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Milo's Making Words Flipbook

Manipulating sounds in words is an important skill for reading and spelling. Explain to children that each word they are going to make has 3 sounds matching 3 letters or letter clusters in the flipbook. To ensure success for our Little Learners some letters of the alphabet have not been included. Some examples are:

- The letter 'v' is never alone at the end of English words, for example, love, have, give. The letter 'v' has not been included.
- 'ck' has been included as it is always preceded by a short vowel sound in one syllable words, for example, back, duck, sick, dock, peck.
- As the letter 'c' is more common at the beginning of words we have eliminated any confusion with the letter 'k' by not including it.

- In one-syllable words such as miss, off, doll the final consonant is doubled. These double consonants ll, ss, ff are included.

Vowels are so important and yet so difficult for children. We have given children a visual graphic from our Little Learners Love Literacy® book, Milo's Birthday Surprise, to help recall the vowel sound:

a Ally alligator



o Oscar octopus



e Eddy elephant



u Uncle Upton



i Izzy insect



Word lists

Words are grouped according to vowel sounds and endings -ck, -ss, -ff, -ll

bat	bag	cap	bad	man	pam	max
cat	tag	gap	dad	pan	jam	sax
fat	sag	lap	had	ran	ham	fax
hat	lag	map	lad	tan	ram	tax
mat	rag	nap	mad	nan	sam	
pat	gag	rap	pad	ban	dam	
rat	dag	sap	sad	can		
sat	nag	tap	fad	fan		

bet	let	ben	bed	beg
get	yet	den	fed	meg
jet	pet	hen	led	leg
let	set	men	red	peg
met	net	pen	yes	hem
		ten		

pit	quit	quin	tip	sip	nib	hid
				tip		lid
						rid

box	sob	not	log
fox		pot	
		rot	

bop
cop
hop
lop
mop
pop
top

duck
luck
suck
tuck

rug	bus	pup	sun
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One-syllable words frequently end in ss, ff and ll

miss	mess	off	puff	bell	fell	fill	sill
hiss	less		cuff	sell	hell	till	pill
mass	boss		buff	tell		bill	doll