

Foundation

Literacy resources for Pre-Primary (WA), Kindergarten (NSW, ACT), Preparatory (QLD, VIC, TAS), Reception (SA) & Transition (NT)

First Reading Books

Engaging, modern, controlled text
reading books

To maximise gains in the early reading phase, students require access to high quality reading books. Quality early reading materials will facilitate the opportunity for students to rehearse their decoding skills in a context that gradually increases in complexity and length. Within the designed book lists, sight words and phonic concepts are progressively introduced.

The recommended reading books have been organised into sets of take home readers and in-class multiple copy sets to facilitate shared reading and repeated reading.

The books have been selected for 4 to 6 year olds, when students are first learning to read. However, the books can be presented to older students who are slow to progress within other reading schemes.

The books are supplied with identification labels to assist with storage and organization. The books, which are available only in sets and cannot be purchased as individual copies.

The books are designed to run alongside an evidence-based structured synthetic phonics program.

Research repeatedly reports that the gains are greatest from the initial years of schooling when students are first learning to read. These booklists are provided as cost-effective options for schools to modernise their early reading material and to achieve a positive start to reading for the students in their care.



\$398.10
Total Inc. GST

Class Sets of VC & CVC Reading Books

with limited basic sight words and minimal phonic concepts.

Set consists of 60 books, 6 copies of the 10 titles listed.*

Title	Type of reading material	Word Count	Number of CVC words	Sight Words	Early Phonic Concepts
1 Pip Pip Pip	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC, CVC	42	30	is, a	
2 Sit in it	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC, CVC	44	32	is, a	
3 Mop it	VC, CVC	29	16	the, is, and	
4 Not the cat!	VC, CVC	31	10	is, the, go, and	
5 On the dot	VC, CVC	30	16	the, is	
6 Up on deck	VC, CVC	54	18	the, is, has, and	deck, rock, peck, duck,
7 Mog and Mim	VC, CVC & CVC with ck and ff	55	35	is, to, the	back, muck, huff, puff,
8 Get up Tom	VC, CVC & some ck	64	27	the, is	sock, pick,
9 Sam and the nut	VC, CVC & some ck	65	28	the, go, is	kick, pick
10 Bad Luck, Dad	VC, CVC & CVC with ck, ff//ll/ss	60	34	a, as, the, I, go, no	luck, pick, kiss, huff, tell

\$450.00
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Class Sets of CVC, CCVC & CVCC Reading Books

with increased length further sight words and phonic concepts.

Set consists of 60 books, 6 copies of the 10 titles listed.*

Title	Type of reading material	Word Count	Sight Words	Phonic Concepts	Lines of text per page
1 Pat the rat	CVC, CCVC, CVCC	80	the, is, has,	ck, (ai x 1)	single line of text
2 Cat and dog in a mess	CVC, CCVC	89	was, the, of, he,	CVC with ss, ck, ll, ff	single line of text
3 Muck it up	CVC, CCVC, CVCC	78	The, is, for,	ck, ss,	single line of text
4 The big red bus	CVC, CCVC, CVCC	79	the, is, to, of,	ll, ss, ck, ff, (ai x 1)	single line of text
5 In the frog bog	CVC, CVCC, CVCC, CCC,	107	to, the, go, all, are, we, you, they, like, sp, little, ask	ar, ng, ch, ee, ck, ff, oi, igh	1-2 lines of text
6 The best vest quest	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC, CCC-	100	of, to, the, I, all, my, be, was, little	ng, oo, sh, qu, ar, ck,	1-3 lines of text
7 Rat's wishing hat	CVC, CCVC, CVCC	154	the, you, like	sh, th, ng, ee, oo, ou	1, 2, & 3 lines per page
8 We are not fond of rat	CVC, CCVC, CVCC	144	are, of, I, all, to, like, said, they, see, was	ck, ng, qu, sh, th, ee, ll, ss	2 lines of text
9 The monster and the mouse	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC, CCC-	134	was, said, the, I'm, you, of, to,	sh, er, ng, th, oo, ee, ch, oa,	Predominately 2 & 3 lines of text
10 I found a sound	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC, CCC-	148	I, my, the, like, he, we, for,	ch, oo, ee, ck, ai, zz, sh, ng, ff, oa, ar,	Predominately 2 lines of text

Home Reading VC & CVC Reading Books

with limited basic sight words and minimal phonic concepts.

Set consists of the 27 titles listed.*

\$196.65
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Title	Type of reading material	Word Count	Number of CVC words	Sight words & phonic concepts introduced	
Decoding VC and CVC - with no sight words					
1	Pat it	s, a, t, p, i, n, VC and CVC	20	16	-
2	Pit pat	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	26	24	-
3	Tip it	s, a, t, p, i, n, d - VC and CVC	36	30	-
4	Sip it	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	48	26	-
5	Map Man	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	38	26	-
Decoding CVC with limited sight words: e.g. is, a, and, the					
6	Pit Pat! Tip Tap!	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	49	19	is, a
7	Dip it! Tap it!	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	51	28	is, a
8	Sip it, dip it, tap it.	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	43	24	-
9	In a pit	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	45	24	is, and,
10	Nip! Nip!	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	42	24	is
11	Dip in!	s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d - VC and CVC	28	17	is,
12	Dig it	VC, CVC	48	28	a, is, the
13	The mat	VC, CVC	28	14	the, and, is,
14	No gas!	VC, CVC	30	13	the, is, go, no, and
15	Sit and Sip	VC, CVC	28	18	the, and
Decoding CVC with basic sight words & some ck					
16	Not a pot	VC, CVC, ck (pack/Nick)	50	32	a, is, the
17	Pop Pop Pop	VC, CVC	50	30	a, to, the, go, no
18	I can. Kim can	VC, CVC & some ck (socks, packs, kicks, pick)	60	28	the
19	Pips in pots	VC, CVC & some ck (pick)	63	30	the, is
20	Rat naps	VC, CVC & some ck (sock, Rick)	61	29	the is
21	In the net	VC, CVC & some ck (pick, rock)	54	20	the, is
Progressing from basic CVC to CVC with double consonants & -ck					
22	The Egg	CVC, CVCC, ck & CVC with ss//ll	56	17	the, is, put
23	I miss mum	CVC, CCVC, ck & CVC with ll/ss/ff	54	22	I, the, to
24	Bad luck, duck	CVC, ck, & CVC with ff//ll/ss	49	19	into, onto, the, his
25	The mess	CVC, CCVC, ck & CVC with ss	55	14	is, I, the, put
26	Run a lap	CVC ck & CVC with ff/ss	53	18	I, to, go, the
27	Miss Red	CVC ck, & CVC with ff/ss	55	26	is, has, the

\$198.70
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Home Reading CVC, CCVC & CVCC Reading Books

with basic sight words, increased length and early phonic concepts.

Set consists of the 26 titles listed.*

Title	Type of reading material	Word Count	Sight Words	Phonic Concepts	Lines of text per page	
VC, CVC, & early stage 1 phonics, with limited length basic sight words						
1	Fantastic Yak	VC & CVC	40	was, his, her, I, you	th, ch	single line of text
2	Up in a rocket	VC, CVC	40	was, we, my, I	sh, ng, ck	single line of text
3	Big Mud Run	VC & CVC	42	to, the, you, they, are, go	qu, th, sh, ng	single line of text
4	In the fish tank	VC, CVC, CVCC	40	put, the, my, has,	sh	single line of text
5	Zip and Zigzag	VC, CVC, CVCC	40	go, the, to they, we	qu, th, sh, ng	single line of text
6	This is my kit	VC, CVC, CVCC	40	my, to, the, go, push	th, ch, ck	single line of text
VC, CVC with double consonants: CCVC, CVCC, CCC & increased length						
7	Lots to spot	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	76	onto, you, they, go, are	ck,	single line of text
8	Nests	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	83	of, the	ck, ll, ss, ff	single line of text
9	Jam Muffins	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	65	they, all, are, to	qu, ll, ff, ss,	single line of text
10	Picnic on windmill rock	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	78	are, they, he was	qu, ck, ll,	single line of text
11	Ants in the pants	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	77	my, we, to,	qu, th, ll, ff	single line of text
12	Gran's Grin	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	75	her, me, his, they, has	qu, ll, ck	single line of text
13	Puffins	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	65	you, they, are, be	ff, gg, ll, ck	single line of text
14	Puff the pup	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	67	the, was, is,	-ed, ff	Predominately a single line
15	Panda's band	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	76	he, is, the	ck, ll	Predominately a single line
16	Top Dog	VC, CVC, CVCC	84	he, is, fast, last	ck, ll, ss, ff	Predominately a single line
17	The foolish, timid rabbit	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC, CCC	99	there, was, they, you, we, he, by, to, what	sh, er, oo, ck, ng,	1-2 lines of text
18	Pond food	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC, CCC	81	the, are, no, has, for	ee, sh, ai,	1-2 lines of text
CVC with double consonants, increased length, and the range in stage 1 concepts						
19	Ant and Snail	CVC, CCVC, CVCC,	111	was, the, to, he,	ck, ai,	2 lines of text
20	Bot on the moon	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC,	152	was, to, the, all, of, said, go, he, my, I	sh, ng, ch, ou, oo, ar	1-3 lines of text
21	Zig zag Zebra	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC,	106	was, be, we, you, my, are	ch, sh, th, ai, ee, igh	1-2 lines of text
22	Lost	VC, CVC, CVCC	102	he, she, was, her, all	ch, th, th, ai, ee, igh, oo, ck	1-2 lines of text
23	Pond Dipping	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	171	I, are, the, my, of, we, all, into, like	sh, th, ng, oo, ee, ou,	2-3 lines of text
24	This is me and this is Pip	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC, CCC-	171	me, like, I, the, we, to,	sh, th, ai, ee, oo, ou, -y, ng	2 lines of text
25	Horse up a tree	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	227	the, to, they, all, what, said, some, one, do	ee, qu, ar, er, or, ing, ay,	2-5 lines of text
26	Max can do it	VC, CVC, CCVC, CVCC	162	like, was, said, out, they	sh, ee, nd, th, qu, all	2-4 lines of text

Home readers and multiple sets of shared reading books can be purchased from www.pld-literacy.org

*All Books are sold as a complete Set.