



Phonics Workbook

Phase 4

Adult:.....

CVCC- End blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
g i ft	gift		
l i ft	lift		
s o ft	soft		
t u ft	tuft		
b e lt	belt		
f e lt	felt		
t i lt	tilt		
g u lf	gulp		

I like
my

soft, felt belt that I got as a gift.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
said		
like		
have		
so		
do		

CVCC- End blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
help	help		
camp	camp		
damp	damp		
lamp	lamp		
bump	bump		
band	band		
land	land		
sand	sand		

The
damp

lamp was on land at camp.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
said		
like		
have		
so		
do		

CVCC- End blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
w i nd	wind		
d e nt	dent		
h u nt	hunt		
t e nt	tent		
w e nt	went		
j oin t	joint		
b e st	best		
t oa st	toast		

I
said

that my tent was best in the wind.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
said		
like		
have		
so		
do		

CVCC- End blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
boost	boost		
kept	kept		
golf	golf		
next	next		
milk	milk		
link	link		
sunk	sunk		
tusk	tusk		

I
kept

my milk at golf to get a boost.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
some		
come		
were		
there		

CCVC- Beginning blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
bled	bled		
blob	blob		
clam	clam		
club	club		
plan	plan		
plod	plod		
flex	flex		
flag	flag		

The
clam

had a plan to be in a club with a frog.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
some		
come		
were		
there		

CCVC- Beginning blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
glad	glad		
glum	glum		
slip	slip		
slop	slop		
brat	brat		
brim	brim		
cram	cram		
crib	crib		

I am
glad

not glum now there is a crib.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
some		
come		
were		
there		

CCVC- Beginning blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
drag	drag		
drop	drop		
Fred	Fred		
from	from		
gran	gran		
green	green		
pram	pram		
proof	proof		

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
little		
one		
when		
out		

Fred's gran can get a

little green pram.

CCVC- Beginning blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
tw in	twin		
tw ee d	tweed		
sk in	skin		
sp ot	spot		
sp in	spin		
sw ig	swig		
sm ug	smug		
sn ob	snob		

My
twin

has a spot on his skin.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
little		
one		
when		
out		

CCVCC- Beginning and end

blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
brick	brick		
brush	brush		
crest	crest		
crisp	crisp		
drift	drift		
drill	drill		
fresh	fresh		
frost	frost		

Brush out the brick with a fresh crisp.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
little		
one		
when		
out		

CCVCC- Beginning and end

blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
grand	grand		
grump	grump		
glass	glass		
slack	slack		
blush	blush		
cliff	cliff		
glint	glint		
plump	plump		

Do
not

get in a grump when you blush.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
what		
your		
are		
asks		

CCVCC- Beginning and end

blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
press	press		
prick	prick		
skill	skill		
skunk	skunk		
smart	smart		
smooth	smooth		
snack	snack		
sniff	sniff		

'What can the smart skunk snack on?' asks mum.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
what		
your		
are		
asks		

CCVCC- Beginning and end

blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
sp ee ch	speech		
sp e nd	spend		
st a mp	stamp		
sw i sh	swish		
tr a mp	tramp		
tr u nk	trunk		
tw a ng	twang		
tw i st	twist		

I can

twist, swish and stamp when I do a speech.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
what		
your		
are		
asks		

CCCV - Beginning blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
scr a p	scrap		
scr u m	scrum		
shred	shred		
shug	shrug		
splat	splat		
spleen	spleen		
sprig	sprig		
sprain	sprain		
strap	strap		

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
class		
pass		
grass		
glass		

The boy in my class
got a sprain from a sprig.

CCCV and CCVCCC- Beginning and end blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
str o p	stop		
str ee t	street		
thr ob	throb		
thr ee	three		
cr un ch	crunch		
dr en ch	drench		
tr e nch	trench		
Gr i nch	Grinch		

Do
not

crunch when you pass the street with the Grinch.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
cl ass		
pa ss		
gr ass		
gl ass		

CCCVCC and CCCVCCC-
Beginning and end blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
scr ee ch	screech		
scr u nch	scrunch		
shri mp	shrimp		
shri nk	shrink		
shru bs	shrubs		
spl a sh	splash		
spl ash	splash		
spr ang	sprang		
scr ee ch	screech		
scr u nch	scrunch		

shrubs shrink on the grass if there is a splash.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
class		
pass		
grass		
glass		

CCCVCC and CCCVCCC-
Beginning and end blends

		I can read!	I can spell!
squint	squint		
squish	squish		
squelch	squelch		
stress	stress		
string	string		
struck	struck		
thrash	thrash		
thrift	thrift		
thrush	thrush		

Will
you

squint at the thrush on a string?

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
class		
pass		
grass		
glass		

Longer and polysyllabic
words

			I can read!	I can spell!
pretend	pretend	pretend		
jumping	jumping	jumping		
running	running	running		
swimming	swimming	swimming		
twisting	twisting	twisting		
shelving	shelving	shelving		
melting	melting	melting		
floating	floating	floating		
thundering	thundering	thundering		

I pretend that I am swimming, melting and floating in the bath.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
plant		
path		
bath		

Longer and polysyllabic words

			I can read!	I can spell!
print er	print er	print er		
help er	help er	help er		
Che ster	Che ster	Che ster		
Man che ster	Man che ster	Manchester		
fresh ness	fresh ness	freshness		
soft est	soft est	softest		
ch ild ren	ch ild ren	children		
se ven th	se ven th	seventh		
sand wich	sand wich	sandwich		
ch impan zee	ch impan zee	chimpanzee		

The children liked the sandwich so the chimpanzee wanted it.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
plant		
path		
bath		

Compound words

			I can read!	I can spell!
shampoo	shampoo	shampoo		
sandpit	sandpit	sandpit		
helpdesk	helpdesk	helpdesk		
desktop	desk top	desktop		
treetop	tree top	treetop		
pondweed	pond weed	pondweed		
fishpond	fish pond	fishpond		

I lost my shampoo in the sandpit near the plants.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
plant		
path		
bath		

Compound words

			I can read!	I can spell!
gift box	gift box	giftbox		
lunch box	lunch box	lunchbox		
letter box	letter box	letterbox		
wind mill	wind mill	windmill		
drift wood	drift wood	driftwood		
hand stand	hand stand	handstand		
star light	star light	starlight		
tooth brush	tooth brush	toothbrush		

Put your lunchbox on the driftwood next to the windmill.

Tricky words:

	I can read!	I can spell!
plant		
path		
bath		