

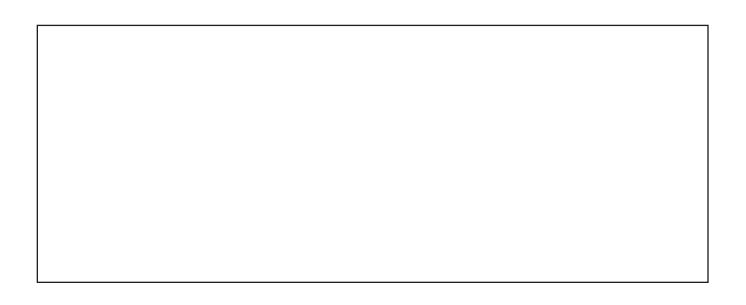
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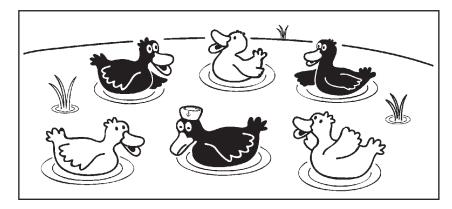


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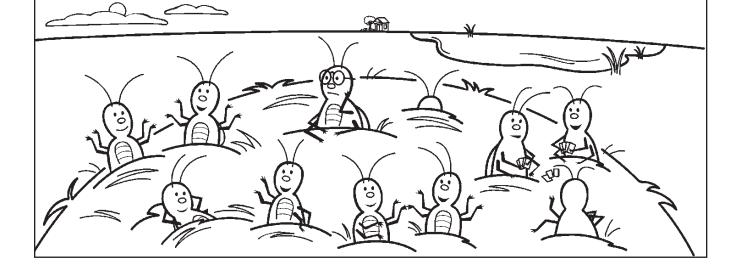
New phonic element	ck digraph
Words with new phonic element	back, black, check, Chuck, click, cluck, duck, Jack, pack, peck, quack, rock, hack, sick, snack, stack, Vick
Reviewed phonic elements	long vowel VCe patterns; consonant digraphs sh, ch
Story words	chicken, cricket, hello, instead, racket, says, thought
New high-frequency words	funny, now, other
Special considerations	inflectional endings <i>-ed, -ing, -s;</i> plural ending <i>-s;</i> possessive 's;

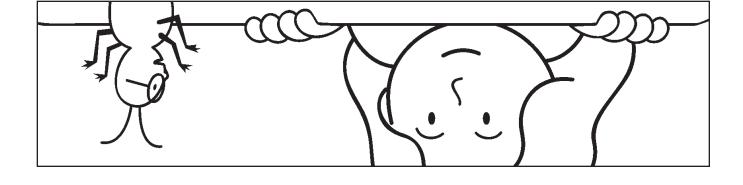
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Chuck is a cricket. Chuck lives with a pack of crickets. They live in a stack of grass.

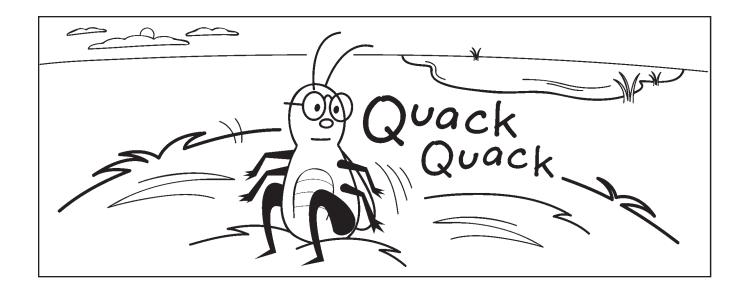




Chuck, Vick, and Jack went to see a vet. And she gave Jack's cluck to Vick. Now no one was sad.

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Chuck was not like other crickets. He did not go click, click. Instead, Chuck went quack, quack.





Chuck stopped to think. He thought, "I know a chicken that clicks, a duck that clucks, and I'm a cricket that quacks. Can we trade the click, cluck, and quack?"

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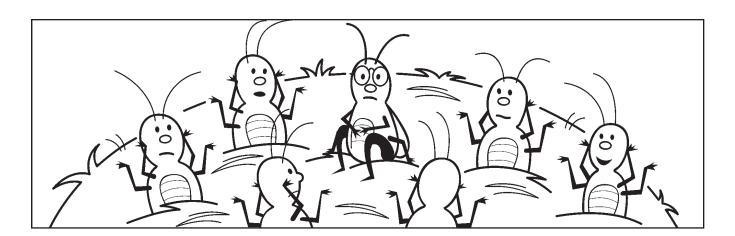
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"How tunny," thought Chuck.

She said, "Click, click."

He saw Vick pecking the sand.





Other crickets made fun of his quacking. They said he made too much racket.

This made Chuck sad.

He was so sad that he felt sick.

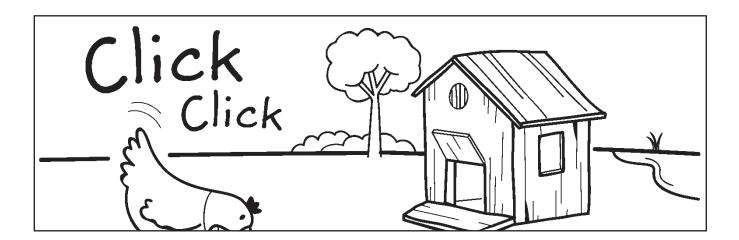
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"This cricket says quack and not click."

"This duck says cluck and not quack."

"How funny," thought Jack.

"How funny," thought Chuck.



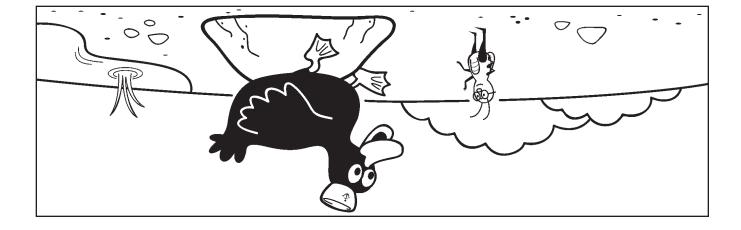
Vick the chicken lived in a shack in back of a lake. She did not go cluck, cluck like other chickens. Instead, Vick went click, click.

This made Vick sad.

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Other chickens made fun of Vick.

"You make too much racket," they said.

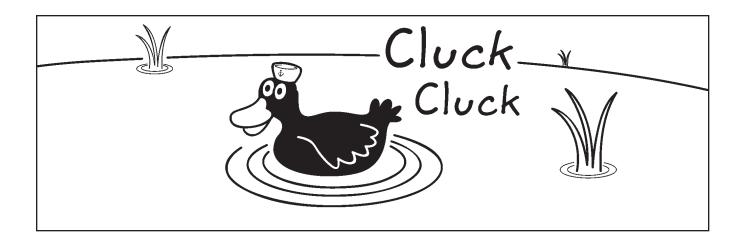


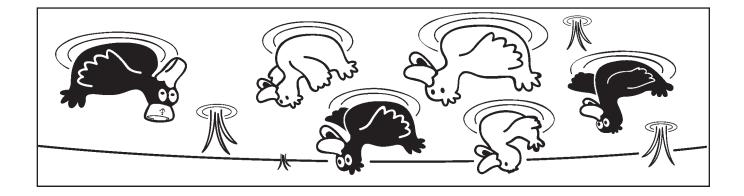
One day Chuck went to look for a snack. "Hello," said Chuck with a quack.

"Hello," said Jack with a cluck.

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Jack the black duck lived on a pond. He did not go quack, quack like other ducks. Instead, Jack went cluck, cluck.





Other ducks made fun of Jack. "Check out that duck's clucking racket," they said.

Jack was sad, too.