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1. **apple**
   1 2 3

2. **cat**
   1 2 3

3. **banana**
   1 2 3

4. **rabbit**
   1 2 3

5. **butterfly**
   1 2 3

6. **dog**
   1 2 3

7. **frog**
   1 2 3

8. **pencil**
   1 2 3

9. **elephant**
   1 2 3

10. **umbrella**
    1 2 3

11. **sun**
    1 2 3

12. **cupcake**
    1 2 3

13. **dinosaur**
    1 2 3

14. **bike**
    1 2 3

15. **monkey**
    1 2 3

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1 (2) 3

ap-ple

2. **cat**

(1) 2 3

cat

3. **banana**

1 2 (3)

ba-na-na

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rab-bit

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1 2 (3)

but-ter-fly

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(1) 2 3

dog

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(1) 2 3

frog

8. **pencil**

1 (2) 3

pen-cil

9. **elephant**

1 2 (3)

el-e-phant

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1 2 (3)

um-brel-la

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di-no-saur

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bike

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mon-key