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Reader



The Big Cut

Look for
**Short Vowel
Sounds**



Break apart the sounds in each word and then try saying the sounds all together fast.
“This is a /p/ /o/ /t/, pot!” This works for longer words too!

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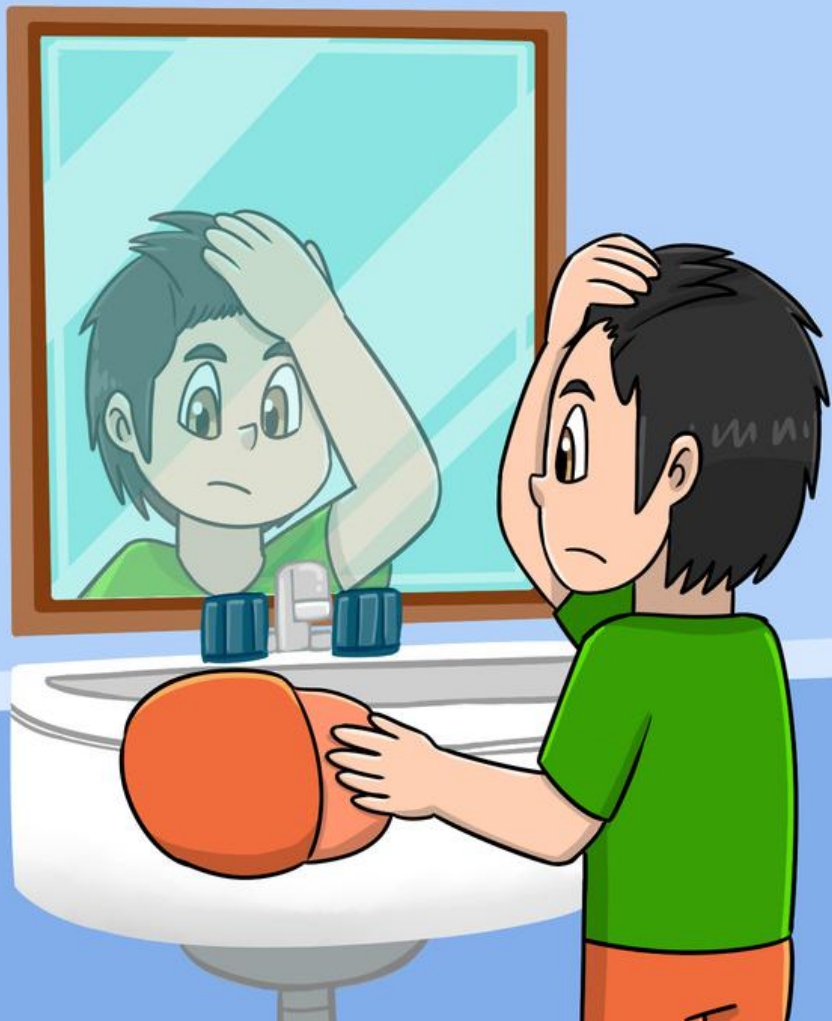
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Van has his hat on.



Van rubs it.

Look at all the fuzz!



Van cut off a bit
of fuzz.

He likes it.



Van cut off a big bit
of fuzz.



The rug has fuzz.



Van cut a LOT of fuzz.



Look!

Van has a bit of fuzz,
but not a lot!



A
B
C
D

Target Phonics Skill

Short /ü/ CVC Words



CVC Fun

- Tap out the sound in each word to help your reader sound out the word.
- Tap your shoulder for the first sound.
- Tap your elbow for the vowel sound.
- Tap your wrist for the final consonant sound.
- Then put them all together faster!



Decodable Words

cut	fuzz
off	rug
bit	big



High-Frequency Words

at	he
it	look
not	the

Decodable Words can be sounded out based on the letter-sound relationships.

High-Frequency Words are the most commonly used words. Your reader will begin to recognize them.

CVC Words are consonant-vowel-consonant words like cap or big. The vowel sound is always short.

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