COMPREHENSION PASSAGES

READING LITERAL COMPREHENSION

READ THE STORY, THEN SELECT THE CORRECT ANSWER.

STORY

Zap can bat
Zap is a rat.
Zap is a good rat.
Zap the rat can bat.

1 Zap is a _____ .

- cat
- bat
- rat

2 Zap is a _____ rat.

- bad
- good

3 Zap can _____ .

READ THE STORY, THEN SELECT THE CORRECT ANSWER.

STORY 19

The hill
This is a hill.
The hill is little.
A tree is on the hill.

1 This is a _____ .

- fill
- hill
- mill

The hill is _____ .

- big
- long
- little

On the hill is a _____ .

- tree
- cat
- mill

Reading eggs

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LEARNING TO READ WITH READING EGGS

Thank you for choosing this **Reading Eggs** packet. Research shows that good comprehension skills are essential for reading success. But some kids need lots of practice to develop these skills. So we've created this series of packets to help your students build strong reading comprehension skills while they have fun at the same time.

Early reading comprehension skills include

✓ Sequencing
✓ Making predictions
✓ Retelling known stories
✓ Summarizing
✓ Asking questions.

Reading comprehension is foundational for

✓ Beginning readers
✓ Struggling readers
✓ ELL

Early reading comprehension helps learners monitor their understanding whilst reading. This packet contains 30 passages. Each simple passage has three sentences to check comprehension.

WHY COMPREHENSION?

Reading comprehension means understanding the texts we read or hear. Literal comprehension involves finding the answers that are explicitly in the text, and usually start with who, what, where, when, or how. Strong literal comprehension helps leaners see patterns. These patterns develop the strongest foundation for inferential and critical reading skills later on.

The **Reading Eggs** team are passionate about helping children learn to read so we're always adding resources to help at home and in the classroom. To find more resources for comprehension and other key reading skills visit **Teach with Reading Eggs on Teachers Pay Teachers**.

Katy Pike

**Katy Pike and
The Reading Eggs Team**

Happy Eggsploring!

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I know how much you care about giving your child a great start in reading, because I had the EXACT same feeling, too. I remember life before Reading Eggs. Like you, I was determined to give my four kids the BEST start in life, and that meant helping them learn to read.

The problem was that reading is complicated. There are so many skills they need to learn. From phonological awareness, phonics, sight words, and vocabulary to comprehension and fluency; it's hard to know where to start. And most children need lots of time and a whole lot of repetition to get all these skills in place. If you're busy, this can get very challenging very quickly.

We knew there had to be an easier way. So I used my 25 years of experience in educational publishing, along with the most solid scientific research on reading instruction and child motivation, to create the online Reading Eggs program. This reading program completely transformed the way millions of children around the world learned to read. 10 MILLION children to be exact (and counting)!

Reading Eggs works because it's built on the five pillars for reading success. The program is used in thousands of schools because it's so effective. And kids love it. And you will too as you watch children make real progress in the most important skill they need for future academic success.

I hope you enjoy the reading journey,

Katy Pike

WHERE CHILDREN BECOME GREAT READERS!

The online reading program for 2–13 year olds.

Reading Eggs is the multi-award winning reading program that has been used by over 10 million children worldwide. Children have fun learning **phonics and essential reading skills** with interactive games, activities, and e-books.

Over 91% of parents using **Reading Eggs** report a noticeable improvement within weeks.

For 2 to 13 year olds

Reading eggs Junior	Reading eggs	Reading EGGSPRESS
Ages 2–4	Ages 3–7	Ages 7–13
First Steps Delight your toddler with fun games and activities that build alphabet knowledge and ready-to-read skills.	**Learning to Read** Children follow structured, one-on-one lessons that teach phonics, sight words, and reading skills.	**Building Confidence** Older children can continue building key literacy skills that will help them succeed.

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READING EGGS IN THE CLASSROOM

It's so easy to get started with **Reading Eggs**.

1 **Placement test**

Have your class take the Reading Eggs placement test. This will ensure each student begins at the appropriate level. Let the reading begin!

2 **120 Reading lessons**

Your students can be starting their personalised reading journey in minutes and with 120 lessons, games, songs and hundreds of books, you know they will be on the right track to reading success.

3 **Connect with parents and guardians**

Send home letters to give students access from home. They should aim to complete three 15-minute sessions per week. Printable parent letters are quick to set up, giving your students access to the program from home.

4 **Allocate lessons and homework**

Worksheets and teaching notes are available for every lesson, giving you the ability to allocate lessons and written homework.
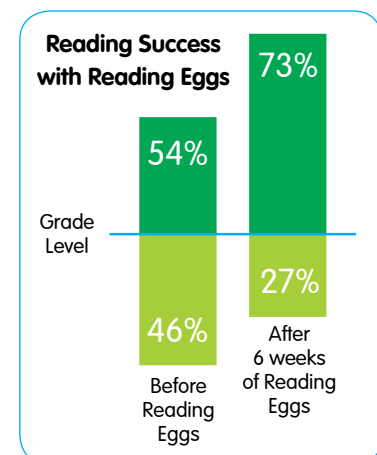
5 **Assess and review results**

Keep track of progress with the easy-to-read reports in your teacher dashboard. See time on task, reading lessons, and quizzes completed, as well as the many, many books read by your students!

SCIENTIFICALLY PROVEN TO WORK!

In an independent study conducted in 2017, students using **Reading Eggs** outperformed students that didn't use the program. Student engagement with the program was high because of the variety of lessons, fun activities, songs, and rewards.

Students using **Reading Eggs** for 60 minutes per week made significant improvements in their phonics skills, reading levels, and reading proficiency. In fact, 93% of students increased at least one reading level over the six weeks.

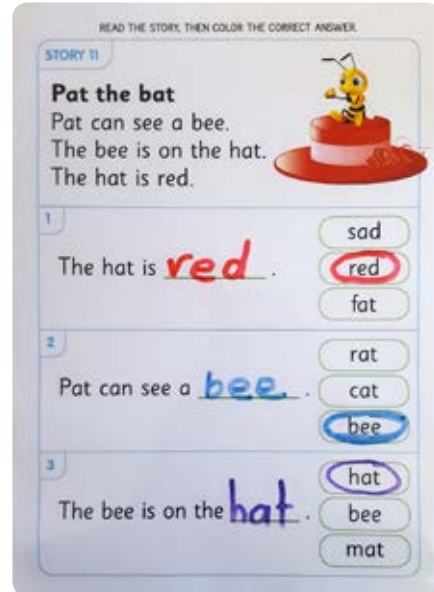**Reading Success with Reading Eggs**

73%

54%

Grade Level

46% — Before Reading Eggs

27% — After 6 weeks of Reading Eggs

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HOW TO USE

What's included?

✓ 30 × sets of reading passages and questions

Setting it up

1 Print pages 6–36 single sided.
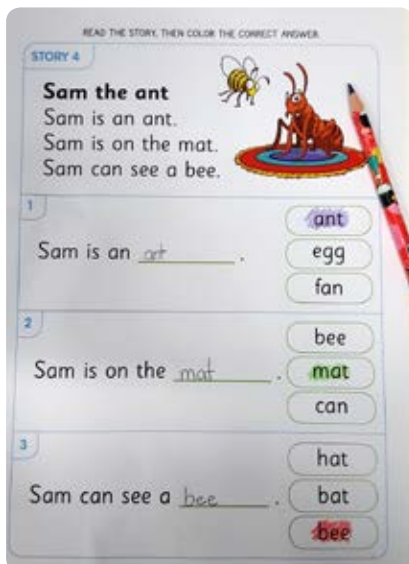
2 Use one passage at a time.

Notes for Printing

These also work well printed in the grayscale to save on color ink.

TEACHING IDEAS

1 Read + Color

Read the passage together. Use colored pencils to shade the correct word to complete each sentence. Write the correct word in the space.

2 Laminate + Clip

Laminate each page. Read the passage together. Read one question strip at a time. Clip a peg on the correct word to complete each sentence. Manipulating pegs is an excellent way to strengthen little fingers and build fine motor skills.

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RESOURCE LISTING

Set	Story
1	See the cat
2	The van
3	Bob
4	Sam the ant
5	Tom
6	Ben has a pet
7	The dog and cat
8	The yak
9	The map
10	Dan
11	Pat the bat
12	Zap can bat
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26	The frog
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28	Pink rocks
29	Harry
30	Frog and bird

STORY 1

See the cat
I can see the cat.
The cat is fat.
The cat has a hat.

1

I can see the _____ .

dog

rat

cat

2

The cat is _____ .

sad

big

fat

3

The cat has a _____ .

mat

hat

ball

STORY 2

The van

I can see the van.
The cat is in the van.
The cat had a nap in the van.

1

I can see the _____ .

car

van

tree

2

In the van is a _____ .

cat

pan

pat

3

The cat had a _____ .

hat

nap

bee

STORY 3

Bob

I am Bob.
Bob can hop.
Bob can see the cat.

1

I am _____ .

Ted

Bob

Meg

2

Bob can _____ .

run

top

hop

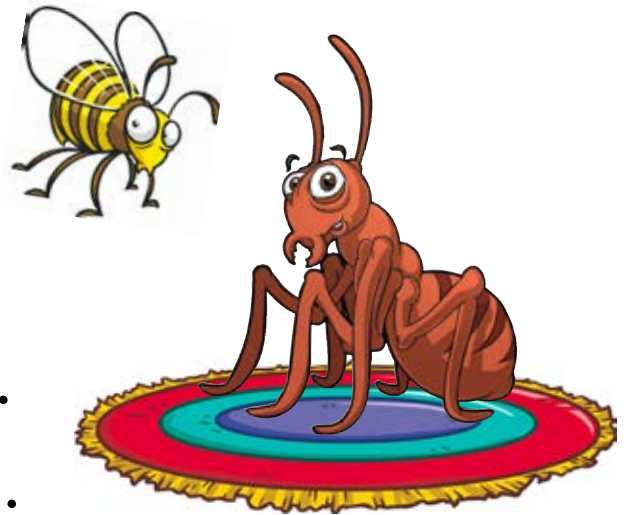**3**

Bob can see the _____ .

cat

dog

ram

STORY 4

Sam the ant
Sam is an ant.
Sam is on the mat.
Sam can see a bee.

1

Sam is an _____ .

ant

egg

fan

2

Sam is on the _____ .

bee

mat

can

3

Sam can see a _____ .

hat

bat

bee

STORY 5

Tom
Tom is a man.
He is hot.
He can get a fan.

1

Tom is a _____ .

fan

mat

man

2

He is _____ .

hot

top

hit

3

He can get a _____ .

fin

fan

man

STORY 6

Ben has a pet
Ben is ten.
He has a pet hen.
The hen is red.

1

Ben is _____ .

hen

ten

red

2

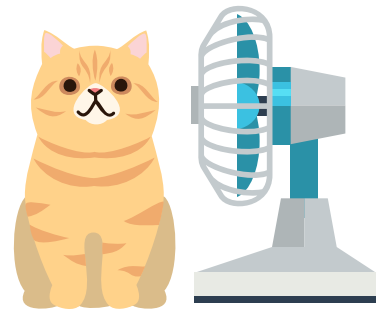He has a pet _____ .

cat

dog

hen

3

The hen is _____ .

wet

red

ill

STORY 7

The dog and cat
The dog has a hat.
The cat has a fan.
The fan is on.

1

The dog has a _____ .

tap

hat

fan

2

The cat has a _____ .

fan

sun

fish

3

The fan is _____ .

red

on

STORY 8

The yak
I can see a yak.
The yak has a hat.
The hat is yellow.

1

I can see a _____ .

yak

yes

dog

2

The yak has a _____ .

map

yoyo

hat

3

The hat is _____ .

red

yellow

blue

STORY 9

The map
Can you see the map?
Yes! I can see a cat on the map.
The map has a cat and a van.

1

I can see the _____ .

map

man

tan

2

I can see the _____
on the map.
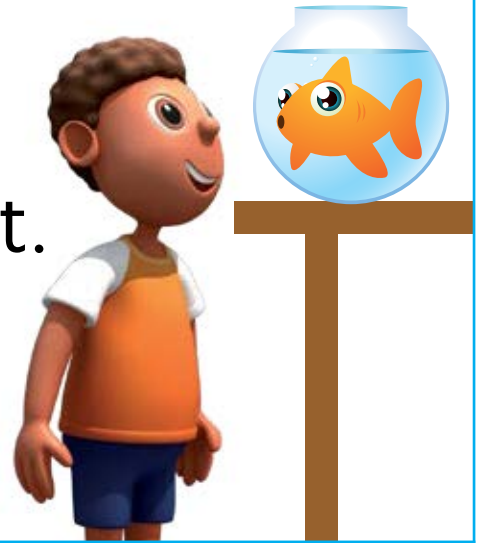
pan

van

hat

3

The map has a van
and a _____ .

cap

van

cat

STORY 10

Dan

Dan has a fish and a cat.
He can see the fish.
The fish is big.

1

Dan has a fish and a _____ .

- dog
- fish
- cat

2

Dan can see the _____ .

- fish
- dish
- dog

3

The fish is _____ .

- big
- little
- black

STORY 11

Pat the bat

Pat can see a bee.
The bee is on the hat.
The hat is red.

1

The hat is _____ .

sad

red

fat

2

Pat can see a _____ .

rat

cat

bee

3

The bee is on the _____ .

hat

bee

mat

STORY 12

Zap can bat
Zap is a rat.
Zap is a good rat.
Zap the rat can bat.

1

Zap is a _____ .

cat

bat

rat

2

Zap is a _____ rat.

bad

good

big

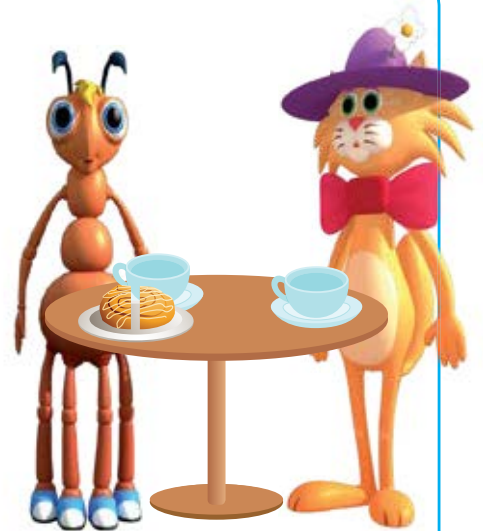**3**

Zap can _____ .

zap

bat

pat

STORY 13

Jazz and Sam

Jazz has a cup.
Sam has a cup and a bun.
Sam cut the bun.

1

Jazz has a _____ .

bun

cup

hat

2

Sam has a cup and a _____ .

cap

cup

bun

3

Sam cut the _____ .

bun

fun

bat

STORY 14

Sid the kid
Sid is a kid.
He has a hat.
Sid hid in a log.

1

Sid is a _____ .

kitten

did

kid

2

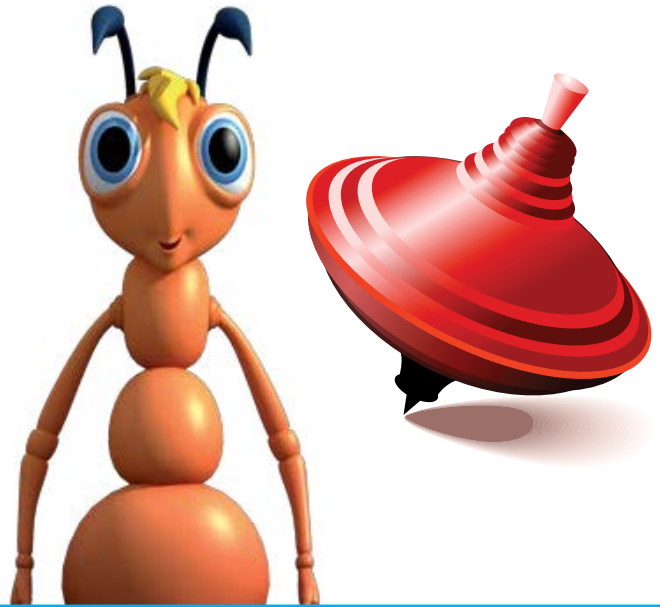He has a _____ .

log

hat

hot

3

Sid hid in a _____ .

leg

log

lid

STORY 15

The red top
Sam has a top.
It is big and red.
It can spin.

1

Sam has a _____ .

- tip
- top
- tap

2

The top is big and _____ .

- bit
- little
- red

3

The top can _____ .

- spin
- bin
- fin

STORY 16

Fun in the sun
Fit Fox has a cap.
He can run in the sun.
The sun is hot.

1

Fit Fox has a _____ .

cap

hat

sun

2

He can run in the _____ .

hot

sun

run

3

The sun is _____ .

Fit Fox

hot

cap

STORY 17

The band

Zee Bee taps a can.
Zap Bat taps a box.
It is a band. The band is fun.

1

The band is _____ .

- big
- fun
- sad

2

Zee Bee taps a _____ .

- box
- band
- can

3

Zap Bat taps a _____ .

- pot
- box
- hat

STORY 18

Sam's bed

Sam has a bed.
"I like my big bed," said Sam. "I can sit on it."

1

Sam has a _____ .

wig

box

bed

2

Sam said, "I like my _____."

boxes

big bed

Tom

3

Sam can _____ on it.

kick

swim

sit

STORY 19

The hill
This is a hill.
The hill is little.
A tree is on the hill.

1

This is a _____ .

fill

hill

mill

2

The hill is _____ .

big

long

little

3

On the hill is a _____ .

tree

cat

mill

STORY 20

Blue bird
This is a bird.
A bird can sing.
A bird has two wings.

1

This is a _____ .

- bird
- dog
- bat

2

A bird can _____ .

- fill
- ring
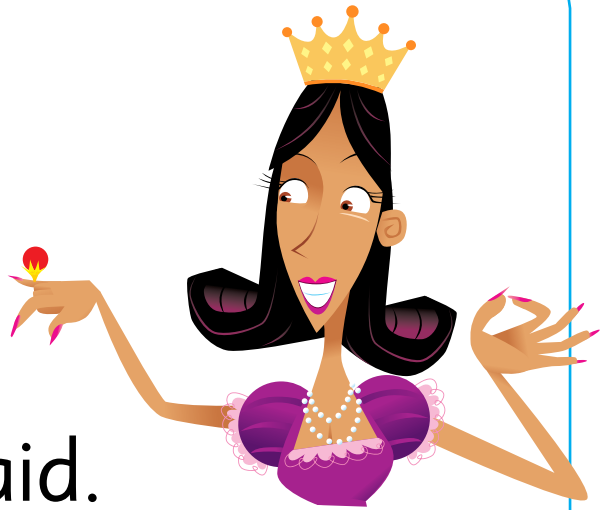- sing

3

A bird has two _____ .

- wet
- wings
- rings

STORY 21

The queen's ring
The queen has a ring.
It is little and red.
"I like my ring," she said.

1

The queen has a _____ .

ring

wing

red

2

The ring is _____ .

blue

little

pink

3

The Queen said, "I like
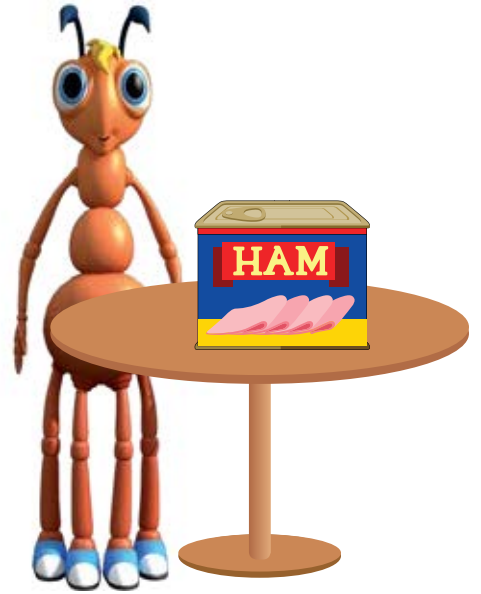my _____."

ring

king

wings

STORY 22

Ham is good
This is Sam the ant
Sam has ham in a can.
The ham is good!

1

Sam is an _____ .

jam

can

ant

2

The ham is in a _____ .

tin

hat

can

3
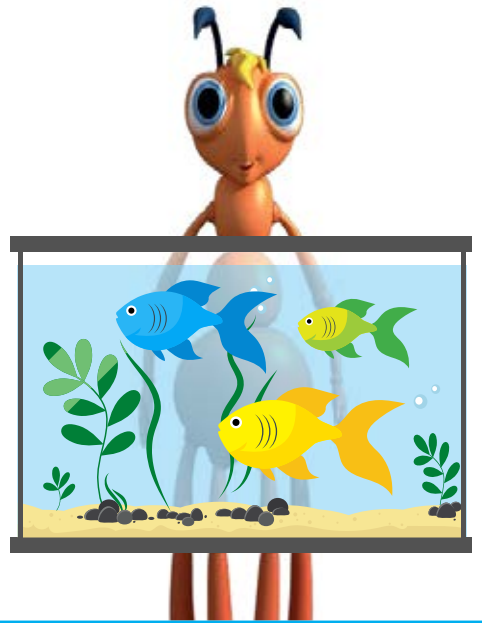
The ham is _____ .

bad

good

red

STORY 23

Sam's three fish

Sam has three fat fish.
The big fish is yellow.
The green fish is little.

1

Sam has _____ fish.

- red
- thin
- fat

2

The big fish is _____ .

- red
- yellow
- green

3

The green fish is _____ .

- little
- red
- big

STORY 24

Jazz

Jazz has a pot
She got lots of dots.
The pot got hot.

1

Jazz has a _____ .

pet

pot

pat

2

She got lots of _____ .

dots

dogs

dolls

3

The pot got _____ .

hit

hat

hot

STORY 25

Pot Shop

The shop
Look at the shop.
The shop sells pots.
This pot has little red dots.

1

Look at the _____ .

- ship
- shop
- shed

2

The shop sells _____ .

- tots
- pots
- bots

3

The pot has little red _____ .

- dots
- pots
- dogs

STORY 26

The frog
Look at the frog.
The frog can hop.
The frog is happy.

1

Look at the _____ .

fan

frog

happy

2

The frog can _____ .

hot

hip

hop

3

The frog is _____ .

sad

happy

hippy

STORY 27

His or hers?

This is the princess and this is her horse. This is the prince and this is his game.

1

The princess has a _____ .

- game
- horse
- ring

2

The prince has a _____ .

- game
- horse
- ring

3

He likes _____ game.

- her
- it's
- his

STORY 28

Pink rocks

Look at my bag of rocks.
They are for my fish.
They are little and pink.

1

I got a bag of _____ .

socks

rocks

fish

2

The rocks are for my _____ .

socks

rocks

fish

3

The rocks are little and _____ .

fish

pink

big

STORY 29

Harry

Harry is a horse.
He can run and jump.
He is a very happy horse.

1

Harry is a _____ .

- bossy
- jump
- horse

2

Harry can run and _____ .

- swim
- jump
- very

3

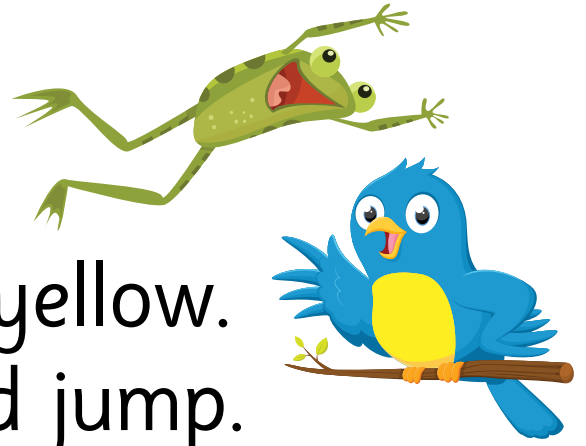He is very _____ .

- jolly
- happy
- hippy

STORY 30

Frog and bird
The bird is blue and yellow.
The frog can hop and jump.
The bird likes the little green frog.

1

The bird likes the
_____ .

frog

dog

green

2

The frog can _____ .

little

jump

fly

3

The frog is _____
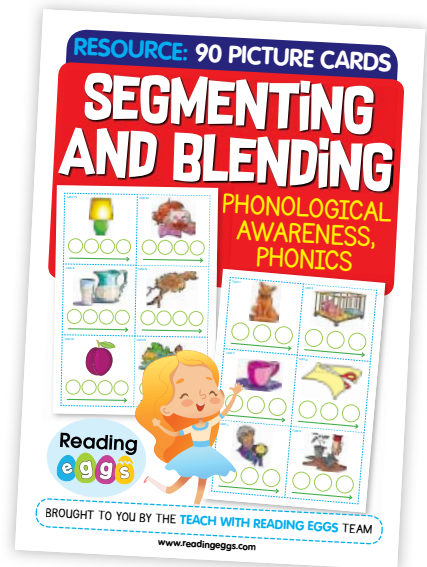and green.

little

blue

yellow

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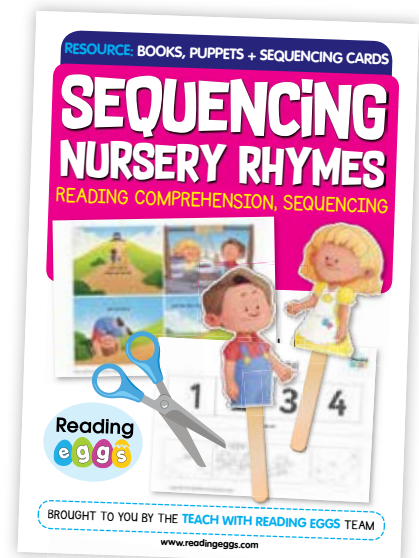
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