

## LESSON 26

*Review the material from the previous lessons using the sound-letter deck, the high-frequency word deck, and the whiteboards.*

*New material: the FLOSS spelling rule*

Explain that the FLOSS spelling rule says that most often the letters **f**, **l**, **s**, and **z** are doubled at the end of words.

*Words to read and write:*

<b>tiff miff jiff off ruff muff cuff puff</b>
<b>bell tell sell sill bill fill will</b>
<b>cuff muff ruff dull</b>
<b>pass mass mess miss kiss</b>
<b>toss boss moss loss</b>
<b>jazz fizz fuzz razz</b>

Note: At this point, we are excluding words like “roll” or “ball,” which will be introduced later because the vowel makes a different sound. We are also excluding “bull,” “full,” and “pull” because **u** makes the “oo” sound as in “foot.”

*Introduce the new high-frequency words you have written onto flashcards. Have the student write the high-frequency words three times while pronouncing the words:*

**we, be<sup>1</sup>**

*Have the student read:*

**Tell Bill to get the bags to pack for us.**

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<sup>1</sup> **we**: **w** is already decodable; **e** making the long “e” sound will be decodable in Lesson 47  
**be**: **b** is already decodable; **e** same as above

**Jazz is a lot of fun.**

**If we let the dogs come in, Tim's hut will be a big mess.**

**We huff and puff as we run up the hills.**

**Toss me my muff.**

**Tell me where they sell the pop, and I will get it for us.**

**There is a lot of fizz in my pop.**

**We are ill and will not do the jazz gig.**

*Have the student write from your dictation:*

My dog Ruff fell in the pit.

He set up a box of dolls to sell.

Bill fills the red cups with pop.

My boss was ill but did not want to quit the job.

Will you pass me the ham and the jam?

Will the pup be in the cab with us?

*Have the student do a "triple read" of some of the sentences above.*

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