

LESSON 20

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

Make the sound with your student and have your student write the lowercase letter of this sound on a whiteboard three times while saying the sound. Create a flashcard for the sound-letter deck:

U/u (as in “up”)

Warm Up With Sound Play:

Say, “This is exciting! The ‘u’ sound is our last short vowel sound. We can find the ‘u’ sound mostly in the middle of words and at the beginning of words like ‘up’ and ‘umbrella.’”

“Let’s brainstorm a list of words with the ‘u’ sound.”

Examples: rug, hug, chuckle, plug, thumb, stub, rub, stuck, mud, stump, hump, hum, strum, drum, dumb, fluffy, rough, tough, stuff

Say, “Which words in the following lists have the ‘u’ sound?”

bumblebee, tumble, top, chop (bumblebee, tumble)

check, block, chuck, chick (chuck)

suntan, sock hop, chunk, bump (suntan, chunk, bump)

Words to read and write:

up but cup gut jut nut bum muck puck lub

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:

there, here¹

Have the student read:

“Get up,” I said. “Peg ran off to the hut with my Kit Kat!”

Sal got up and said, “I will get it back for you.”

Sal and I ran to the hut, but Peg was not there.

Peg was on a log.

“Come here!” said Peg. “I have a Kit Kat for you.”

Have the student write from your dictation:

There was a pup and a kit at the top of the dam.

Jud said, “I was here and the sun was hot.”

The pup did lick my cup.

There was a wet rug in the hut.

¹ **there:** **th** will be decodable in Lesson 27; **er** making the “air” sound will be decodable in Lesson 114
here: **h** is already decodable; **ere** will be decodable in Lesson 51

Have the student do a “triple read” of some of the sentences above.

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