



Sound Discovery Decodables www.syntheticphonics.net

1. Sound Discovery Fold-it Books 1 (SD10A) - alphabet

Ant	s a t p i n	cvc
Ant in a pan	s a t p i n	cvc
Pat is an ant	s a t p i n	cvc
Sam the man	c e h r m d	cvc
Sam's cat	c e h r m d	cvc
The rat	c e h r m d l	cvc
Sam and his cat	c e h r m d	cvc
Red Hen	o b g x c k	cvc
Lost!	o f l b u g c k	cvc
Ben	o f l b u g w	cvc
Get up Ben	o f l b u g x c k	cvc
Rip	o f l b u g x c k	cvc
Sam's van	j v w z y k q u x c k	cvc
Sid	j v w z y k q u x c k	cvc
Sid's wigwam	all alphabet sounds	2-syllable cvc
Mumps	all alphabet sounds	cvcc
Bandits!	all alphabet sounds	2-syllable cvc and cvcc
Puggin the piglet	all alphabet sounds	2-syllable cvc and cvcc
The Muzzwump hunt	all alphabet sounds	2-syllable cvc, cvcc and ccvc
Tinman	all alphabet sounds	2-syllable cvc, cvcc and ccvc

2. Sound Discovery Texts (SD5) – alphabet

Ben	alphabet	cvc
Tim	alphabet	cvc
Meg's Tennis Lesson	alphabet	2-syllable cvc
Jim's picnic	alphabet	2-syllable cvc
The Pond	alphabet	cvcc
The Camp	alphabet	cvcc
Twins	alphabet	ccvc
Camp Flag	alphabet	ccvc
The Tramp's Cramp	alphabet	ccvcc
Stuntman	alphabet	ccvcc

3. Fold-it Books 2 (SD10B) & Activity Book (ABFB) – alphabet + digraphs

Jet Lag	alphabet + ck, ff, ll, gg	cvc
Fat Cat	alphabet + ck, ff	cvc
Big Bad Jim	alphabet + th	cvc
Maximus	alphabet + ss	cvcc
Kevin the Celt	alphabet + nk	cvcc
Go Nuts!	alphabet + 2-syllable	ccvcc
How to make a Ham Roll	alphabet + ll, ff	cvc
Nan's Loft	alphabet + ff, nk, th, -ing	cvcc
Aladdin	alphabet + 2-3 syllables, -ed, -ing	ccvcc
The Cat and the Fox	as above + consonant doubling	Fits L&S Phases 4 and 6
The Quack Frog	as above	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
The Lost Kid	as above	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
The Hen and the Fox	alphabet + sh, th, ng, ck	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
The Six Legged Squink	as above	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
Shells	as above, polysyllabic words	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
The Three Little Pigs	as above	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
The Milkmaid and her Pail	as above + ai, ee	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
The Fox and the Goat	as above + oa	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
The Rich Farmer	as above + ie, ue, ar, er, or	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing
How the Kangaroo got its Tail	all 42 phonemes + -ed	Fits L&S Phase 4 + suffixing

4. Sound Discovery King Wizzit Series: Storybooks (SD15) & Comprehension (SD17) - digraphs

Fish and Chips for the King	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck
The King's Ship	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck
On the Dragon's Back	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck
The Festival	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee
The King's Maid	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai
The King's Best Queen Contest	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai
No Rest for the King	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai, oa,
Off to the Land of Sox	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai, oa, ie
The Wells of Gold	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai, oa, ie,
In the Land of Sweets	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai, oa, ie, ue
King Tosh	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai, oa, ie, ue
The Banquet	all alphabet, sh, ch, th, ng, nk, ck, ee, ai, oa, ie, ue

5. Sound Discovery Phoneme Spotter Stories: Books 1 (PSS1), 2 (PSS2) and 3 (PSS3) - alternative spellings for sounds

	sound	written as
The Fitness Twins at the Gym	i as in pin	i, y
*Jake and Daisy	ai as in rain	a-e, ai, ay, ey, a
The Football Team	ee as in see	ee, ea, e, e-e
A Fright in the Night	ie as in pie	i-e, ie, igh, y, i
Home Alone for Snowball	oa as in coat	o-e, oa, o, ow
A Musical Rescue	ue as in statue	u-e, u, ew, ue
Garth's Fast Car	ar as in farm	a, ar
Star Footballers - Herb and Bert	er as in her	er, ur, ir
Paul and Paula at the Zoo	or as in for	or, au, al, aw
Moira and Roy's Allotment	oi as in boil	oy, oi
Football Crowds	ou as in house	ow, ou
The TV Cook	oo as in good	oo, oul, u
Too Good to be True	oo as in food	oo, ue, ew, u-e, ou, oe
New School, New Friends	e as in bed	e, ea, ai, ie
No Trouble - Mum Will Fix it	u as in fun	u, ou, o-e, o
Samantha's Fairy Godmother	air as in hair	air, ere, ear, are
The Christmas Party	c as in cat	c, k, ck, ch
George, Agent to the Stars	j as in jam	j, g(e), g(i), g(y) ge, dge
Each Peach, Itch Witch	ch as in chip	ch, tch
Hank and Andy's Pets	ng+k as in bank	nk
Chance to Escape	s as in sat	s, ss, c(e), c(i), c(y), ce, se
Whales in Wales	w as in went	w, wh
**The Phenomenal Family	f as in fat	f, ff, ph, gh
Queen Guinevere	ear as in hear	ear, ere, eer
Tournaments	ure as in tour	ure, our, oor
Curds and Whey	ur as in curd	ur, ear, or

Examples of Phoneme Spotter Stories

* "It was Sunday. Jake and Daisy got up late. To start the day they had bacon and eggs, with bagels and jam. "What shall we do today?" "Let's wait for the papers then do some cooking." Daisy put on an apron and laid the plates on a tray. For the main dish they made pasta to have with oxtail. Next Jake rolled some pastry for an apricot pie. They ate it all for supper."

** "Phillip and Daphne had five sons. Their nephew also lived with them as he was an orphan. They were a phenomenal family who were involved in every sphere of learning. They studied geography and physics, physiology and philosophy. As if that were not enough even the baby had a flair for learning. ... The nephew drew graphs and took photographs. He felt a bit of a phoney as he did other stuff just for fun. ... Phillip sat in a draughty staffroom at work and got a cold. He started to cough. He developed a stuffy nose and started to sniff and cough. No problem, his wife Daphne was a pharmacist and made up a soothing cough syrup. Phew! What a family. Was it tough being one of them? Not at all. They were fond of each other and laughed a lot. They just did not spend much time sleeping!"

**6. Sound Discovery Precision Monitoring and Speed Reads: Books 2 (PMB2) and 3 (PMB3)
- alternative spellings and polysyllabic words**

title	sound	spellings
A Silly Story	i as in pin	i, y
Late?	ai as in rain	a-e, ay
Mountains	ai as in rain	ai
Come to Weymouth by Train	ai as in rain	ai, ay, ey
Peter's Jumping Beans	ee as in see	ea
Mike's Easter	ie as in pie	i-e
The Sly Spy	ie as in pie	y
A Fright in the Night!	ie as in pie	igh
Jim's Bad Day	oa as in coat	oa, o
Snow!	oa as in coat	ow
The Poles	oa as in coat	o-e
Toast for the Ghost	oa as in coat	oa, o, oe
Beach Rescue	ue as in statue	ue
Try New Chocobites!	ue as in statue	ew
Amused by Tubes!	ue as in statue	u-e
Star Pupil!	ue as in statue	u
Rick the Bricklayer	c as in cat	c, k, ck
Chris the Chemist	c as in cat	ch
Junk Shop Jerry	j as in jam	j
The Artful Dodger	j as in jam	ge, dge
Bungee Jumping	j as in jam	g(e), dge
Generous George	j as in jam	g(e), ge, dge
Winston Churchill	ch as in chip	ch
Grandma's Ten Stitches	ch as in chip	tch
Plankton	ng+k as in bank	nk
Bicycle	s as in sat	c(e)
Cinderella	s as in sat	c(e), c(i), c(y)
Second World War	w as in went	'Wicked w' changes sound of vowels
The Whirling Wheelchair	w as in went	wh
Photosynthesis	f as in fat	ph
My Nephew	f as in fat	f, ph, gh
	ROOTS, PREFIXES AND SUFFIXES	
Edward Jenner	-ed and past tense	
The Ozone Layer	more root words	
Bacteria	rules for adding -ing	
Tilly	-able	
The Mass of the Earth	-est, -ment	
Boudicca	-ous, -ence, -ance	
Submarines	re-, ex-, trans-, sub-, mis-	
Asteroids	dis-, pre-, post-, un-, in-, im-	
Grandma	consonant -le	
Captain Scott	-tion	
*Television	-sion, -ssion	
Bears	-tious, -cious, -xious, -ture	

*** Example of Speed Reads**

"Is television a good invention? It's a good subject for discussion. Many people feel that there are occasions when they need to relax in the comfort of their own homes. They value the provision of news, films and entertainment on television. However, others see television as an invasion of their peace. Parents are concerned that their children waste time and see too much aggression. Perhaps children should ask permission to watch certain programmes. In conclusion, it would be a brave decision to get rid of the television!"

Further examples of decodable text

Sound Discovery Fold-It Books 1 (SD10) - Get up Ben!

"Tick tock, tick tock, six o'clock. Get up Ben! Get up and get the eggs. Ben is still in bed. Is he fit? Is he sick? Can he get the eggs? Sam has to get the eggs. Get well Ben!"

Sound Discovery Texts (SD5) – Meg's Tennis Lesson

"Meg has to go to a tennis lesson. She is fed-up. She cannot visit Tom until sunset. Tom has a pet rabbit."

Sound Discovery Fold-It Books 2 (SD10B) – The Cat and the Fox

"A fox just had to impress a cat with his tricks. "I have lots of tricks!" he bragged. "I've hundreds of plans for getting away from dogs." "I have just one trick," said the cat, "but it is a good trick." Just then a pack of dogs began yapping and yelping. They ran to the spot by the cat and the fox. Quick as a blink, the cat ran up a big tree. His trick was quick! The fox was hesitant. He had lots of tricks. At last he began to run from the spot by the tree. But the pack of dogs jumped on him. And that was the end of the fox and his bagful of tricks! *Moral: One good plan is better than a hundred bad ones.*"

Sound Discovery King Wizzit Storybooks (SD15) – Fish and Chips for the King

"This king is rich and posh. He has a lot of gold in the bank. He has a gold dish and a golden goblet. He has a red jacket with gold buttons. His big bed has red blankets. He is posh, rich and fat. The king spends all his gold on chips. He has chips in his gold dish for lunch. Not fish and chips. He has such a lot of chips that he gets fat. His posh red jacket will not fit. The buttons pop off! He cannot get into his big bed. In fact, he is much too fat. The king has to slim. He has no chips for lunch. He jogs and jumps and skips and runs and swims. At last he gets thin. But he is much too thin! His red jacket is too big. He is lost in the big bed. He is sad. He thinks of chips ... chips ... chips. Then he jogs to the fish and chip shop. He thinks of *fish* and chips. Fish is best for a king! He gets his lunch from the shop. With a lot of fish and just ten chips he can be fit, not fat. The king is glad. He sings a song, as he jogs back. "On my trips, to get the chips, I must get fish, to finish the dish. Fish is best! shrimps and crab, haddock and cod, all on the slab. Just ten chips, sit in the packet, in the big top pocket, of my red jacket. Lots of chips, are just for gluttons, with big fat chins, and popped off buttons!" "

Sound Discovery Phoneme Spotter Stories (PSS1) – Home Alone with Snowball

"Snowball was home alone in his paddock. His owners, Mr and Mrs Crow, were out for the day. Last November, Snowball was just a foal. Now he is a grown up pony. A north wind began to blow. Snowball was cold and lonely. He had no-one to play with him. Suddenly a sharp stone hit him. He jumped right over the gate and bolted along the road. Jo was riding her bike on the road. She went to Snowball and spoke softly, "Slow down old fellow. Don't go so fast." Snowball came to a stop. Jo stroked his nose. "Hello," she said. "You must be Snowball." She took off her yellow coat and put it on his back. She opened the gate and rode him into the paddock. ..."

Sound Discovery Phoneme Spotter Stories (PSS2) – Moira and Roy's Allotment

"Moira and Roy had an allotment. "I wish we had more time to look after it," said Roy. Moira enjoyed growing things to eat. Roy liked to grow flowers. One weekend Moira and Roy went to the allotment. Roy started to dig the soil and plant some bulbs. Moira wanted to pick a Savoy cabbage. She got a shock. "Look!" she said. "The slugs have destroyed and spoiled my sprouts. I am annoyed!" "What a disappointment," said Roy. "Slugs like it when the soil is moist, like this. I will stop digging, boil some water and make you a cup of tea." ..."

Sound Discovery Phoneme Spotter Stories (PSS3) – Hank and Andy's Pets

"Hank Monk drives an oil tanker. He is a bit of a hunk and funny too. In his spare time he takes part in pantomimes. He loves to play pranks ... Last Christmas he played Willy Wonker in *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*. This year he is playing Widow Twanky in *Aladdin*, at the Winter Gardens. "I think I'll be good at it," he said. My pet monkey, Twinkle and my pet mink, Pinky can take part too." ..."

Sound Discovery Speed Reads (PMB2) – A Fright in the Night!

"The clock struck twelve. It was midnight. Emily had tried to get to sleep, but it was no good. She was still wide awake. The light from the moon was streaming into her room. It was too bright. Suddenly there was a big crash! Emily dived right under the quilt to hide. ... Was it a monster having a fight? ... "

Sound Discovery Speed Reads (PMB3) – Bears

"If you go camping in America beware of the bears! They have a voracious appetite for your food, so lock it in the boot of your car. Although you should be cautious, don't be anxious because bears are usually shy. However, if cornered or disturbed, they may become vicious! ...They vary in stature, from the small sun bear to ... Bears eat almost anything, but find honey and ants particularly delicious!"