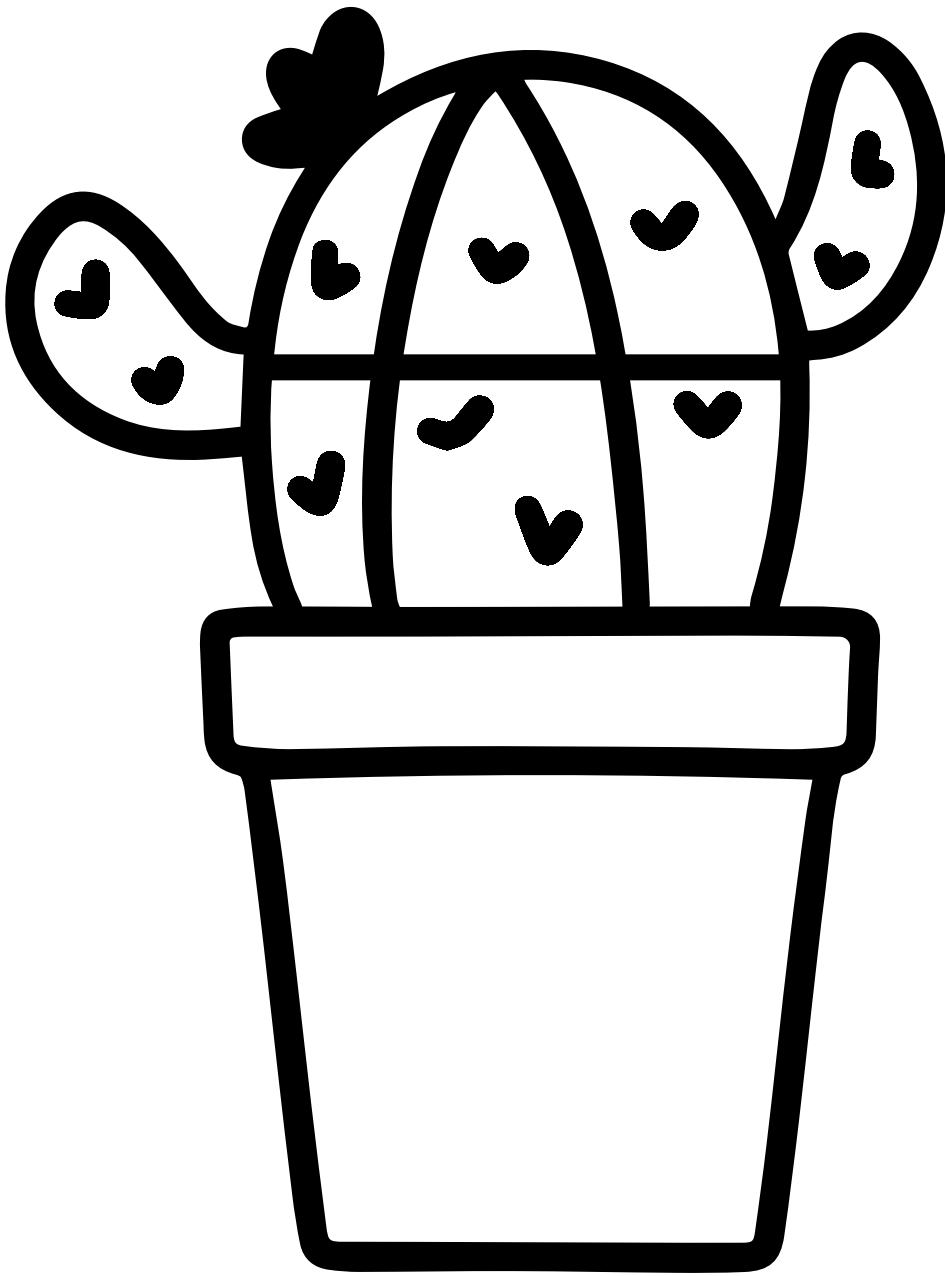


# Freebie Directions

- Select an Option: Choose between the colored or black-and-white version of the cactus craft.
- Prepare Copies: Print enough copies of the selected version for all your students.
- Introduce the Craft: Explain that this craft will help reinforce what they have already learned about syllable division.
- Model the Steps:
  1. Cut out the cactus shape.
  2. Cut out the rectangle with the syllable division steps as a single piece.
  3. Fold the rectangle into an accordion shape.
  4. Cut the top of the cactus in half.
  5. Glue the flaps of the accordion-folded steps to the back of the top and bottom of the cactus.
- Utilize the Craft: Encourage students to keep the completed cactus at their desks as a visual reminder of syllable division steps or take it home to explain the steps to a caretaker.

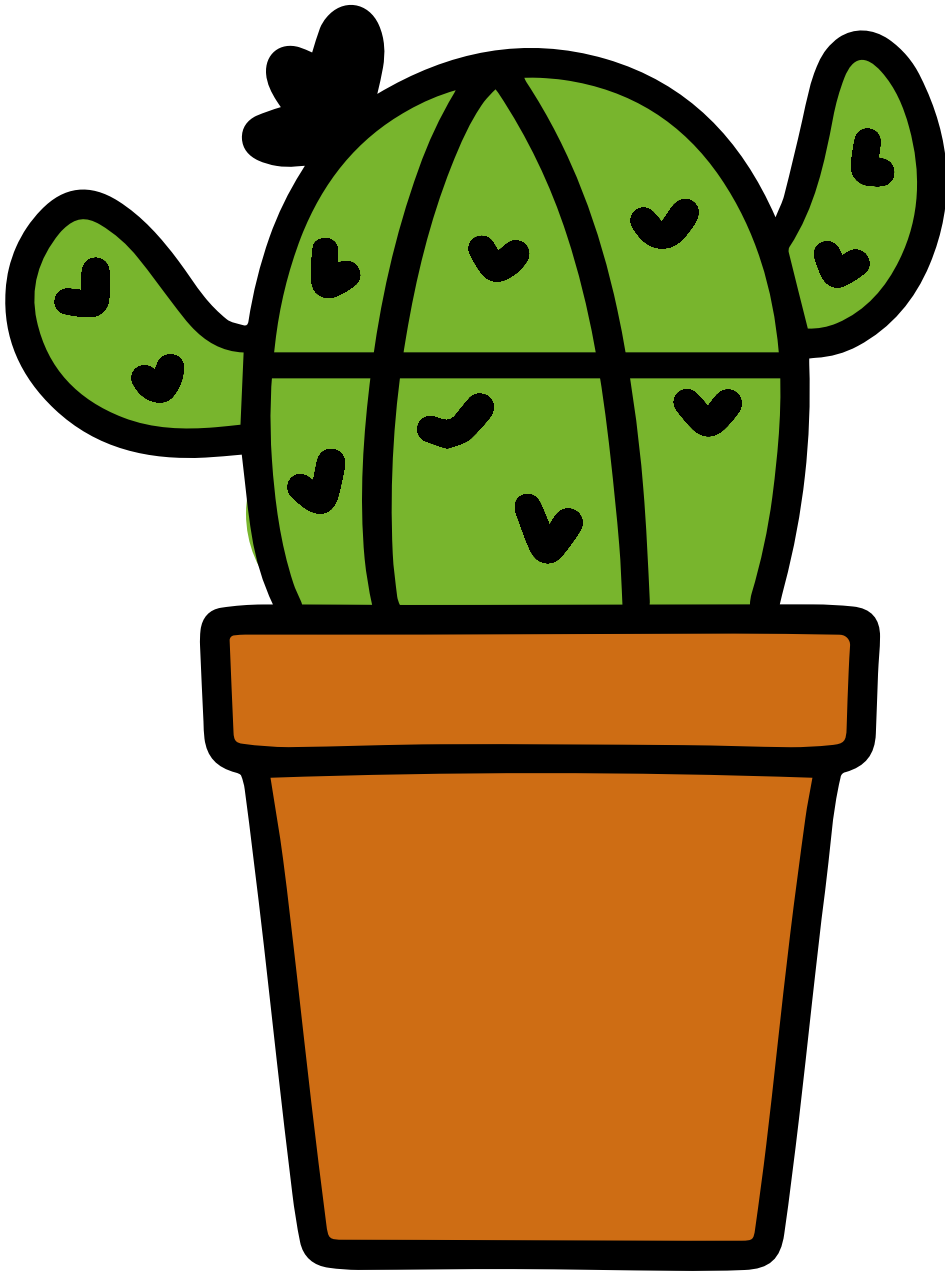


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