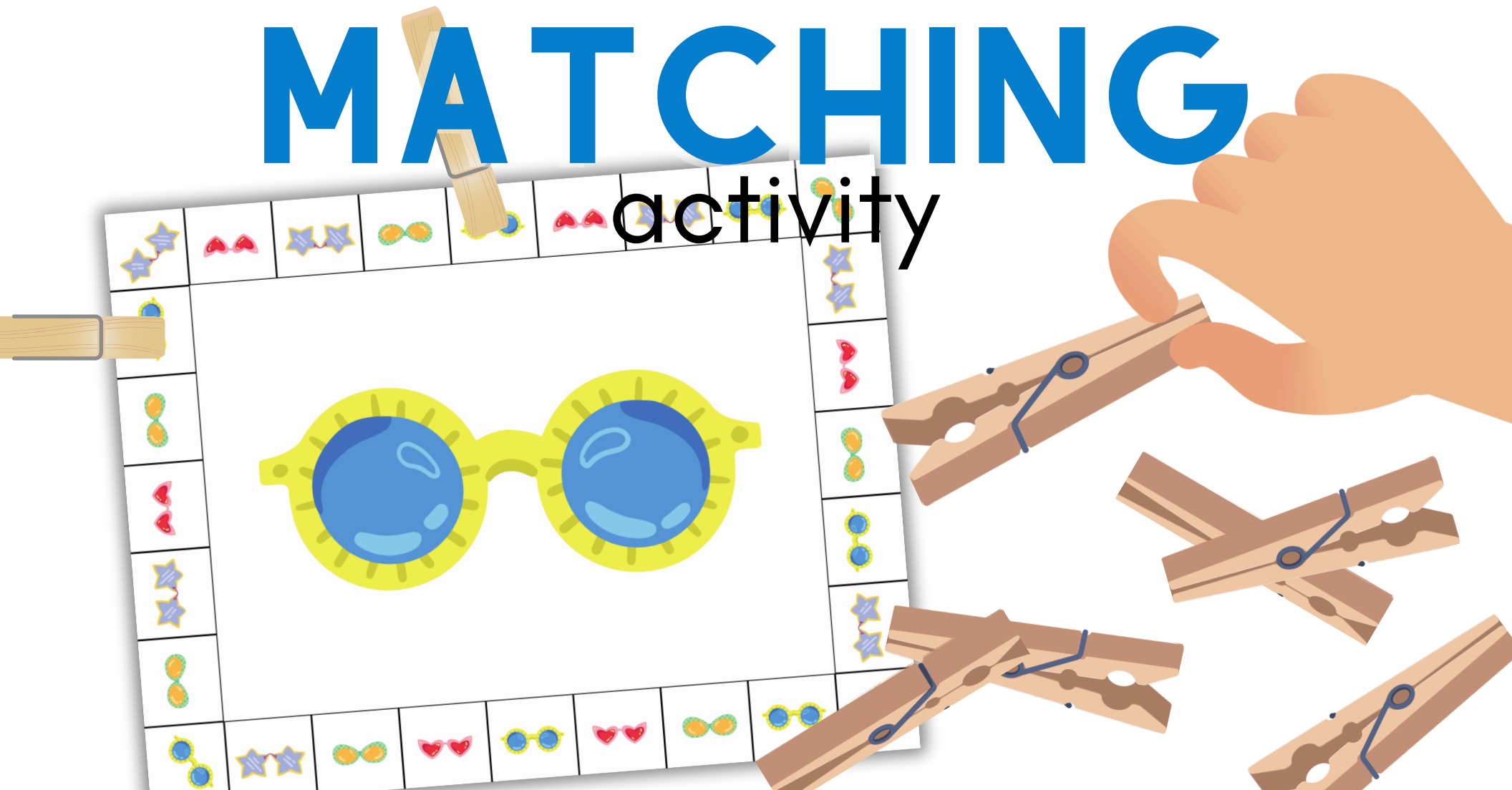


SUMMER CLOTHESPIN MATCHING



HOW TO USE THIS ACTIVITY

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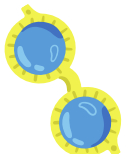
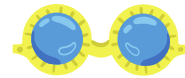
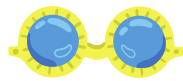
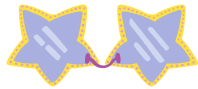
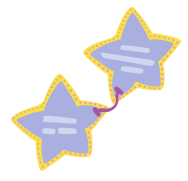
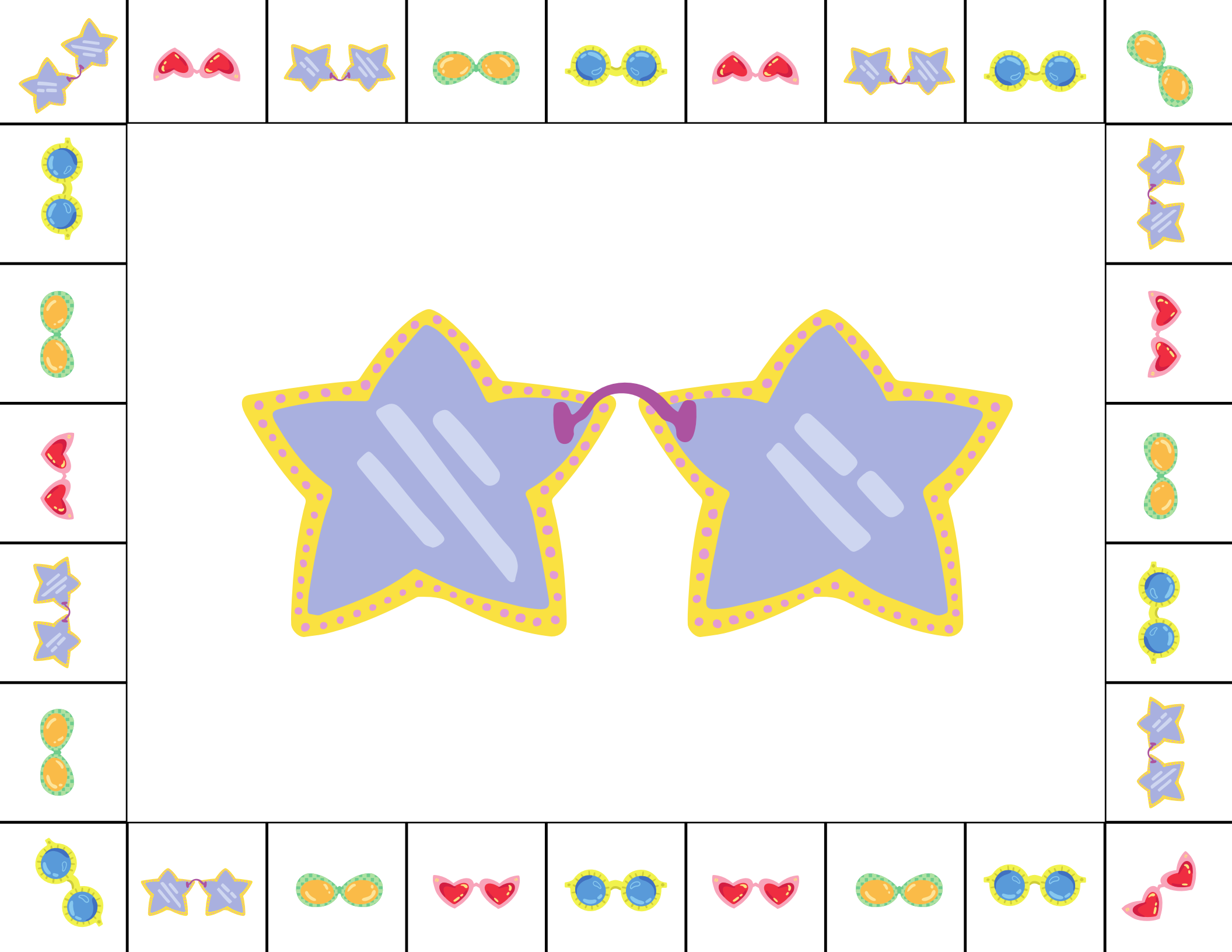
- Clothespins (aka pegs)

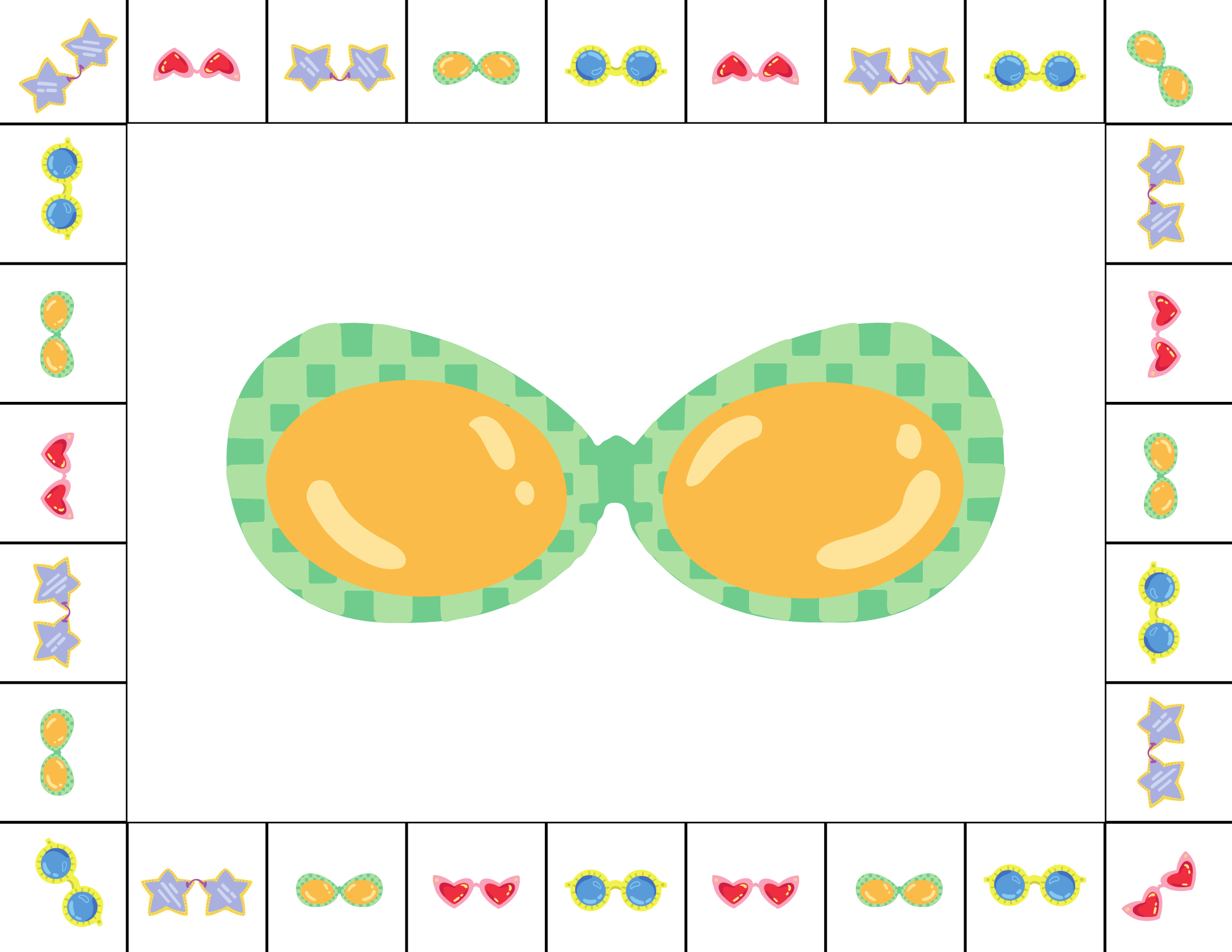
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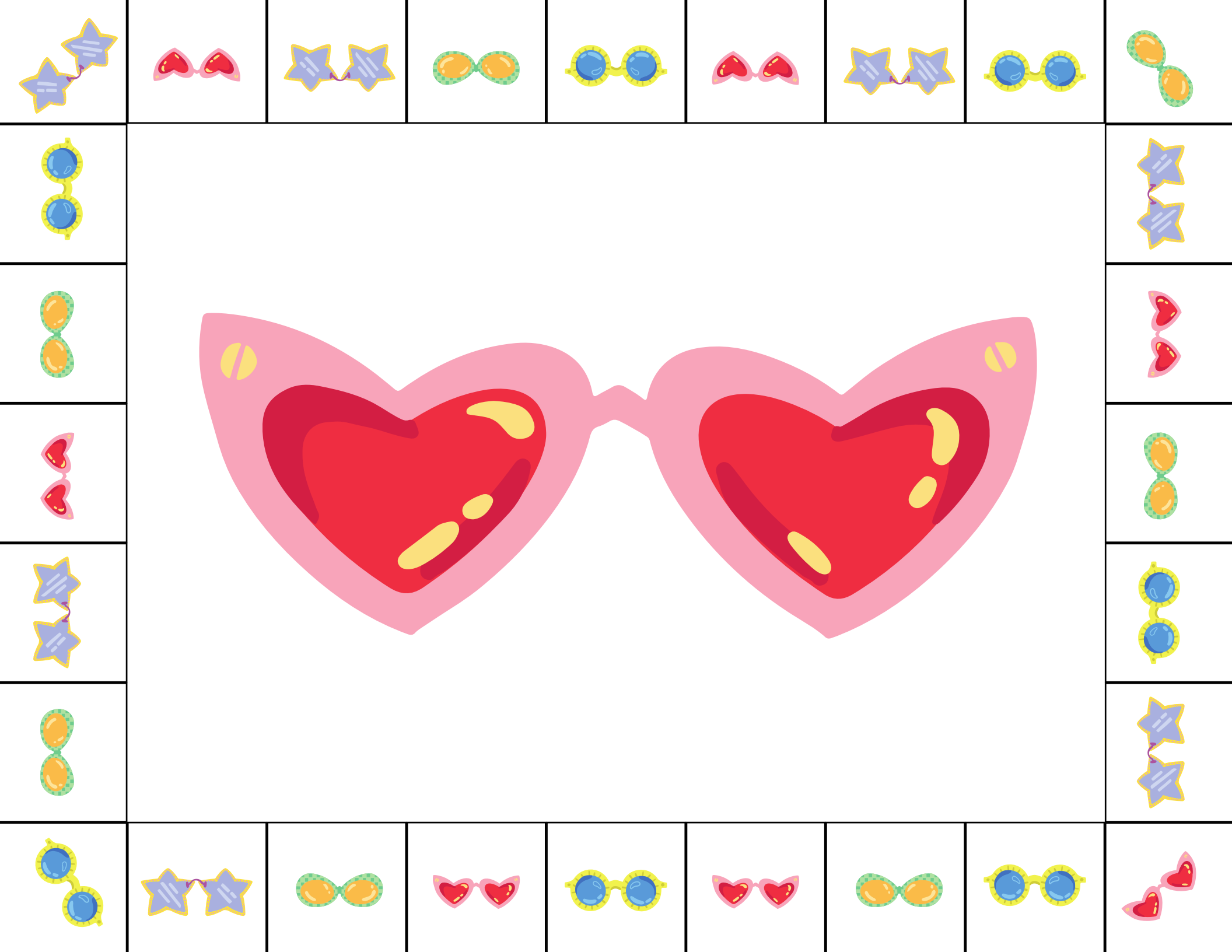
- Choose the activity that you would like to play with and print it out onto cardstock.
- Clip a clothespin to the items around the edge that match the one in the middle.
- Encourage your child to use a mature pincer grasp (tip of index finger opposed to tip of thumb) while placing the clothespins.
- If you see that they have missed a match, ask leading questions rather than just showing them what they have missed. Allow them to figure it out on their own.
- Use this as an opportunity to learn colors too.

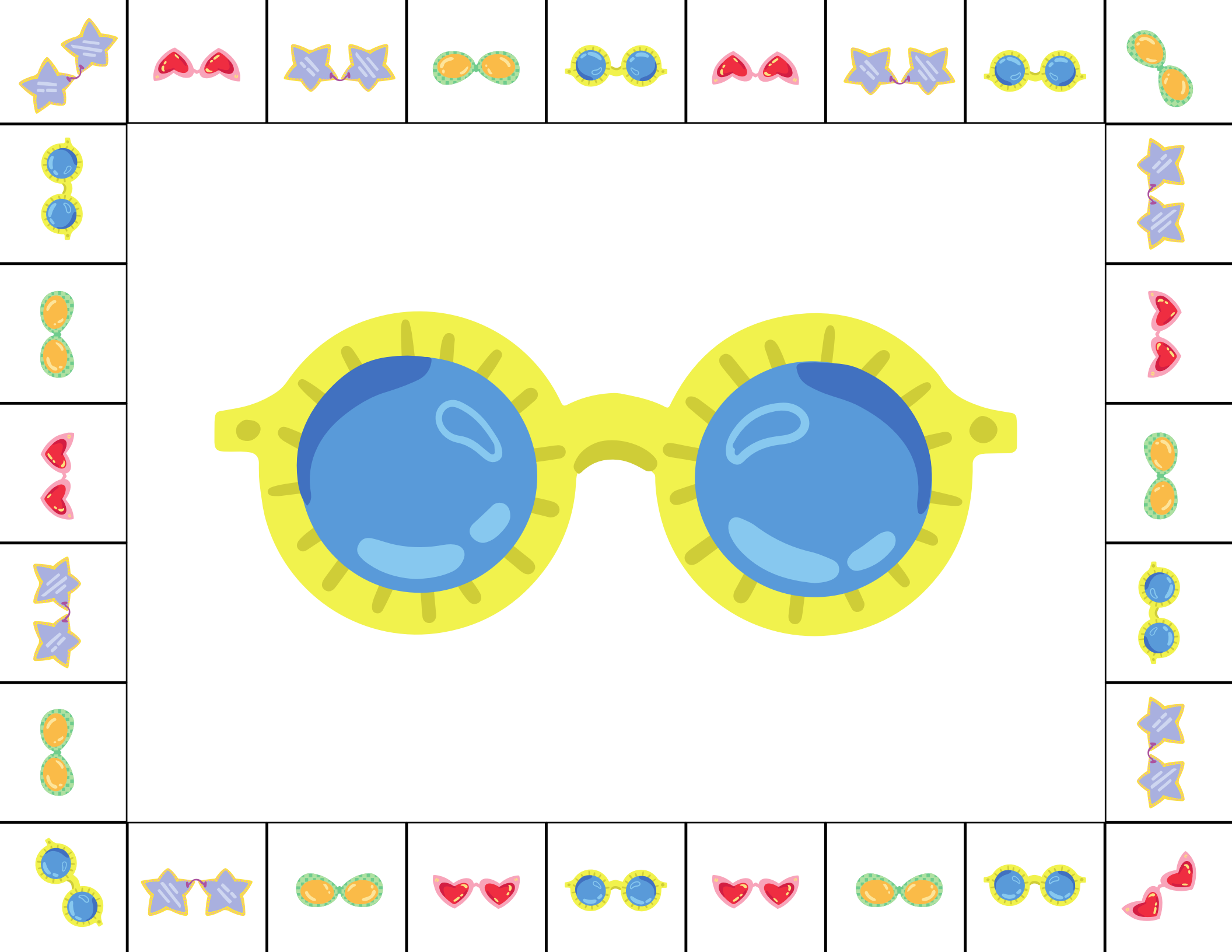
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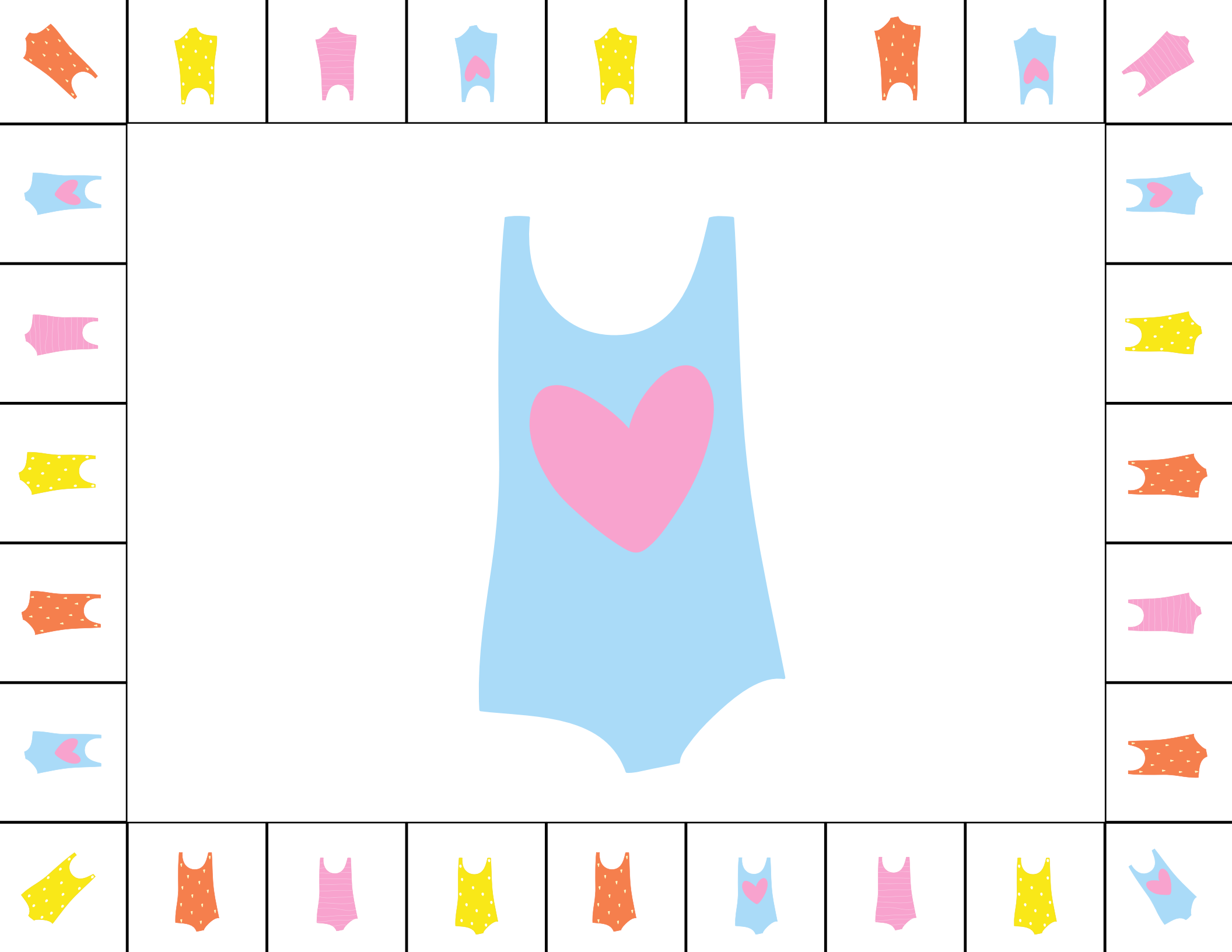
- Instead of clothespins, mark the matching items using small objects, like blocks, play dough balls, erasers, buttons, coins, etc.

























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