

Year 1 – English – Lesson 4

**Why Anansi has Eight
Skinny Legs.**

We are going to describe the food that the characters are cooking in the story.

1. Use the story word map and talk about the animals. Can you remember all of the food they are cooking.



2.



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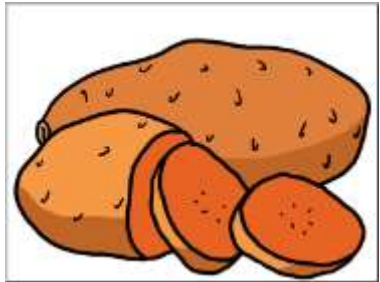
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**Honey, bananas and
beans**



Monkey



Sweet potatoes



Hog

Talk about these foods. The animals were cooking them.
Have you eaten them before?

What did the other animals eat? Talk to your adult about your ideas. Think carefully about the animal and decide what they may be cooking. It's up to you!



Tortoise



Hare



Squirrel



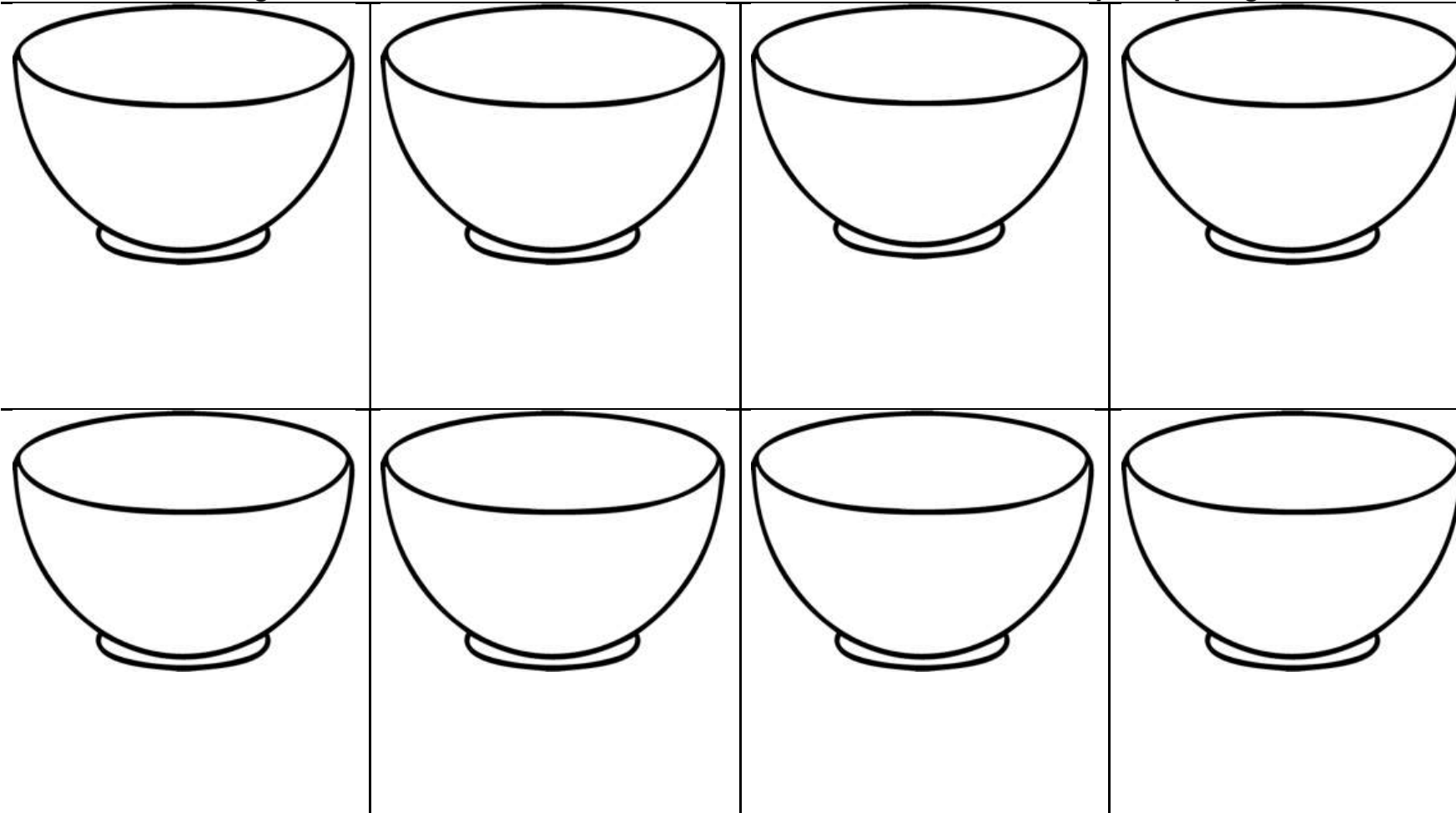
Squirrel



Fox

There are eight bowls. On the bowls you can write and draw the animal. Under the bowl, write down the name of the food. In the bowl, you can draw the food!




What food were the animals cooking in their pots? Re-read the story and draw the food that each animal was cooking. Write the dishes and animal name under each bowl. Check your spellings.



4.

Task: Use the **story word mat** and write the animals, choice of food and draw the food.

Next, choose **one of the challenges** below.

	Challenge 1: Use your phonics to spell the animals
	Challenge 2: write a sentence describing the food in the bowl.
	Challenge 3: Give reasons why the animal has chosen the food.

Remember to keep re-telling the story to your family and maybe act it out together! Watch some different versions of the many Anansi stories.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ugi5KYfQO-0>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cR01RGN0288>



<https://www.unicorntheatre.com/anansi-respun>