

LESSON 19

Nan's New Cat

Aa



PHONICS: The short *a* sound

Warm-Up

Talk about the picture. Listen to the limerick. Read it out loud.

Nan's New Cat

Padma gives Nan a new cat.
The tabby cat naps on Nan's hat.
The cat eats some ham
And crab apple jam,
Then the cat makes Nan's hat very flat.

Word Families

A word family is a set of words with the same end sound.

Read the words in these families. Write one more word in each family.

-at	-am	-ap	-ab
that	ham	cap	cab
cat	ram	nap	nab
flat	cram	trap	crab

Words to Know

apple

back

makes

not

quite

Read and Write

Read the sentences. Write the word that fits.

Nan's New Hat

back

Padma calls Hal in his cab.

cat

She wants to get Nan a new _____.

happy

The hat makes Nan quite _____.

hat

She puts the hat on with her new _____.

jacket

Nan loves her new hat and her fat _____.

She will not give that cat _____ to Padma!

Write Sentences

Write sentences. Use both words. Then read your sentences to a partner.

that

cab

1. _____

cat

fat

2. _____

hat

flat

3. _____

Think and Discuss

Tell about a pet you know. Your teacher will write it for you.

LESSON 20

Samara Learns to Spell

Ee



PHONICS: The short e sound

Warm-Up

Talk about the picture. Listen to the limerick. Read it out loud.

Samara Learns to Spell

Samara is learning to spell.

She writes *sell* when she wants to write *cell*.

Oh, it is quite a mess

When c sounds like s

But soon she will spell very well.

Word Families

Read the words in these families. Write one more word in each family.

-ed	-ell	-ess	-et
bed	well	less	get
red	yell	mess	wet
shed	spell	dress	yet

Words to Know

learning

soon

sounds

when

writes

Read and Write

Read the sentences. Write the word that fits.

A Job with a Vet

beds

Chen is a vet.

fed

In May, Samara _____ a job with Chen.

gets

She cleans the pets' messy _____.

helps

She gets the pets _____.

when

Then she _____ Chen.

She tells Chen _____ the pets are not well.

Write Sentences

Write sentences. Use both words. Then read your sentences to a partner.

sell

dress

1. _____

shed

pet

2. _____

tell

spell

3. _____

Think and Discuss

Tell about a job that you do. Your teacher will write it for you.

LESSON 21

Vicky Cooks Fish

Ii



PHONICS: The short *i* sound

Warm-Up

Talk about the picture. Listen to the limerick. Read it out loud.

Vicky Cooks Fish

Vicky cooks fish on the grill.
And all of her friends eat their fill.
Vicky's friends all just sit.
They do not help a bit,
Until Vicky writes them a bill.

Word Families

Read the words in these families. Write one more word in each family.

-ick
kick
pick
quick

-ill
fill
hill
grill

-ip
dip
zip
chip

-it
bit
sit
quit

Words to Know

as

cooks

do

just

until

Read and Write

Read the sentences. Write the word that fits.

Dinner at Vicky's

dinner

Vicky picks up the fish.

dip

She fills the _____ with fish.

grill

Her friends just _____ as she cooks.

sit

They eat chips and _____.

They all eat fish for _____.

Write Sentences

Write sentences. Use both words. Then read your sentences to a partner.

thick

dip

1. _____

flip

grill

2. _____

hill

sit

3. _____

Think and Discuss

Tell about a picnic you have been to. Did you eat chips? Did you help cook? Did you cook on a grill? Your teacher will write it for you.

LESSON 22

A Jog in the Fog

Oo



PHONICS: The short o sound

Warm-Up

Talk about the picture. Listen to the limerick. Read it out loud.

A Jog in the Fog

Don takes his dog for a jog
On a day with a very thick fog.
They jog down the block,
And Don hits a rock.
Now Don does not jog in the fog.

Word Families

Read the words in these families. Write one more word in each family.

-ob

cob

job

rob

-ock

mock

rock

block

-og

fog

log

frog

-op

cop

mop

stop

Words to Know

does

down

now

Saturday

Read and Write

Read the sentences. Write the word that fits.

Don and His Dog

block

On Saturday, Don jogs with his dog.

dog

They jog down the _____.

stop

They jog to the _____ of the hill.

top

They _____ when they get to the top.

The _____ is happy when they stop.

Write Sentences

Write sentences. Use both words. Then read your sentences to a partner.

down

rock

1. _____

job

top

2. _____

stop

block

3. _____

Think and Discuss

Do you jog? Do you walk? Do you exercise? Tell how you feel about jogging. Your teacher will write it for you.

LESSON 23

Gus's Lunch

Uu



PHONICS: The short *u* sound

Warm-Up

Talk about the picture. Listen to the limerick. Read it out loud.

Gus's Lunch

For lunch Gus makes a sub.
On some days he makes a club.
He drinks with a mug,
And gives Jan a hug.
Then he goes to work with his grub!

Word Families

Read the words in these families. Write one more word in each family.

-ub
rub
tub
grub

-uff
cuff
puff
scuff

-ug
bug
hug
plug

-un
sun
fun
run

Words to Know

cold

January

lunch

my

push

Read and Write

Read the sentences. Write the word that fits.

Lunch in the Sun

fun

It is a cold, sunny day in January.

push

Gus wants to eat lunch in the _____.

sub

He drives his _____ to the bluff.

sun

He eats chips and a _____.

truck

He has _____ until the truck gets stuck.

Gus must get Vicky to _____ with her truck.

Write Sentences

Write sentences. Use both words. Then read your sentences to a partner.

rug

stuff

1. _____

tub

run

2. _____

fun

hug

3. _____

Think and Discuss

Tell what you like for lunch. Your teacher will write it for you.

Sentence Pairs

Finish the sentence pairs. Write the word that fits. Then read the sentences out loud.

cold
cooks

down
learning

lunch
make

until
writes



1. a. Samara is _____ to spell.
b. She _____ to her friend Wayne.



2. a. Vicky _____ fish on the grill.
b. Her friends eat _____ they are full.



3. a. Don jogs _____ the block.
b. He does not get _____ when he jogs.



4. a. Gus makes a sub for _____.
b. Now and then he may _____ a club.

Word Families

Write one word that belongs in each family.

-at

hat

-am

ham

-ap

cap

-ab

cab

-ed

bed

-ell

fell

-ess

mess

-et

let

-ick

sick

-ill

fill

-ip

dip

-it

pit

-ob

sob

-ock

dock

-og

bag

-op

cop

-ub

tub

-uff

muff

-ug

hug

-un

run

Make Words

Put the letter with the word families to make words. The first one is done for you. Read the words.

- | | | | | | |
|------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1. l | <u>l</u> ab | <u>l</u> et | <u>l</u> ip | <u>l</u> og | <u>l</u> ug |
| 2. p | ___ at | ___ et | ___ it | ___ ot | ___ uff |
| 3. t | ___ ab | ___ ell | ___ ick | ___ op | ___ ug |
| 4. s | ___ at | ___ ell | ___ ick | ___ ock | ___ un |
| 5. b | ___ at | ___ et | ___ ill | ___ og | ___ ug |

What Do You Want to Do?

Check what you would like to do. Tell why.

- | | |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| ___ Jog down the block. | ___ Eat a sub for lunch. |
| ___ Eat fish from the grill. | ___ Learn to spell. |
| ___ Get a cat for a pet. | ___ Work for a vet. |
| ___ Eat lunch in the sun. | ___ Get a new hat. |

Write Sentences

Write sentences. Use all the words in the box. Then read your sentences to a partner.

pick
red
apple

1. _____

fill
jug
Padma

2. _____

run
tell
mess

3. _____

Puzzle

Read the words out loud. Write words where they fit. Use all the words. Some letters are there to help you.

APPLE	DRESS	ILL	PUSH	SOUNDS
AT	GARDEN	JANUARY	QUICK	SPELL
DINNER	GRILL	LEARNING	ROCK	STOP
DOES	HAPPY	NAP	RUN	THEIR
DOWN	HIS	PLUG	SATURDAY	WRITE

The crossword puzzle grid contains the following pre-filled letters:

- Row 1: S, U, D, S, H, P, Y
- Row 2: T, D, E, S, Q
- Row 3: R, I, E, L, R, I, G
- Row 4: J, A, A, Y, K, I
- Row 5: P, G, L
- Row 6: T, D, E, S
- Row 7: D, N, E
- Row 8: R, N, P, N, P, S