

HOMEWORK PRACTICE - Parent/Student Reading Vocabulary

Grade 2 – Lesson 1 - Review Grade 1 Words - short vowels

Hello Parents: Welcome Back to School !! Along with our normal reading series, this year our class will also be using a powerful reading program known as ReadingKEY. It is a phonics-based vocabulary building program that is designed to insure all students learn the reading words that have been identified as essential reading words for Grade 2 students. While our class does practice the words daily at school, parents can help considerably by insuring their child has mastered the words using the easy steps below. The words for the first two weeks of school will be a review of first grade words and important vowel sounds. We will also be using this 2 week period to determine which students could benefit from additional practice with the Grade 1 words. If your child appears to have excessive difficulty with these words please let us know by writing a note at the bottom of this paper when returning to school. **Thank you**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
am	red	if	got	up
an	get	it	top	us
ran	yes	his	off	run
has	wet	will	long	jump
that	went	with	rock	just
flag	best	this	drop	such
can't	never	wish	wrong	thumb

Parent Signature in above space when student can say the seven words above 4 times with no errors (2 times top to bottom - 2 times bottom to top).	Parent Signature in above space when student can say the seven words above 4 times with no errors (2 times top to bottom - 2 times bottom to top).	Parent Signature in above space when student can say the seven words above 4 times with no errors (2 times top to bottom - 2 times bottom to top).	Parent Signature in above space when student can say the seven words above 4 times with no errors (2 times top to bottom - 2 times bottom to top).	Parent Signature in above space when student can say the seven words above 4 times with no errors (2 times top to bottom - 2 times bottom to top).
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FINAL TEST

am red if got an get it top ran yes his off has wet will long that
 went with rock flag best this drop can't never wish wrong got up top
 us off run long jump rock just drop such wrong thumb

After your student can say the words in the five daily columns, the student should then read the words together in the box directly above. If a student has difficulty with saying the words please make a note to your teacher as it would be beneficial to go back and test the student on all 340 Grade 1 vocabulary words using the ReadingKEY SuperTest. Students who have difficulty reading 40% or more of the Grade 1 words should use the Grade 1 "Student List" techniques (which has the words on a full 8.5x11 paper) or SuperTest Practice Lists to rapidly achieve mastery of the Grade 1 words. Failure to master Grade 1 words prior to beginning Grade 2 vocabulary will result in serious reading delays for any student. Students should be able to read the 35 words above with no errors in 25-35 seconds (for average students) and less than 25 seconds (for above average students). Timing is not mandatory, but can increase motivation and interest for most students. If you do not have access to a regular stopwatch, most wristwatches and cell phones have a stopwatch feature. If you do choose to time your student, place an "X" in the box below showing how long it took for the student to read the words in the Final Test box above.

50-46 sec	45-40 sec	39-35 sec	34-30 sec	29-25 sec	24-20 sec	19 seconds or less
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