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Lesson 1-1 Short Vowel *a*

FOCUS _ *a* _ as in *cat*

SET UP

a

c

m

n

p

t

BUILD

cat can man map mat
cap can tan tap pat
nap pan pat

EXTEND

word endings

s

cat cats cans can pan pans
naps nap map maps caps taps

READ

My Cat Max

Short Vowel Words Assessment

Name _____

Write the missing letter in each word.

a

e

i

o

u



b _ _ b



pl _ _ g



st _ _ mp



b _ _ s



d _ _ sk



dr _ _ m



c _ _ b



h _ _ nd



cr _ _ b



p _ _ t



s _ _ ck



sl _ _ d

10

t _ _ n



bl _ _ ck



br _ _ dge

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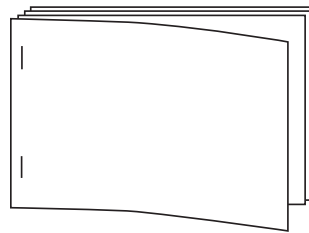
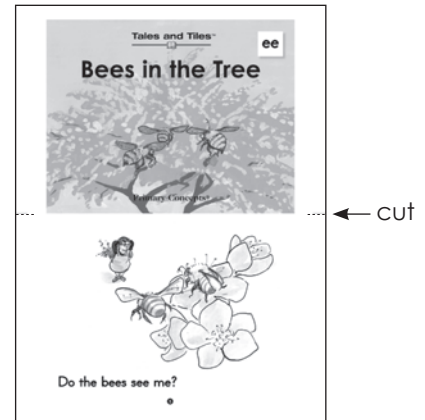
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Printing Instructions

Books can be printed in two sizes. Large format books are 5½" by 8½". Small format books are 4¼" by 5½". An advantage of the larger size is that it can be printed single- or double-sided. An advantage of the smaller size is that you can print out the pages and fold them to form the books. No cutting is needed. Follow the specific directions below.

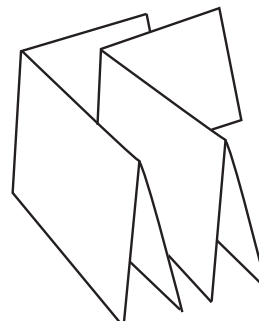
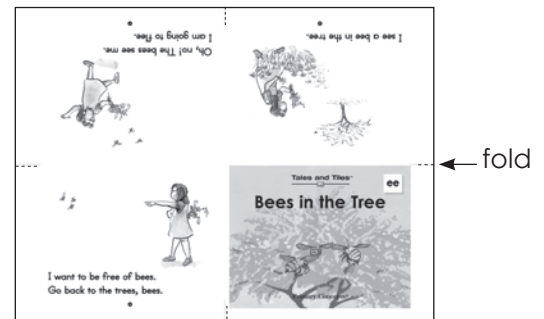
Readers (large format) 5½" by 8½" Books

1. Choose the books you would like to print. Large format books are on pages 1–160. Note the page numbers for the books you wish to print.
2. Print the pages using your printer's black and white (grayscale) option. If you wish to print the pages double-sided, choose your printer's option for double-sided (duplex) printing. Follow your printer's steps for removing and inserting the pages correctly.
3. Copy enough sets for your class.
4. Cut each sheet in half horizontally using the guidelines.
5. Place the pages in order from page 1 (cover) to page 8.
6. Staple the pages to form a book.



Readers (small format) 4¼" by 5½" Books

1. Choose the books you would like to print. Small format books are on pages 161–240. Note the page numbers for the books you wish to print.
2. Print the sheets using your printer's black and white (grayscale) option.
3. Copy enough sets for your class.
4. Fold each sheet in half horizontally using the guidelines. Then fold in half vertically.
5. Place one folded sheet within the other so that the pages are in order from page 1 (cover) to page 8.
6. Staple the pages to form a book.





Max is my cat.
Where is Max?

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Max is not a bad cat.
Where is Max?

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