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object peace process hectic gigantic

cyclone sincere bicycle panic science

circus drastic electric carousel extravagance

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**Directions:**

* **Mark a “H” on all of the pictures where the “c” makes the hard /k/ sound.**
* **Mark ca “C” on all of the pictures where the “c” makes the soft /s/ sound.**



**Pictures:** Cent, face, cake, pencil, coffee, cell, car, cube, rice, candle, citrus, compass, cup, dance, cow, lace