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THE ALPHABET.

A B C D E F G
H I J K L M N
O P Q R S T U
V W X Y Z &

a b c d e f g h i
j k l m n o p q r
s t u v w x y z &
sh th ch

so	he	at
go	be	am
lo	me	an
no	we	as

in	on	by
is	or	my
it	of	thy
if	ox	shy

up	do	yes
us	to	no

FIRST BOOK.

EXERCISE

I am up	is he in?	I go on
he is up	am I in?	we go on
we go up	he is in	it is on

is it I?	do I go?	is it on?
is it he?	do we go?	it is up
is it we?	we go in	so it is

is he up?	is it he?	is it up?
yes, he is	yes, it is	yes, it is
I am in	it is so	so am I

go as I go	I am to go in
do as I do	he is to do it
he is to go	am I to go on?
I am to go	no, he is to go on

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-is -is she -as
his this the has

this is an ox.
is it my ox or his ox?
it is my ox, it is to go on.
is my ox to go in?
no, my ox is to go up.
am I to go in or to go up?
I am to go up on my ox.
he is to go up on his ox.
is this ox my ox or thy ox?
no, this ox is his ox.

has he an ox?
no, she has an ox.
this is to go to it.
I am to go, if he is to go.

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he is to do as we do.
if we go, she is to go.
if his ox is to go, he is to go.
it is to go on, so am I.
I am to go on, so is he.
he is to go, if we go.
she is to do, as I do.
he has an ox, it is to go.

-ox -ot d-ot l-ot
b-ox n-ot h-ot r-ot
f-ox g-ot p-ot sh-ot

this is not an ox. it is not
a box. it is a fox. this is
my fox. it is not his fox.
he has not got a fox. he has
got a box. is this fox to go

on? it is to go on. the ox
is to go on.

is the fox to go in-to the
box? no, the fox is not to
go in-to the box. I am not
to go in-to the box. I am
to go up on the box. the
ox is not to go in-to the box.
this box is my box.

has he got a box? no, he
has not got a box. he has
not got a fox, he has not
got an ox. this ox is not
his ox. it is my ox. if
this is his box, it is not my
box.

is the box hot? no, the

box is not hot, the pot is
hot. this is not hot. his
box is hot, my box is not
hot.

is the ox to be shot? no,
an ox is not to be shot. it
is my ox. my ox is not to
be shot. the fox is to be
shot. I am not to be shot.
she is not to be shot. she
is to go in.

am I to go in-to a box?
no, I am not to go in-to a
box. he is not to go in-to
my box. I am to go up on
my box. I am not to go
in-to my box. I am to go
up on it.

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-at fat p-at h-at
 c at m-at s-at N-at
 b-at r-at th-at P-at

this is not an ox. it is
 not a fox. it is not a rat.
 it is a cat. this cat is fat.
 the fat cat is on a mat. is
 the cat on a box? no. she
 is not on a box, she is on
 a mat.

is the ox fat? yes, the ox
 is fat. the fox is not fat.
 has the fat cat got a hat?
 no, a cat has not a hat. Pat
 has a hat. that fat cat is
 to go to Pat.

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am I to pat the cat? yes,
 pat the fat cat. do not pat
 the rat. is Pat to pat the
 oat? yes, Pat is to pat the
 fat cat. he is not to pat the
 fat ox. Nat is to do so.

that is my oat. my oat
 has got a fat rat. Pat has
 not got a oat. he has got
 a bat. has Nat got a bat?
 no, Nat has not got a bat.
 he has got a box.

is that hat on the mat thy
 hat? no, my hat is not on
 the mat, my hat is in a box.
 a hat is not to be on the mat.

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-an fan r-an
 c-an m-an th-an
 D-an p-an A-nn

the rat sat on a mat. the
 fat cat ran to the rat. the
 rat ran in-to the box. can
 the cat go in-to the box?
 no, the fat cat can-not go
 in-to the box.

can the ox go in-to the
 box? no, the ox can-not go
 in-to the box. can the fox
 go in-to the box? no, the
 fox can-not go in-to the box.
 the rat can go in-to the box.

go in rat. the fat cat is
 on the mat. the rat ran in.

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has the cat got the rat? no,
 the cat has not got the rat.
 the rat is in the box. can
 Ann go in-to the box? no,
 Ann can-not go in-to the
 box.

-or -er -em
 f-or h-er h-em
 n-or th-em

is this a pot or a pan? it
 is a pan. has Dan a fan?
 no. Dan has not a fan. Ann
 has a fan. Dan has a box.
 is this box for Ann or for
 Dan? this box is not for
 them, it is for Pat. this cat
 is for Nat.

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is the fan for her? no, it is not her fan. she has not got a fan. is Dan to go in the van? no, Pat is to go in the van.

is this hat for Pat? no, it is not his hat. that hat is his. this hat is for that man. has that man got a hat? yes, that man has got a hat. he has not got a fan. the fan is for Ann.

-ad	m-ad	p-ad
b-ad	h-ad	l-ad
l-ad	s-ad	gl-ad

is this cat a bad cat? no,

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she is not a bad cat. it is sad that Pat is bad. is Pat a bad man? yes, he is a bad man. he shot my cat. I had a fat cat. my cat is shot.

is Dan a bad lad? no, he is not bad. I am glad that Dan is not bad. Ann is not glad. she is sad. Ann is sad, for her cat is shot. Pat shot her cat.

is the ox mad? no the ox is not mad. the oat is mad. a mad oat is to be shot. if it is mad it is to be shot. I am glad that my cat is not mad.

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ag	-am	r-am
b-ag	S-am	sh-am
r-ag	h-am	-av
l-ag	j-am	h-ave

is the cat in a box? no, she is in a bag. is my cat in that bag. no, that is not my cat. I am glad that my cat is not in the bag. my cat is on the mat.

this is a rag. the rag is on the mat. the rag is not to be on the mat. the rag is to be in the bag or in the box. is the rag in the

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box? no, the rag is in the bag.

is Sam to have ham? no, he is to have jam. is the cat to have jam? no, the cat is not to have jam. is Am to have a bag? no, she is not to have a bag, she is to have a box.

-ar	j-ar	f-ar
b-ar	t-ar	m-ar
c ar	st-ar	-are*

is this a jar of jam? no, it is a jar of tar. am I to go

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far? no, I am not to go far.
I am to go, so do not bar me
in. is the jar of jam in the
car? no, it is not in the
car.

I can-not go to the star.
it is far, far to the star. I
can go in the car. am I to
go in the car or in the van?
I am to go in the van. she
is to go in the car. she is
not to go far.

we are to go far. we are
not to go in the car. Ann
is to go in the car. she is
to have a jar of jam. the
jar of jam is to go in the
car.

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-ap	l-ap	s-ap
c-ap	m-ap	t-ap
g-ap	r-ap	n-ap

has Ann a cap? no, she
has no cap on. I have a cap.
this is her map. is Dan to
have a map? yes, Dan is
to have a map. he is not
to have a cap. the cat is
on my lap.

I sat on the box. the cat
sat on my lap. the rat ran
by. the cat ran to the rat.
the cat has got the fat rat.
do not rap the cat. pat
the cat.

am I to tap on the map?

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no, I am not to tap on the map, or to rap the map. it is not my map. this map is for Ann. Ann has a map on her lap. the cat has had a nap on the mat.

-ay* l-ay r-ay l-ay
 d-ay m-ay s-ay play
 b-ay n-ay g-ay w-ay
 h-ay p-ay w-ay a-w-ay

may I go to Ann? yes, you may go to Ann. may I go to-day? yes, you may go to-day. I say that you may

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go to play. the cat can play. I can play.

may I go to play in the hay? yes. you may play in the hay. the cat lay on the hay. may Ann play in the hay to-day? do not say nay. I do not say nay. I say that she may play. she is gay.

we go to play in the hay. we are gay to-day. this is my way. this is the way to play. lay the bag on the hay. I am glad to play. I am glad that Ann may play in the hay. go a-way.

is the ox to have hay?

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yes, my ox is to have hay.
I am to pay for the hay for
my ox. is the fox to have
hay? no, the fox is not to
have hay.

this is the day for play.
we are gay. we go a-way
to play. may we go to the
star? no, we can-not go to
the star, for the star is far
far, far a-way.

may we go in the car?
yes, Ann may go in the car.
Dan may go in the van. the
box may go in the car. the
box can-not go in the car,
for the car is far a-way. the
box may go in the van.

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-ass l-ass r-ass
p-ass gl-ass gr-ass

this is not an ox. it is
not a cat. it is not a man.
it is not a rat. it is not a
fox. it is an ass. it is not
a bad ass. it is my ass.
my ass is to have grass.

is the fox to have grass?
no, the fox may play on the
grass. is the ox to have
grass? yes, the ox is to
have grass and hay. is the
cat to have grass? no, the
cat may have a rat.

do not tap on the glass.
do not rap the glass may

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I pass? yes, Ann may pass by. she is to go to play on the grass. she may play on the grass. she may not go on the glass. the ox may have grass. the ox may not have glass.

-ash c-ash d-ash
l-ash r-ash s-ash

do not lash the cat. do not lash the ass. the ass is not bad. do not lash Dash. Dash is not bad. is my sash in my box? no, it is in my bag. my sash is not to be on the mat. it is to be in my box.

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Dan is rash. Pat is not rash. it is rash to lash the mad ox. has Ann a sash? yes, she has a sash. her sash is on the grass. her sash is not to be on the grass. it is to be in her box or in her bag.

has Dan got cash? no, he has not got cash. do not dash that a way. Pat is rash. he is not to dash a-way the glass. he is not to lash the ox. he is not to lash the ass.

has the cat got a sash? no, the cat has no sash. Pat has no sash. Ann has a sash

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all fall w-all
 b-all t-all h-all
 c-all p-all sh-all

may I play at ball? yes,
 you may play in the hall.
 may we all play? yes, Ann
 may play at ball. Sam may
 play at ball. Dan may play
 at ball. you may all play
 in the hall. call to Ann.
 she is in the hall.

can an ox play at ball?
 no, an ox can-not play at
 ball. a fox can-not play at
 ball. a cat can play at ball.

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Ann and her cat are at play.
 go a-way and play at ball
 in the hall.

Ann is not so tall as I
 am. I am not so tall as he
 is. do not go on the wall.
 if you go up on the wall,
 you may fall. you shall not
 do it. you are not to do
 it, if I say that you shall
 not. you are to do as I
 say.

-ed led -eb
 b-ed N-ed w-eb
 fed red

Ned has got an ass. it is
 not a bad ass. he is to go

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up on the ass. has Ned fed his ass? yes, he has fed the ass. the ass has grass. has the ass a bed? yes, the ass has a bed of grass. the ass is led to bed.

is the ass red? no, the ass is not red. that rag is red. the red rag is in the bag. he has a web. his web is not red. Ned has not got a web. Ned may go to bed, or he may go to play. go a-way Ned.

is the ox to be fed? yes, the ox is to be fed. the ox is to have hay. is the cat to be fed? yes, the cat is

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to have ham. the cat is to have a fat rat. is the ass to be fed? yes, the ass may have grass. Sam may have ham and jam. Ned may go to bed.

-et	n-et	y-et
g-et	p-et	you
l-et	s-et	an
m-et	w-et	and

I met Ned and his ass. may his ass get grass? yes, it may have grass and hay. do not get wet. the grass is wet. do not go on the grass. you can not play on

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the grass to-day, for it is wet.

the rat met the cat, and the rat ran a-way. the cat met the fox, and the cat ran a-way. the fox met the man, and the fox ran a-way. the man met the mad ox, and the man ran a-way.

Ann is my pet, the cat is her pet. have you a pet cat? no, I have not a pet cat. I have not a pet rat. set the jar on the box. do not let the box get wet. the jar is not to be wet. do not let it get wet. it is not wet yet.

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-en h-en f-en
B-en m-en t-en
d-en p-en th-en

Ben has a hen. is it a fat hen? yes, it is a fat hen. is the fox to have the fat hen? no, the fox is not to have the fat hen. the fox is in his den may I have a pen? yes, you may have ten. Ben has a bad pen.

has the hen a den? no. the hen has no den. the fox is in his den. and he has got a fat hen. the hen met the fox, and the hen

ran away. the man shot
the fox.

set the jar of jam on the
mat. may Ann have a jar?
yes, she may have ten. Ben
may have a pen. Ned has
a bad pen. may I get a
pen for Ned? yes, you may.
Ann has a fat hen and a
bad pen

-eg	p-eg	-ess
b-og	-egg	l-ess
l-eg	-eggs	bl-ess

may I beg for an egg?
yes, you may have an egg.
this egg is less than that

egg. this egg is my gg. I
have ten eggs. Ann begs for
an egg. is she to have an
egg? yes, she may have it.

he begs you to bless him.
he is less than I am. I am
less than Ann is. Sam is
less than Dan is. this fox
is less than that ox. this
hen is less than my hen.

has the cat legs? yes.
the cat has legs, and the ox
has legs. and the hen has
legs. the box has no legs.
an egg has not a leg. that
egg is not for Ann, it is for
me. Sam is to have ham
and an egg.

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-ee	b-ees	-ree
b-ee	s-ees	tree
s-ee	s-een	three

do you see the bee? yes,
I see three bees. the bees
are in the tree. I see three
trees. Ann sees the bees.
has Ned seen the bees? yes,
he has seen the bees in the
tree.

I see, and Ann sees. I can
not say I "sees." I say I
can see. I can not say Ann
"see." I say Ann sees. I
see. he sees. she sees.

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we see. do you say we see,
or we sees? I say we see.
I can not say we "sees."

do you see me? I am in
the tree. yes, I see you.
Ned has seen you. do you
see Ned? yes, I see him;
and I see that he sees me
I have not seen Sam to-day.
he is a-way.

are the bees in that tree?
I do not see them. have
you seen the bees? no, I
have not seen them. has
Ned seen them? no, he
has not seen them. Dan
has seen the bees in the
tree.

-ell fell tell
 b-ell s-ell p-ell
 w-ell sh-ell sp-ell

you can-not go to play on
 the grass; for that is the
 bell for the class. tell Ned
 to go a-way. Ned fell in-to
 the well. he is wet. my
 ball fell in-to the well.

may I have that shell?
 yes, you may have the shell.
 I have a shell in my box.
 my shell fell in-to the well.
 tell her to get my shell.
 may she sell the shell? yes,
 she may sell it. tell her
 that she may.

can Ann spell well? she
 can spell well. I can not
 spell well yet. if you spell
 well, you shall have a shell.
 may Ned have a shell? yes,
 he may have a shell and a
 ball, and you may all go to
 play

-id lid ib
 bid did rib
 hid rid fib

bid Ann go to bed. did
 you say to Ann that she is
 to go to bed? yes, I did.
 did she go? no, she did
 not go. then Ann is bad.
 she is to do as she is bid.

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she is hid. go and say to her, that she is to do as she is bid.

this is my box; it has a lid. Sam hid my box. bid Sam go and get it. the box is not hid. it is a fib to say that it is hid. it is bad bad to tell a fib.

the egg is in the box. it is hid in the box. may I get the egg that is in the box? yes, you may bid Ann get it for you.

STEP BY STEP;

OR,

THE CHILD'S FIRST LESSON-BOOK.

PART II.

-in	s-in	-im
d-in	t-in	h-im
f-in	th-in	d-im
p-in	w-in	r-im

I have got a tin box. I have a pin in my box. the lid of my box is of glass, and the rim is tin. has he a tin box? no, he has not. this tin box is not for him.

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this cat is thin. Ann has not fed the cat, so the cat is thin. is the rat thin? no. the rat is fat. the thin cat may have the fat rat, if she can get it.

may I have a pin? no, you may not have a pin. this pin is not for you. do as you are bid. if you do not do as you are bid, that is a sin. a fib is a sin. it is a sin not to do as you are bid. to sin is bad. bad men sin

the glass is dim. say to him that the glass in his box is dim. the rim is dim.

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may I have a glass box?
yes, if you can win it.

-it	m-it	p-it
b-it	h-it	w-it
f-it	s-it	with

Ann has a mit. her mit fits. this mit is not for you. may the cat have a bit of ham? no, it is not fit for her. she is not to have a bit.

do not hit the cat. the cat is not to sit on my mat. the cat bit me, so I hit her. she is not to sit by me. she is not to sit in my lap. she is not to play with my mit.

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may I go with Sam? no,
 you are to go with Ann.
 you are not to go with Sam.
 do not go in-to the pit. go
 and sit on the grass with
 Ann and Ned.

do not play with a pin.
 a pin is not fit for you to
 play with. do not play with
 my mit. do not play with
 my pen. you may have that
 red box to play with. you
 may play in the hay with
 Ned. a fib is not wit. it
 is no wit to say that, for
 it is a fib. and a fib is
 bad. it is sin and not
 wit.

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ig	p-ig	-ish
b-ig	f-ig	d-ish
d-ig	w-ig	f-ish
g-ig	j-ig	w-ish

this is not a hen. it is not
 a rat. it is not a fox. is
 it an ox? no, it is a big
 fat pig. a pig is less than
 an ox. a hen is not so big
 as a fox. a rat is not so
 big as a oat.

may I have a fig? yes,
 go and dig, and then you
 may have a fig. may the
 big fat pig have a fig? no,
 a fig is not fit for a pig. the
 pig is not to have a fig and

it is not to have a wig. a
wig is not fit for a pig.

may I go to see the big
fat pig? yes, you may go,
and Ann may go with you.
she may have a fig. we
may go in the gig. Dan is
to go to dig.

do you wish to go in the
gig? yes, I wish to go with
Ann. go and get a dish of
fish. has the fish a leg?
no, the fish has not a leg,
the fish has a fin. has the
bee a fin? no, the bee has
legs. the fish has fins the
ox has legs, and the hen
has legs.

-ip	lip	-ix
dip	slip	mix
sip	ship	fix
tip	trip	six

let the bee sip the jam.
do you see the bee sip? yes,
I see it sip the jam. has
the bee a lip? no, I have
a lip. the bee has not a
lip. the hen has not a lip.
do not trip, or you may
slip in-to the pit. if you
hit me, I may trip and slip.
may I sit on the box? yes,
you may sit on the box. do
not go in-to the pit
the cat is in the tan pit

she bit Pat, and Pat did dip
her in. she did not slip in.
if you trip, you may slip in.
may I go to see the ship?
you can-not see the ship
to-day, for the ship is far
a-way.

may I fix the lid of my
box? yes you may. do not
mix the figs and the eggs.
do not dip the figs in the
jam. do not let the egg slip
into the box. I have six
eggs in a box.

Ann let the glass slip and
it fell. do not trip or you
may let the glass fall. dip
the glass in-to the well.

-ill	m-ill	r-ill
b-ill	p-ill	s-ill
h-ill	sp-ill	w-ill
t-ill	k-ill	f-ill

is Ned ill? he is not ill.
he is well. Dan is ill. he
fell on the hill, on his way
to the mill. he fell into the
rill, and he got wet.

do not kill the hen. it is
bad to wish to kill the hen.
you are not to do ill. you
are not to kill the hen. you
may sell the hen. you are
not to kill it.

fill the glass at the well.
do not spill it. let us go to

the mill to get six eggs. I will go to the mill for the eggs. do not go till I can go. may the cat go? no, the cat is not to go to the mill.

1	2	3
one	two	three
none	too	tree

I have got eggs. one, two, three. I have got three eggs, Ann has got none. Ann has got figs, one, two, three. Ann has got three figs. Sam has got pigs, one, two, three. Sam has got three pigs. three and three are six.

has Ned got figs? yes, he has two. one and one are two. Ned has got two figs, Sam has got none. I say "two" figs, and not "too" figs. Ned has got two figs, and Ann has got two figs too. I have two eggs, and Ann has two eggs too.

do you see three trees? yes, I see three trees, one, two, three. one and two are three. I see one tree. I can spell tree, t-r-e-e. if I add s, then it is trees. I say one tree, two trees, three trees. I see bees in the trees, and Ann sees them too.

I say Ann sees them "too,"
and not Ann sees them
"two."

-ob j-ob r-ob
B ob m-ob s-ob

bid Bob go to that job.
tell him not to go in the mob.
did Bob rob Ned? yes, he
is a bad man. he did rob
Ned of his box. if Bob did
rob Ned. then Bob is a bad
man.

it is a sin to rob. bad
men rob. bad men sin. to
rob is a sin. I will not rob.
I do not wish to sin. I do
not wish to be bad.

tell Ned not to sob. if
he is ill tell him to go to
bed. it is sad to see him
sob. Ned is not ill. he is
well. then say to him that
he is not to sob. I do not
sob.

I say Ned sobs. I can not
say I sobs. I say I sob. and
he sobs. I sob. he sobs.
she sobs. we sob. you sob.
I add s to sob if I say he
sobs, she sobs. and I do not
add s if I say I sob, we sob,
you sob.

tell Ned not to go in the
mob. if he is in the mob a
bad man may rob him.

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-od	c-od	sh-od
n-od	p-od	-odd
r-od	s-od	pl-od

get a dish of fish. shall I get a cod? yes, a cod is not a bad fish. has a cod got legs? no, a cod has got no legs. a fish has not legs. a fish has fins. a cod has got fins.

tell Ned to get a dish of fish. he can-not get fish. he can-not catch them. he has no rod. can you spell catch? yes I can. I add ch to cat, then it is catch. a cat can catch a rat. Ned can catch

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fish if he can get a rod. men can catch fish with a rod and in a net. Ned has got a rod. I see him nod to me. he has got a fish. let us go a-way. I do not wish to see Ned kill the fish. the fish is on the sod.

the ass is to be shod. is the pig to be shod? no, a pig is not shod. a cat is not to be shod. the ass is shod. tell Ned that my ass is to be shod to-day.

do you see the seed? I see the pod, and the seed is in the pod. if you o-pen the pod you can see the seed.

-op	m-op	sh-op
h-op	s-op	st-op
l-op	t-op	p-op

hop, cat, hop. go on and do not stop. do you see my cat hop? my cat can hop, and I can hop too. I say I can hop "too," and not I can hop "two."

Ann has a mop. Ben has a top. may I have a top? yes, you may go to the shop and get a top, and pay for it. may I have two tops? yes you may. if you add s to top, then it is tops. I say one top, two tops. one

top, three tops. one top and two tops are three tops.

Sam has one top and I have two tops, so we have three tops. Ann has one mop and I have two mops, so we have three mops. we have tops and mops. we got them in a shop.

-oss	cr-oss	-oll
m-oss	-oll	r-oll
l-oss	d-oll	dr-oll
toss	P-oll	t-oll

Ann sits on the grass her doll is on her lap. lay the

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doll on the moss. may I
play with the doll? yes, you
may. do not toss it a-way.

the doll is a-way. it is in
the hay. Ann can-not get
her doll, for Ned did toss it
a-way. it is a sad loss. Ned
is cross. Ann is not cross.
she is sad, for her doll is
a-way.

let us see Poll. may I go
to see Poll? yes you may.
Poll is to be fed. Ann has
fed her Poll. Poll can say
"poor Poll"

roll the ball on the grass
toss the ball on the moss.
call all to play at ball. roll

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on the grass. toss the hay
that is the way we play.

may I go far a-way? you
may go to the toll. the toll
is not far away. get moss
for a bed for the doll. get
a ball to roll on the grass.

-og	h-og	fi-og
d-og	b-og	r-og
f-og	l-og	fr-og

Ann has a dog. she pats
her dog. Ned is not to flog
her dog. her dog is not a
bad dog. may I go to see
Ann and her dog? yes, you
may go.

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I can-not go to-day. it is a fog, and I may get into a bog. is the dog in a bog? no, he is not in a bog. Sam sits on a log. he sees his dog. he will not let his dog go in-to the bog. he will not flog his dog.

the dog bit the hog. so Ned is to flog the dog, for it is a bad dog. it bit the hog. do you see the frog? the frog is in the bog. I see one frog. if I add s, it is frogs. do you see two frogs? yes, I see two frogs. Ann sees three frogs, and Ned sees them too.

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-om r-om -on
T-om fr-om g-one

has Tom a dog? yes, he has two dogs. I say "two" dogs, and not "too" dogs. if I add s to dog, it is dogs, Ned has one dog, and Tom has two dogs, so Ned and Tom have three dogs.

Sam has three dogs. he got one of them from Dan. he had two dogs, and then he got one from Dan, so he has three dogs.

I have two dogs. I had one

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dog, and then I got one from Ned, so I have two dogs.

Dan has three pigs. he had one pig, and he got two pigs from Ben, so he has three pigs. one and two are three.

Ben got one top from Ned, and then he got two from Sam, so he has three tops. two and one are three.

did you tell Bob to go? did he go? no, Tom has gone. Ben is gone a-way. Sam has gone to get his top. his top is on the grass, Tom did toss it away and it fell on the grass.

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cry	fly	spy
dry	sty	shy
fry	sly	thy
try	sky	why

do not cry. why do you cry and sob? I am wet. I fell in-to the well. you need not cry for that. you will be dry soon. do not cry and sob. try to stop.

tell Ann to fry the fish. may I try to fry them? no, you need not try, you can-not do it. let Ann fry them, she will do it well.

is the dog sly? no, the dog is not sly, the cat is

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sly, and the fox is sly. I spy the sly fox. the pig is in the sty. is it thy pig or my pig?

try to fly. I need not try, for I can-not fly. men can-not fly. I wish to try to fly. you may try. you can-not do it.

—did you spy Ann? yes, I did spy her. and she ran a-way. Ann is shy. Ned is not sly.

the bee can fly. the hen can fly, she can-not fly so far as the bee. the hen can fly up in-to the tree, the bee can fly far away up in-to the sky.

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-oo	food	m-oon
-ood	m-ood	s-oon
w-ood	p-oor	f-oot
g-ood	m-oor	b-oot

my dog is good. my good dog is in the wood. is my good dog to have food? yes, Ned has fed my good dog. Ned is not to flog my good dog. my poor dog has gone to the moor.

the moon is in the sky. can you fly up to the moon? no, I can-not fly to the moon. for the moon is far. far a-way. I see the moon in the sky, and I see two or

three stars. the moon and the stars are in the sky, far, far, far a-way.

I wish to get a boot to fit my foot. do you wish for one boot, or for two boots? I wish to have two boots, and I wish to have them soon. if you add s to boot, it is boots. I say one boot, two boots. can I add s to foot? can I say one foot, two "foots." no, you cannot say foots. you do not add s to foot. you are to say one foot, two feet. I have two feet, so I wish to have two boots.

4	5	6
four	five	six
our	hive	fix

we have four dogs. do you see our four dogs? yes, I see them. it is odd that o-u-r is our, and f-o-u-r is four. if you add s to our, it is ours. the four dogs are ours.

do you see the four pigs? one, two, three, four. yes. I see four pigs. the four pigs are ours. two and two are four. Ned has two dogs. and Sam has two dogs; so Ned and Sam have four dogs.

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do you see the bees in the hive? yes. I see the bees in the glass hive. do you see the bees fly a-way from the hive? yes, I see five. one, two, three. four, five. two and three are five.

Ben got two figs from Sam, and then he got three figs from Ned; so Ben has five figs. two and three are five. three and three are six. Ann got three hens from Ned, and three hens from me; so Ann has six hens. if she sells one of her hens, then she will have five hens.

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ub	-up	-ud
r-ub	c-up	m-ud
t-ub	s-up	b-ud

my ball fell into the tub. it is wet. rub it well, and it will soon be dry. do not fall into the tub, or you will be wet too.

get a cup for Ann, and a cup for Ned, and a cup for me. get three cups. Ann is to sup with me. my cup is in the mud; it fell. why did you let it fall?

do you see a bud? yes, I see a bud on the tree. if I add s to bud it is buds.

I see the buds on the trees.
 if I add s to tree it is trees.
 one bud, two buds, three
 buds. one tree, two trees,
 three trees. can I add s to
 ox, and say "oxs." no, you
 can-not. you are to add en
 to ox, and say ox-en. one
 ox. two ox-en, three ox-en.
 Ben has one ox, and Ned
 has two ox-en; so Ben and
 Ned have three ox-en.

-ug d-ug p-ug
 m-ug r-ug j-ug

do you see a jug on the
 rug? yes, the jug is not
 to be on the rug. Ann

has a mug and a jug. Ben
 has a pug dog. it is a droll
 dog. have you seen a pug
 dog? yes, I have seen it.
 it sat on the rug.

I can add s to jug and it
 is jugs. I say one jug, two
 jugs, one mug, two mugs,
 one rug, two rugs. can you
 add s to box, and say two
 "boxs?" no, I can-not say
 "boxs." then, can you add
 en to box, and say one box,
 two box-en? no, I can-not.
 I add es to box, and say
 box-es. one box, two box-es.
 one ox, two ox-en.

Sam has three box-es; if

he gets three box-es from Ned, then Sam will have six box-es. Ned has three ox-en and if he gets three ox-en from Sam, then Ned will have six ox-en.

-ut	h-ut	-ur
b-ut	sh-ut	c-ur
c-ut	n-ut	f-ur

Ned has cut his foot. he fell from a tree in the wood. his foot is cut, but he did not cry. may I go in-to that hut? no, you can-not go in, it is shut. my box is shut. I have a nut in my box.

I have two nuts in my box. if I get three nuts from Ann, then I shall have five nuts, for two and three are five. my nuts are shut up in my box. Ann has got nuts in her bag. I see nuts on the tree.

I wish to get rid of that cur, for he is a bad dog. do not kill the poor dog. do not call him a cur. may I have him? I shall feed him well, and I will not call him a cur.

may Ann have that fur? yes, she may have it. Ann may have the fur, and you

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may have the cur. if you wish
to have him; for I wish to
get rid of him.

-av	-iv	-ov
h-ave	g-ive	l-ove
....	live	d-ove

may I have that dove?
will you give it to me? it
shall live with me. I love
a dove, no, I can-not give
the dove to you, for I wish
to set it free. it may go
and live in the wood.

the poor dove loves to be

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free. it loves to live in the
tree. fly a-way, poor dove.
go and be free. live in the
wood, and fly from tree to
tree.

if I add s to dove it is
doves. one dove, two doves.
do you see two doves? I
love doves. I say, I love,
it loves, he loves, she loves,
we love, you love. and so
I say, I give, he gives, she
gives. we give, you give. I
do not say, we loves, or we
gives, or we lives. I say, we
love, and we give, and we
live. but I say, he loves,
and he gives, and he lives.

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un	s-un	g-un
b-un	t-un	n-un
f-un	r-un	sh-un

will you have a bun? you may have a bun, and then run a-way to play. it is fun to run in the sun. let us run and play. I love to run. and I love fun.

will you give Ned a gun? no, Ned is not to have a gun. Sam has a gun. Sam is a bad man. do not go with him. shun bad men, do not go with them.

if I add s to bun it is buns. I have six buns

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Tom has two guns. we have four guns. have you seen them? they are good guns.

-um	-us	put
h-um	th-us	push
s-um	bush

may I go to the wood? yes, you may go. may Ben go with me? no, Ben may not go. he is to do his sum. I see the trees. I see the bees in the trees. the bees hum in the trees. put on your hat, and let us go. I wish to see the men cut wood. I wish to get nuts. I see nuts on the bush. do

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you see one bush, or two?
I see two. I add es to bush,
then it is bush-es. why do
you add es? why do you
not add s? I add es to sh.
I say, one bush, two bush-es,
three bush-es. sh needs es
to be put af-ter it. nut
needs s af-ter it. I say one
nut, two nuts, three nuts; but
I say one bush, two bush-es.

do not push me. if you
push me, I may slip, and fall.
I do not push you. I say I
push, he push-es. I add es
af-ter sh. I say I push, he
push-es, she push-es, we push,
you push.

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can you spell but? yes,
I can. b-u-t but. it is
odd that b-u-t is but, and
p-u-t is put, but I will try
to re-mem-ber it.

God.

God sees us, but we do not
see God. God is good to all.
God is good to us. he gives
us all that we have. God
sees me. he sees all that I
do. he sees me when I do
not see him.

God keeps us from harm.
God gives us food. God
gives food to all. let us

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pray to God to give us all that we need, and to keep us from harm. all good men pray to God. all good men love God.

let us pray to God that he may make us love him, and that he may keep us from sin.

can you read the Bi-ble? no, I can-not read the Bi-ble yet, but I hope soon to try to read it. all good men love the Bi-ble. it is the word of God, and it tells us of God. ask God to make you love the Bi-ble.

