

HELP YOUR CHILD LEARN TO READ

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Study Tips

homework and reading



HOMWORK / TAREA

HOMWORK



SAME TIME

HOMWORK



SAME QUIET PLACE



SLEEP

SLEEP



8 HOURS



READING

READING



VISIT LIBRARY

READING



READ TO CHILD
IN ENGLISH OR SPANISH

READING



LISTEN TO CHILD READ

Learning to Read

1. Phonemic Awareness



C-A-T = CAT



PUT SOUNDS TOGETHER ORALLY

cat & fat
pod and cod



MAKE RHYMING WORDS

Cat
change
/c/ to /f/



Cat
change
/t/ to /b/

Cat
change
/a/ to /u/

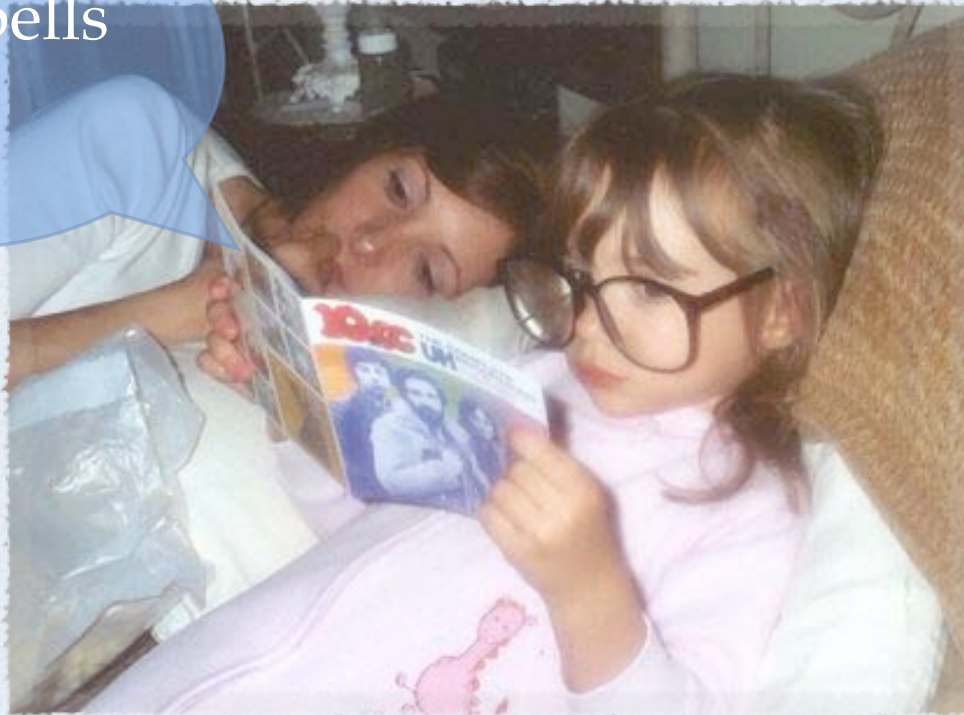
CHANGE SOUNDS



Learning to Read

2. Phonics

c-a-t spells
cat



BLENDING WORDS



c

a

t

Create flash cards with letters on them.



b

a

t

First practice initial consonant replacement.

b

a

d

final consonant replacement

b

u

d

vowel sound replacement

b

u

d

Game: How do I change bud into bid?

b

i

d

Game: How do I change bid into bide?

b

i

d

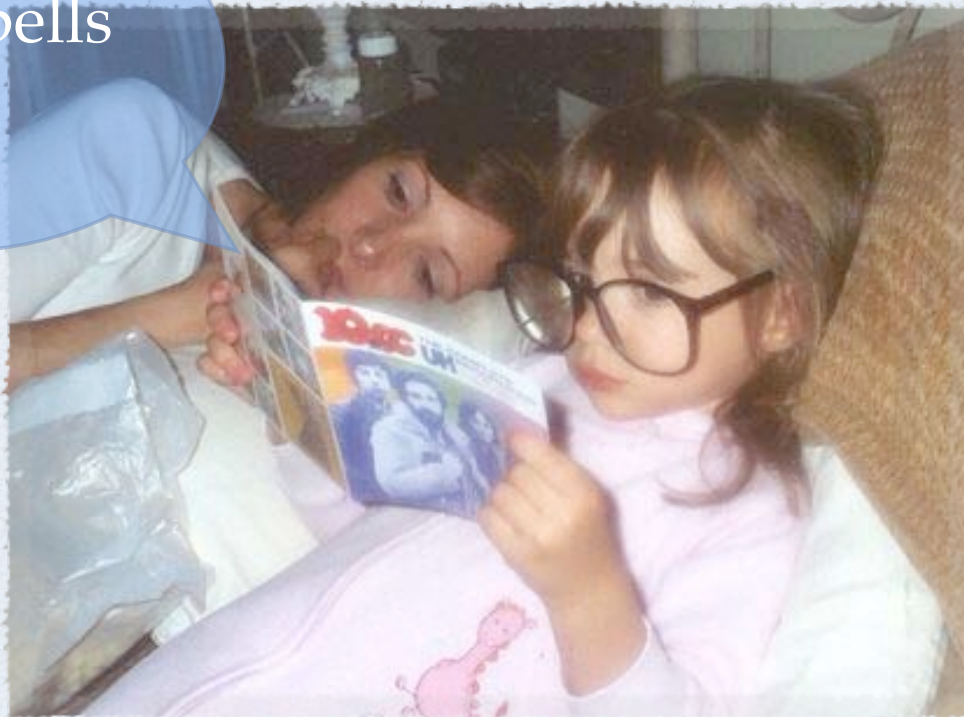
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3. High frequency words

t-h-e spells
the

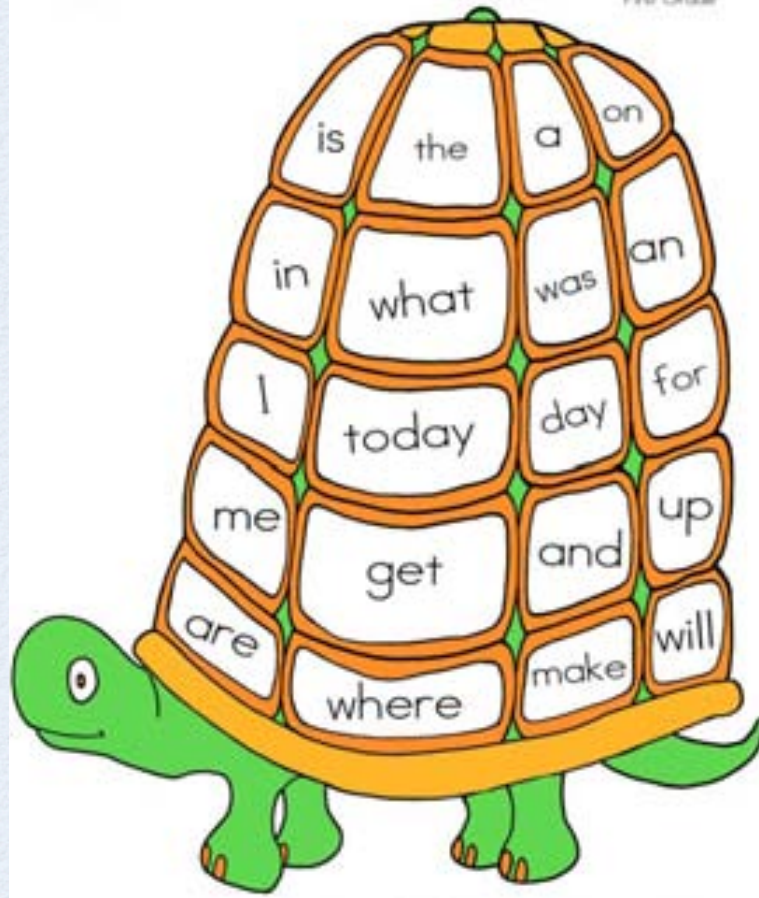


MEMORIZING HIGH
FREQUENCY WORDS

HIGH FREQUENCY WORDS

Name _____

Turtle #1
First Grade



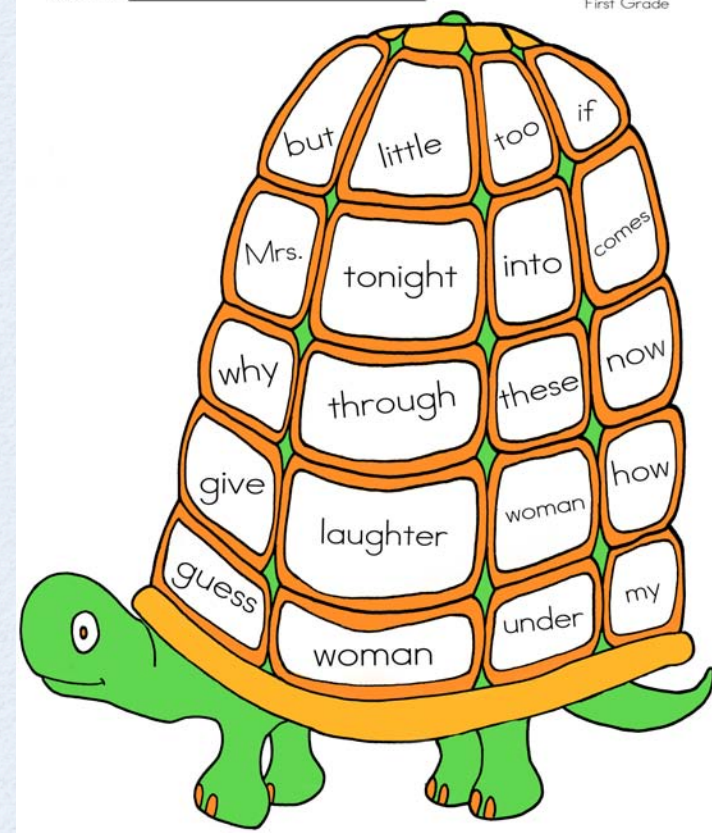
A cartoon turtle with a green head and legs and an orange shell. The shell is divided into 28 segments, each containing a common first-grade word. The words are arranged in a grid-like pattern across the shell.

is	the	a	on
in	what	was	an
I	today	day	for
me	get	and	up
are	where	make	will

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Name _____

Turtle #5
First Grade



A cartoon turtle with a green head and legs and an orange shell. The shell is divided into 28 segments, each containing a common first-grade word. The words are arranged in a grid-like pattern across the shell.

but	little	too	if
Mrs.	tonight	into	comes
why	through	these	now
give	laughter	woman	how
guess	woman	under	my

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READING BOOKS

Listen to your child read.



Follow words with finger
as you read
(called tracking).

WEB SITES TO SUPPORT



www.opencourtresources.com

www.turtlewords.net

www.starfall.com

