



Rhyme With Me! 🚥

SAY	Rhyming is when the words sound the same at the end like f-un, s-un, and, r-un! We are going to say our Rhyme With Me chant! Repeat the chant after me! "It's rhyme time! We are going to have a fine time rhyming together today!"
DO	Say one sentence at a time of the Rhyme With Me chant and ask the students to repeat after you.
SAY	Let's practice our rhyming skills! When I say a word you say a rhyme. Ok?
DO	Wait for the students to say yes. Repeat directions as needed.
SAY	Think about a word that rhymes with sat. Whisper the word in your hand and hold it tight. We will share after we all have a chance to think first.
DO	Listen and watch as students think of a word. Provide support as needed.
SAY	Ok, let's hear them. What word rhymes with sat?

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Repeat rhyme practices with 1-2 words as time permits. Be sure all students have a chance to share their thinking with a partner or the full group.

Rhyme Word List: sat, click, dock

Correction Routine: If any students make an error, have the whole group watch as you model.

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Introduce the sounds!

Letters are either a vowel (a, e, i, o, u) or a consonant (other letters).

Knowing the difference between a vowel and consonant helps students decode, read, and spell words. In this unit, students learn to say the short /ă/ sound.

VC words use the short vowel sounds. (a, e, i, o, u)

at	am	as
/ă/ /t/ = at	/ă/ /m/ = am	/ă/ /s/ = as

	Learning new sounds is so cool! Repeat our chant after me!
	"It's time to learn new sounds!
SAY	We use the sound rule to help us read!"

Say one sentence at a time of the Introduce the Sound chant and ask the students to repeat after you.

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Let's learn a super cool new rule today!

SAY

Remember that letters are either a vowel (a, e, i, o, u) or a consonant (other letters). Knowing the difference between a vowel and consonant can help you decode words and read them. Let's sing our Alphabet Song using our **Letter Mat**. Then, we'll go back and point out the vowels and consonants.

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Sing the Alphabet Song sound pointing to the consonants and vowels. Listen as students identify the letters. Take notes on the students that can accurately name consonants and vowels and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.

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Let's look at some super cool vowels. In our last lesson we found out that some vowels can say their name. Vowels are so cool that they can make different sounds. Another sound a vowel can make is a short sound. When we add this short sound to a consonant, we get vowel consonant or VC words. When we say these words the vowel says a short sound. For example, at is a VC word, so we read the word |a|/t| = at.

Show students the Sound Letter Card for a.

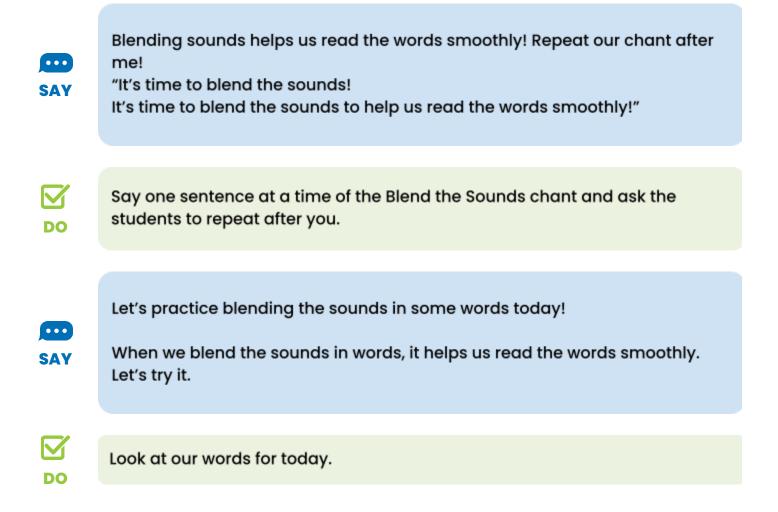




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Let's look at short a. This vowel makes the |a| sound like |a| in apple or the long a sound like in make. When we see this card, we'll say the short sound |a| then the long sound |a| because we've learned 2 sounds an a can make. We will explore the short a vowel sound during this lesson, |a|.

Blend the sounds! 🚥





SAY	Let's look at the word at. This word has two letters, one vowel, the letter "a" and one consonant, the letter "t". This word follows the vowel, consonant pattern. When words have this pattern, we use the short vowel sound. What sound does the a make in this word? Share with a partner next to you.
Do	Listen as students share the sound. Take notes on the students that can accurately name and articulate the sound and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.
SAY	Yes, the vowel is saying a short sound /a/ like in apple. When we read this word we blend the /a/ sound with the /t/ sound. /a/ /t/ = at.
	Look at our next word for today.
SAY	Let's look at the word am. This word has two letters, one vowel, the letter "a", and one consonant, the letter "m". This word follows the vowel, consonant pattern. In this word the vowel says the short sound. What sound is it making? Share with a partner next to you.
Do	Listen as students share the sound. Take notes on the students that can accurately name and articulate the sound and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.

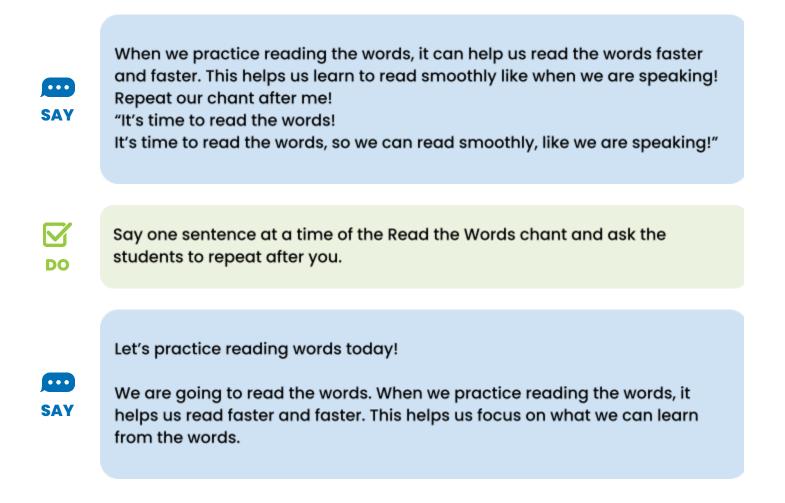




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Yes, the vowel is saying a short sound /a/ like in apple. When we read this word we blend the /a/ sound with the /m/ sound. /a/ /m/ = am. Great thinking! Awesome job blending the sounds today!

Read the words! 🚥





DO	Look at our words for today.
SAY	Let's look at the first word. When we read this word, we say "at". Your turn.
DO	Listen as students read the word. Take notes on the students that can accurately articulate the sound and read the word and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.
SAY	Yes, the word is "at". Let's look at the next word. How would you read this word?
Do	Listen as students read the word. Take notes on the students that can accurately articulate the sound and read the word and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.
SAY	Yes, the word is "am". Great thinking! Awesome job reading the words today!



Correction Routine: If any students make an error, have the whole group revisit the spelling for the word.

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For decodable words: Say my turn. [Say and sound out the word.] If any students missed a sound or used an incorrect letter to represent the sound, reference the appropriate wall card. Then say your turn. Guide students as necessary to record letters for each sound they hear in the word.

Decode the words! 🚥



Decoding is when you break up the sounds in a word and read each sound one at a time. Then you blend the sounds together to read the word! Repeat our chant after me! "It's time to decode the sounds in the words!

It's time to decode the sounds in the words so we can read the words!"

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Say one sentence at a time of the Decode the Words chant and ask the students to repeat after you.

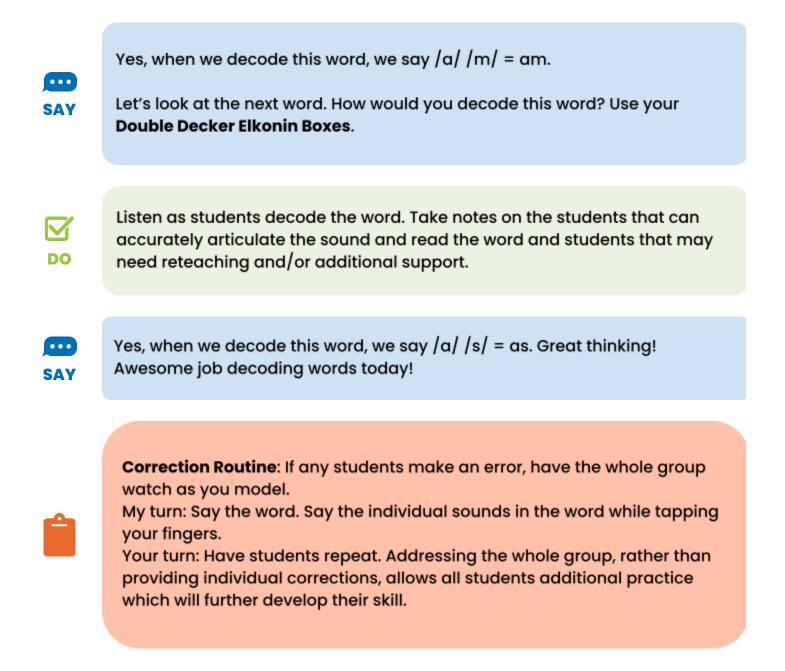




SAY	Let's practice decoding the sounds in words today! We are going to decode the words. Remember, decoding is when you break up the sounds in a word and read each sound one at a time. Then you blend the sounds together to read the word! When we decode the sounds in words, it helps us read the words correctly.
DO	Look at our words for today.
SAY	Let's look at the word am. This word has two letters, one vowel, the letter "a" and one consonant, the letter "m". In this word the vowel says the short sound. When we decode this word, we say $a/m/ = am$.
Do	Model decoding the word as you push an object up in Double Decker Elkonin Boxes .
SAY	Do it with me.
Do	Listen as students decode the word using the Double Decker Elkonin Boxes. Take notes on the students that can accurately articulate the sound and read the word and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.











Spell the words! 🚥

SAY	When we can spell words, it shows that we met the target. When we hear the sounds, we can match the sounds to the correct letters and spell the word! Repeat our chant after me! "It's time to spell the words! It's time to spell the words to show we understand the rule!"
DO	Say one sentence at a time of the Spell the Words chant and ask the students to repeat after you.
SAY	Let's practice spelling words with the words today! We are going to spell the words. Remember, when we can spell words with the correct rule, it shows that we met the target. When we hear the sounds, we can match the sounds to the correct letters and spell the word!
Do	Listen to our words for today.



SAY	The word is at. How would we spell the word at? Let's listen to the sounds and match the sound to the correct letter. The word is "at". I hear "a-t" and I know that sound for $/a/ =$ the letter a and the sound for $/t/ =$ the letter t, so I know it is spelled with the letters a and t, at. Grab your whiteboards and markers to spell the word.
Do	Watch as students spell the word using the letter and sound connections. Take notes on the students that can accurately articulate the sound and spell the word and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.
••••	Yes, when we spell the word at, we write the letters a-t.
SAY	The word is an. How would you spell this word?
Do	Watch as students spell the word using the letter and sound connections. Take notes on the students that can accurately articulate the sound and spell the word and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.
SAY	Yes, when we spell the word an, we write the letters a-n. Great thinking! Awesome job spelling words today!



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High Frequency Words! 🚥

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Some words we can sound out now, some words we'll learn how to sound out later, and some words are rule breakers and we can't sound out. Words that show up a lot in books are called High Frequency Words. Let's learn some! Repeat our chant after me! "We see high frequency words all the time! Let's figure out how to read them!"

Say one sentence at a time of the High Frequency Words chant and ask the students to repeat after you.



SAY	Let's read our high frequency words! Today, we're learning 2 words that follow the rule that you learned today and 1 word that is a rule breaker. When a word is made up of a vowel and consonant, the vowel makes the short vowel sound.
Do	Point to the word at.
SAY	This word starts with a vowel and is followed by a consonant. The a says /a/ like apple and the t says /t/. /a/ /t/ says at. Read it with me.
DO	Point to the word <i>at</i> as students read.
SAY	How would we read this word?
Do	Point to <i>as</i> . Take notes on the students that can accurately read the word and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.
SAY	Yes, we read this word with the short a sound and /s/. We have one rule breaker today.



Do	Point to the HFW word card for the .
SAY	This word is pronounced "the". It just is. Say it with me.
DO	Point to <i>the</i> as students read. Take notes on the students that can accurately articulate read the word and students that may need reteaching and/or additional support.
SAY	Nice! Let's read our three new words one last time.
DO	Point to the words and read one last time together as a group.
SAY	Excellent work learning 3 new high frequency words - 2 that follow the rule we learned today and 1 rulebreaker! High Frequency Word List: at, as, the



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