

Reading Fluency Directions (real and nonsense)





Object: To provide students with opportunities to blend and read words with slight shifts in individual sounds in English.

Directions: The teacher begins by choosing a 3 x 4 box for the students to practice reading. Going from left to right, students read each of the words in the chosen box.

When this is complete, the teacher can then point to individual words as the student reads them.

- Variations:**
- A timer can be used to time students speed and/or accuracy.
 - The teacher can say a word while the student uses a timer to mark the word.
 - The teacher can use only a 3 x 3 square and use it to play tic-tac toe with the students.

 Start here	salt	sat	last	scalp	
	scrap	scrape	scrap	scalp	
	last	scrape	sat	salt	 End here

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PRACTICE



salt	sat	last	scalp
scrap	scrape	scrap	scalp
last	scrape	sat	salt

calm	came	clam	bless
best	blast	best	calm
bless	blast	came	clam

side	slid	sild	sidle
slide	sid	side	slide
sidle	sid	sild	side

old	odd	oiled	odle
bold	blot	bot	bolt
bowl	old	bottle	blot

will	well	whelm	wilt
while	welt	wilm	whim
welt	wilm	will	whem

help	held	head	heddle
heal	healed	head	hid
hiddle	held	help	heddle

fit	flit	flirt	fist
first	flittle	fittle	fistle
flist	flit	fit	flirt

pallet	Patty	palate	plate
palty	paltry	plenty	padlet
pallet	padlet	palty	Patty

salt	sat	last	scalp
scrap	scrape	scrap	scalp
last	scrape	sat	salt

pulp	pup	plus	pulse
plus	pulse	pulp	pup
pulse	plus	pup	pulp

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bell	bled	bald	belt
blend	blot	blend	belt
blot	bell	bled	bald

silver	sliver	sat	salt
slat	sit	silt	slit
sliver	slat	silt	sit

surely	surly	sure	slur
surry	scurry	surry	surely
scurry	slur	sure	surly

hurt	hurl	hut	huddle
hunt	hurl	hat	het
hurl	hurt	hunt	hut

relief	relive	relieve	revive
revile	revel	relive	relief
relieve	revive	revile	revel

stint	stilt	still	silt
slint	stint	silt	stilt
still	stint	slint	silt

clap	clack	clep	calm
crasp	crass	clackle	clep
cackle	cap	clep	crasp

bask	bass	blust	bless
brass	blest	blust	bask
bessle	bass	bask	brass

drag	darg	dag	dreg
deg	dig	dregl	darg
drag	dragle	dargle	deg

gas	glass	guess	guest
glust	glest	glask	gastle
glastle	glass	gasket	glasket