

SIGHT WORD SENTENCES

Just to recap:

- 1. Once a child has learned how to spell the sight words in <u>LIST 3</u>, you can begin teaching him/her how to write and read these sentences.
- 2. The suggested time for each sentence is 2 weeks, spending one week on vocabulary and the 2nd week on the word family. Spend more or less time according to the child's progress.
- 3. The child should know how to spell all of the SIGHT WORDS in the sentence before moving onto the next sentence. The underline words DO NOT need to be spelled correctly to move on.
- 4. The underlined words can be replaced with different words to teach vocabulary.
- 5. The word families are there to teach a specific spelling pattern.

This coat is for my mother. Vocabulary: clothing

Word family: other, brother, mother, grandmother

We are going to the <u>park</u>. Vocabulary: places

Word family: bark, dark, mark, park, shark

We will be <u>running</u> around. Vocabulary: ing verbs

Word family: around, found, ground, mound, pound, round, sound

Then, we will go under the <u>slide</u>. Vocabulary: objects

Word family: hide, ride, side, slide, wide

Could we go there again? Vocabulary: verbs

Focus on spelling could and again. They're tricky!

Would you like some <u>fish</u>? Vocabulary: foods

Word family: dish, fish, wish,

We give them some every <u>Sunday</u>. Vocabulary: days of the week

Focus on spelling give, them, some and every. These are tricky!

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I'm <u>happy</u>. Vocabulary: feelings

Teach the contractions: I'm, you're, she's, he's, they're, we're

I'm happy because I have <u>candy</u>. Vocabulary: kinds of candy

Focus on spelling the word because.

I want to, but I'm very <u>tired</u>. Vocabulary: feelings

Focus on spelling the word very.

It's <u>raining</u> over there. Vocabulary: weather

Teach the contraction: it's

They can't go. Vocabulary: verbs

Teach the contractions: can't, couldn't, don't, shouldn't, won't, wouldn't

Let's go after school. Vocabulary: classes/meals

Teach the contractions: Let's, I'll, you'll, she'll, he'll, they'll, we'll

A whale doesn't live on land. Vocabulary: sea creatures

Word family: bale, kale, male, pale, sale, tale, whale

LEARNED WORDS:

after could I'm some doesn't it's again them around let's then every for live under be mother because give very going would but on can't happy over

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