





Level 1 - Pink



Helpful Hints for Reading at Home

The graphemes (written letters) and phonemes (units of sound) used throughout this series are aligned with Letters and Sounds. This offers a consistent approach to learning whether reading at home or in the classroom.

HERE IS A LIST OF PHONEMES FOR THIS PHASE OF LEARNING. AN EXAMPLE OF THE PRONUNCIATION CAN BE FOUND IN BRACKETS.

| Phase 2 | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|--|
| s (sat) | a (cat) | t (tap) | p (tap) | |
| i (pin) | n (net) | m (man) | d (dog) | |
| g (go) | o (sock) | c (cat) | k (kin) | |
| ck (sack) | e (elf) | υ (υρ) | r (rabbit) | |
| h (hut) | b (ball) | f (fish) | ff (off) | |
| l (liρ) | ll (ball) | ss (hiss) | | |

HERE ARE SOME WORDS WHICH YOUR CHILD MAY FIND TRICKY.

| Phase 2 Tricky Words | | | | |
|----------------------|------|---|----|--|
| the | to | I | no | |
| 90 | into | | | |

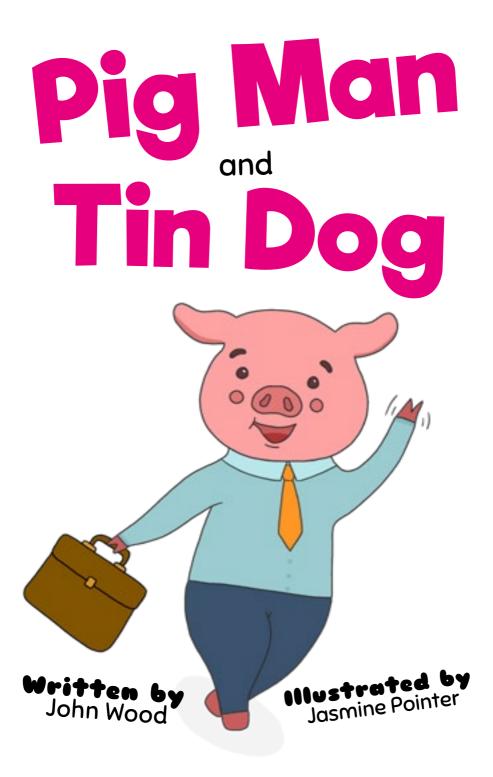
GPC focus: /i/n/m/d/g/o/c/

TOP TIPS FOR HELPING YOUR CHILD TO READ:

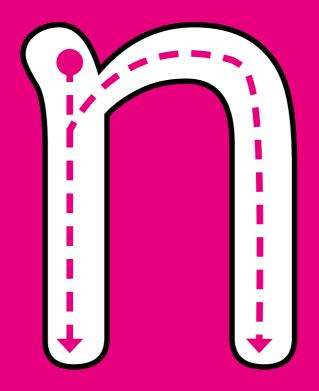
- Allow children time to break down unfamiliar words into units of sound and then encourage children to string these sounds together to create the word.
- Encourage your child to point out any focus phonics when they are used.
- Read through the book more than once to grow confidence.
- Ask simple questions about the text to assess understanding.
- Encourage children to use illustrations as prompts.



This book focuses on the phonemes /i/, /n/, /m/, /d/, /g/, /o/ and /c/ and is a pink level 1 book band.



Can you say this sound and draw it with your finger?



Pig Man





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It is Pig Man.



Go, Pig Man, go!



Sit, Pig Man!

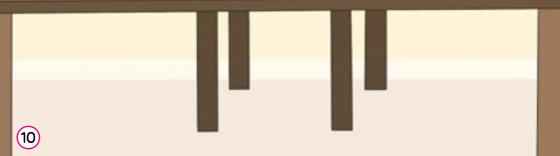


Pig Man in a gap.



Can Pig Man nap?





No nap, Pig Man.



Sip it, Pig Man!



Mop it, Pig Man!



Pig Man is on top.



Pig Man is not on top.



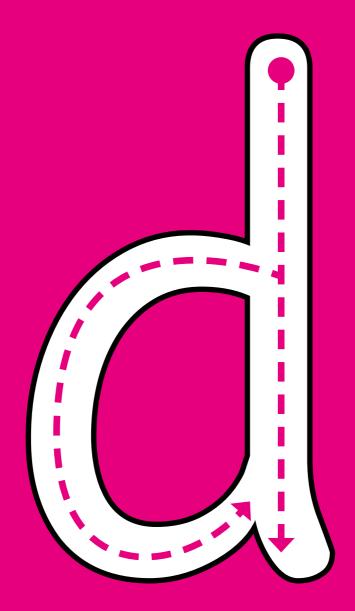
Can Pig Man nap?

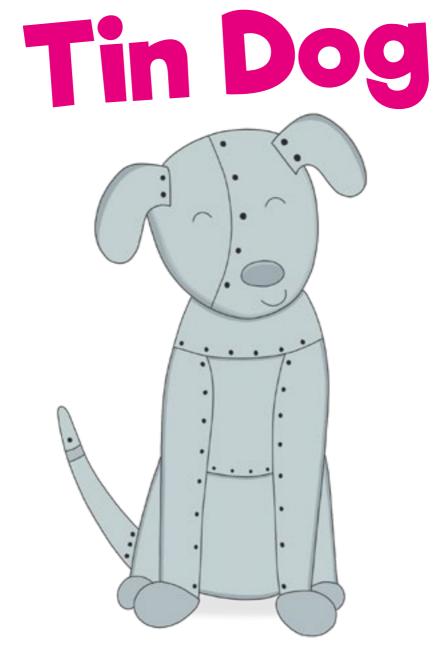


Pig Man can nap.



Can you say this sound and draw it with your finger?







Jasmine Pointer

It is a tin dog.



The tin dog is in!



Is it a dog?



It is a tin dog!



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A dot on a dog.

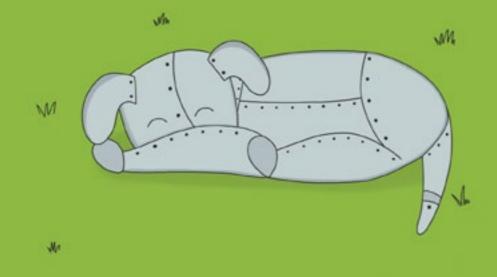


No dot on a tin dog.



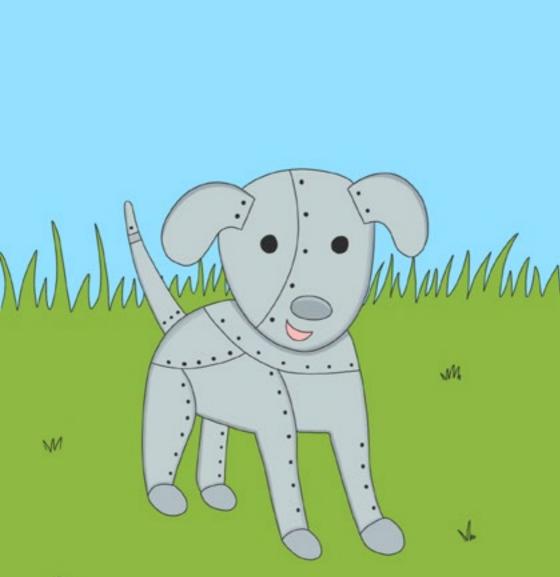
A pot and a pan?





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No. A tin dog.

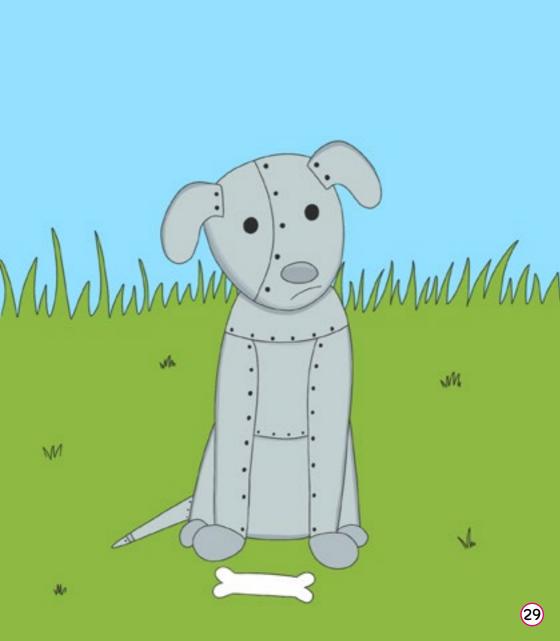


A dog can nip.



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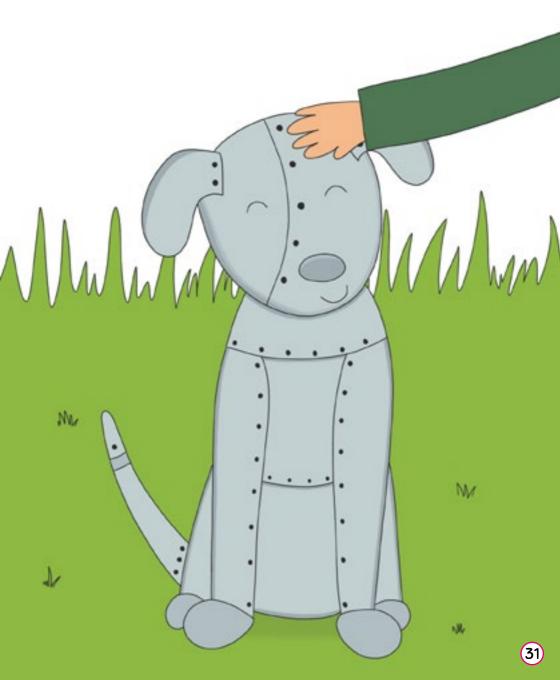
Can a tin dog nip? No.



Pat the dog.



Pat the tin dog.







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PHASE 2

/i/n/m/

d/g/o/

Readers

Pig Man

Pig Man is clumsy and often gets things wrong. However, after spilling coffee, annoying commuters, and falling over a lot, he can finally go to bed for a well-deserved rest.

Tin Dog

A tin dog bursts into the house. We see all the ways a tin dog is different to a real dog, but in the end we realise that those differences only make tin dog more special.

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