

CHARGE INTO READING

Decodable Story

Rex and Sox

Deb has a pet. It is not a dog. It is not a cat. It is not a rat. Deb has a pet pig. It is a big pig!

Deb has to get the pig to the vet. "Rex," Deb begs. "Get in the van."

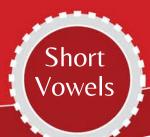
Deb tugs on Rex. Rex is a big pig. Deb is not big. Rex wins.

"Bob," Deb begs. "Get Rex in the van." Bob tugs on Rex. Bob is big. But Bob is not as big as the pig. Rex wins.

Bob gets his pet. It is not a cat. It is not a dog. It is not a rat. It is a fox.

"Sox," Bob yaks. "Get the pig in the van." Sox the fox runs at Rex. Sox nips Rex on the bum. Rex yips. Rex runs. Rex runs in the van.

Sox did it! Sox won!



Word List

Rex and Sox

The following short vowel words appear in this story:

big	is	pot	tin
box	it	red	Tom
fibs	jams	rig	up
gabs	Jan	rod	van
gas	jet	rug	wins
Gus	laps	Sam	yaks
has	mop	sits	yaps
hits	not	six	zags
hot	on	ten	zigs
			zips

The following high-frequency words appear in this story: the

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Cod and Ribs

Mac has ten ribs. Mac cuts the fat. Mac sets the fat in a vat. Mac sets the ribs in a pan.

Ted has yams. Ted cuts the yams. Ted sets the yams in a pan.

Rod has cod. Rod has nuts. Rod cuts the nuts to bits. Rod dips the cod in the nuts.

Rod dips a cup in the rib fat. The fat is hot. Rod puts the fat in a wok. Rod puts the cod in the wok.

Mac gets the ribs. Mac sets the ribs on a bun. Rod gets the cod. Rod sets the cod on a bun.

Mac puts his lips to the bun. Mac nips at the ribs. Rod puts his lips to the bun. Rod nips at the cod.

Ted puts the cod on the ribs. Ted puts the yams on the cod. Ribs. Cod. Yams.

Yum.



Word List

Cod and Ribs

The following short vowel words appear in this story:

at	gets	Mac	Rod
bits	has	nips	sets
bun	his	nuts	Ted
cod	hot	on	ten
cup	in	pan	vat
cuts	is	rib	wok
dips	lips	ribs	yams
fat			yum

The following high-frequency words appear in this story:

the

to

Short Vowels

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The Hot Rod

Tom has a red box. "It is not a box," Tom fibs. "It is a big, red rig."

Gus has a big mop. "It is not a mop," Gus yaks. "It is a jet!"

Sam has a rug. Sam sits on the rug. "It is not a rug," gabs Sam. "It is a van."

Jan has a tin pot. Jan sits on the rug. "It is not a pot," Jan yaps. "It zigs and zags the van."

Tom hits the gas on the rig. Gus hits the gas on the jet. Sam jams the gas on the van.

The jet zips up. It hits six laps. The van zigs. The van zags. It hits six laps. The rig hits ten laps!

Tom wins. The rig wins. "It is not a rig," Tom yaps. "It is a hot rod!"



Word List

The Hot Rod

The following short vowel words appear in this story:

as	Deb	is	runs
at	did	it	Sox
begs	dog	nips	tugs
big	fox	not	van
Bob	get	on	vet
bum	gets	pet	wins
but	has	pig	won
cat	his	rat	yaks
	in	Rex	yips

The following high-frequency words appear in this story:

the	to

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