

Read Write Inc.

Phonics

A cat in a pot

Red Ditty Book 3



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Speed Sounds

Consonants

Ask children to say the sounds.

f	l	m	n	r	s	v	z	sh	th	ng
										nk

b	c	d	g	h	j	p	qu	t	w	x	y	ch
	k											

Vowels

Ask children to say the sounds in and out of order.

a	e	i	o	u
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Each box contains one sound but sometimes more than one grapheme.

Focus graphemes for this story are **circled**.

Ditty 1 A cat in a pot



Story Green Words

Ask children to read the words first in Fred Talk and then say the word.



cat

hot

sun

dog

ran

hid

pot

Red Words

Ask children to practise reading the words.



the

no

A cat in a pot

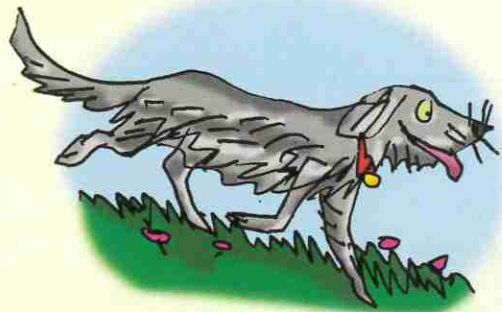
Introduction

Do you like cats? This is a story about a cat who has to do some quick thinking!



a cat sat in **the** hot sun

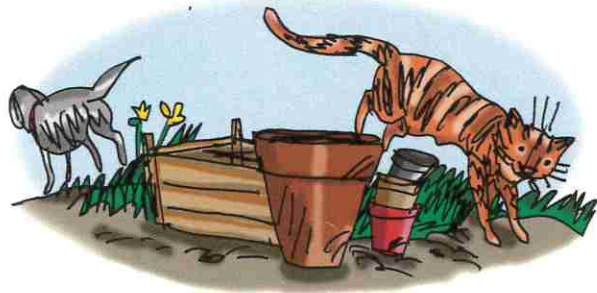
but then a dog ran up



the cat hid in a pot



no cat



Ditty 2 On top

Story Green Words

Ask children to read the words first in Fred Talk and then say the word.

fox

top

cat

hen

bug

Ask children to read the root first and then the whole word with the suffix.

get → gets

Red Words

Ask children to practise reading the words.

of

the

On top



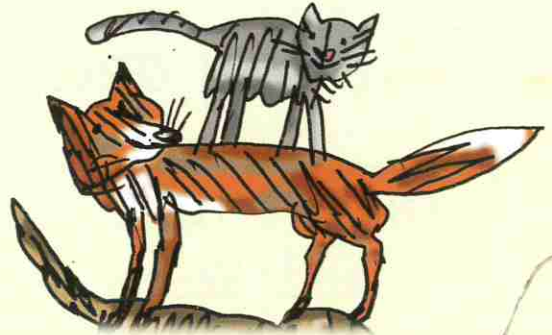
Introduction

In this story some animals play a game, but then they have a problem...



the fox gets on top of the dog

the cat gets on
top of the fox



the hen gets on top
of the cat



the bug gets on top
of the hen



Ditty 3 A wet cat



Story Green Words

Ask children to read the words first in Fred Talk and then say the word.



bed

mat

bath

wet

Red Words

Ask children to practise reading the word.



the

A wet cat

Introduction

In this story a cat chases a toy mouse... but then he gets a shock!



on the bed



on **the** mat



in **the** bath



a wet cat





Questions to talk about

Read out each question and ask children to TTYP (turn to your partner) and discuss.

Ditty 1

What is the cat doing at the start of the story?

What does the cat do when the dog runs up?

Why did the cat hide in the pot?

Ditty 2

Which animal gets on top of the dog?

What goes wrong when the bug gets on top of the hen?

What sort of things can fit on top of one another?

Ditty 3

Where is the first place that the cat chases the mouse?

How does the cat get wet?

How did the mouse get into the bath?

Speedy Green Words



Ask children to practise reading the words across the rows, down the columns and in and out of order clearly and quickly.



sat	a	in	dog
on	cat	sat	cat