

# Get Ready to Read



## Parents! Help your child get ready to read.

All the words in the comicbook are presented in this section. Encourage your child to sound out each word and help them with unfamiliar words. Watch our learning video together for a full and fun review!



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**Follow** these simple steps to help your child sound out each word!

- Point to each word.
- Sound out each word slowly, clapping or tapping out each sound.
- Practice slowly blending the letter sounds together.

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Sight words are high frequency words. Some can be sounded out but many are tricky to read and spell. Help your child learn these sight words by heart!

## Sight Words

a	get	in	the
an	has	is	this
and		it	
at		on	

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Fat Cat Level 1 is designed for readers who can sound out CVC words (consonant-vowel-consonant words like c-a-t). Review these words with your child, taking note of the different short vowel sounds.

## Short Vowels

bad	jam	pen	cop
bag	ham		dog
can	mad	big	hot
cat	nap	mix	
fan	van		bun
fat	yam		tug

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Digraphs are two letters that together make one sound like sh and ch. This story features words that end with the digraph sh.

## Digraphs

dish	cash
fish	crash

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This book introduces a number of consonant blends. Consonant blends include l blends (fl, gl, pl, sl) and s blends (sn, sp, st). Ending blends covered in this book are nd, nk, mp.

## Consonant Blends

flip	snack	land
glad	spin	bank
plan	fast	jump
slam		