FREE: THE ALPHABET FAMILY HAS A HEALTHY THANKSGIVING
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The Alphabet Family Has A Healthy Thanksgiving

Possible YouTube Songs to include in this performance from Strings, Keys, and Melodies on YouTube:

The Alphabet Song (in sign language)
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r7dQ9OLfMBI&feature=plcp

5 Little Turkeys
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tWkNXRMf6BM&feature=plcp

5 Little Pumpkins
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zly4iw3BczO&feature=plcp

The Apple Tree
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hb2NSdnrcFo&feature=plcp

Take Care of Yourself
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZAn-B8TkuAw&feature=plcp
All: Welcome, Everyone!
F: Welcome to our program! We are glad you could come.
A: We’re the alphabet! We like to have fun.
M: We like to be healthy. We hope you do, too.
I: So, sit back and relax.
Y: We hope you enjoy our show.
N: Watch out, though, it might make you hungry!

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All: Oh, no! Who stole the food from the cornucopia?
Z: Not me!
Y: Then who?
All: Who stole the food from the cornucopia?
V: Hmmm... 
X: I know, let’s share some healthy food!
W: Let’s fill the cornucopia together!
All: Great idea!
A: Hi, I'm A!
B: A, what did you bring?
A: I'm brought an apple!
B: Why did you do that?
A: Apples give us vitamins and minerals! They help keep us well.
All: Thanks, A! 

(A tapes a cut out apple in the empty cornucopia. See last section for items to cut out and use.)
B: Hi, I’m B!
C: B, what did you bring?
B: I brought beans!
C: Why did you do that?
B: Beans help our brains. What’s better than that?
All: Thanks, B!
C: Hi, I’m C!
D: C, what did you bring?
C: I brought carrots!
D: Why did you do that?
C: Carrots help our eyes. Don’t you want to see in the dark?
All: Thanks, C!
D: Hi, I’m D!
E: D, what did you bring?
D: I brought dates!!
E: Why did you do that?
D: Dates have potassium. Don’t you like that?
All: Thanks, D!
E: Hi, I’m E!
F: E, what did you bring?
E: I brought eggplant!
F: Why did you do that?
E: Eggplant gives us fiber which is good for us!
All: Thanks, E!
F: Hi, I’m F!
G: F, what did you bring?
F: I brought a Fiji Apple.
G: Why did you do that?
F: Fiji apples are low calorie! I like that!
All: Thanks, F!
G: Hi, I’m G!
H: G, what did you bring?
G: I brought grapes!
H: Why did you do that?
G: Grapes have vitamins and minerals, that’s a fact!
All: Thanks, G!
H: Hi, I’m H!
I: H, what did you bring?
H: I brought honeydew melon!
G: Why did you do that?
H: Honeydew melons help your skin and muscles! I like to be strong!
All: Thanks, H!
I: Hi, I’m I!
J: I, what did you bring?
I: I brought iceberg lettuce!
J: Why did you do that?
I: It has almost no calories! It won’t make us fat!
All: Thanks, I!
J: Hi, I’m J!
K: J, what did you bring?
J: I brought jicama!
K: Why did you do that?
J: Jicama has no carbs!
All: Thanks, J!
K: Hi, I’m K!
L: K, what did you bring?
K: I brought kiwi!
L: Why did you do that?
K: Kiwis have vitamins and fiber, don’t you know that?
All: Thanks, K!

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L: Hi, I’m L!
M: L, what did you bring?
L: I brought a lemon!
M: Why did you do that?
L: Lemons help prevent infections and can cure hiccups!
All: Thanks, L!
M: Hi, I’m M!
N: M, what did you bring?
M: I brought a mushroom!
L: Why did you do that?
M: Mushrooms have potassium and are low fat!
All: Thanks, M!
N: Hi, I’m N!
O:  N, what did you bring?
N: I brought a nectarine!
O:  Why did you do that?
N:  Nectarines have Vitamin A and antioxidants!
All:  Thanks, N!
O: Hi, I’m O!
P: O, what did you bring?
O: I brought an onion!
P: Why did you do that?
O: Onions make things taste good and fight infections, zap!
All: Thanks, O!
P: Hi, I’m P!
Q: P, what did you bring?
P: I brought peas!
Q: Why did you do that?
P: Peas have fiber and Vitamin K!
All: Thanks, P!
Q: Hi, I’m Q!
R:  Q, what did you bring?
Q: I brought quandong!
R:  Why did you do that?
Q:  Quandongs have Vitamin C, they are from Australia, you see!
All:  Thanks, Q!
R: Hi, I’m R!
S: R, what did you bring?
R: I brought raspberries?
S: Why did you do that?
R: Raspberries have the antioxidant manganese!
All: Thanks, R!
S: Hi, I’m S!
T: S, what did you bring?
S: I brought strawberries!
T: Why did you do that?
S: Strawberries help your immune system with minerals, you see!
All: Thanks, S!
T: Hi, I’m T!
U: T, what did you bring?
T: I brought the turkey, of course!
U: Why did you do that?
T: It is Thanksgiving, don’t you know that fact?
All: Thanks, T!
U: Hi, I’m U!
V: U, what did you bring?
U: I brought ugli fruit!
V: Why did you do that?
U: It is like bringing a grapefruit, orange, and tangerine in one fruit!
All: Thanks, U!
V: Hi, I’m V!
W: V, what did you bring?
V: I brought a veggie tray!
W: Why did you do that?
V: The veggie tray can’t be beat for vitamins that keep us fit!
All: Thanks, V!
W: Hi, I’m W!
X: W, what did you bring?
W: I brought a watermelon!
X: Why did you do that?
W: It is hydrating with Vitamins C and A, and is fun to eat!
All: Thanks, W!
X: Hi, I’m X!
Y: X, what did you bring?
X: I brought a xigua!
Y: Why did you do that?
X: It is like a watermelon and then there will be enough for all!
All: Thanks, X!
Y: Hi, I’m Y!
Z: Y, what did you bring?
Y: I brought a yellow squash!
Z: Why did you do that?
Y: This butternut squash is yellow and helps your eyes and bones!
All: Thanks, Y!
Z: Hi, I’m Z!
A: Z, what did you bring?
Z: I brought zucchini!
A: Why did you do that?
Z: The Vitamin C and lutein are both good for your eyes!
All: Thanks, Z!
All: Grandma, you’re here!
B: Grandma, what did you bring?
Grandma: I brought the food for the cornucopia!
All: Oh, that’s where it went!
Grandma: Wasn’t I supposed to take it until today? Oh, dear!
All: Nevermind, you are here now, let’s eat! Happy Thanksgiving!
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The rest of the pages have clip art to fill the cornucopia during the program. However, it would be best to make a large cornucopia from brown paper so the fruits and vegetables will all fit.
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Note: The fruit and vegetables cut outs could also be used in a T-Chart sort of fruit and vegetables.
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A:  Apples give us vitamins and minerals! They help keep us well.
All:  Thanks, A!
B:  Hi, I’m B!
C:  B, what did you bring?
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C:  Why did you do that?
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All:  Thanks, B!
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(Sound effects: DING DONG)
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