

English Vowels Series Set 2 Phase 5 Orange Book Band

Aims

- to continue to use very common past tense verbs, e.g. 'was, were, saw, came, said, took, heard, thought'.
- to use past-tense verbs ending in '-ed'.
- to reinforce more vowel graphemes already introduced in isolated words in previous series. These are:-
 - 'oy' (introduced in 'toy' in the *Combining Consonants Series*),
 - 'ir' (introduced in 'first' in *Tom and Bella Series 4*),
 - 'oi' (introduced in 'noise' in *Alfie's Adventure*),
 - 'ea' introduced in 'head' in *Alfie's Adventure* and used in subsequent series),
 - 'are' (introduced in 'scared' in *Follifoot Farm Series 2*),
 - 'aw' (introduced in 'saw' and used in all previous series written in the past tense).

All these graphemes are used as a vowel focus in each story in as many words as possible.

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EV7 *The Dirty Sheep*

Vowels	ay/ai/a-e/a:	day hay again later making
	ee/ea:	trees sheep three see Bean
	i:	find
	o:	almost over opening
	oo/ew:	too flew news
	oo:	took wool good
	ow/ou:	down found ground mound
	ar:	March barn farmyard
	er:	winter over under water later
	ir:	birds blackbird birch first dirty thirsty girl third chirped
	or:	born
	oy:	boy
	aw/al:	saw almost all
y ending:		very Jelly dirty thirsty
-ed ending:		moved chirped pecked wanted
Phase 2:		buds on a it moss back its in off and at tub had of sat bed did not
Phase 3:		singing with putting then them long
Phase 4:		nest help drink second next went
Tricky:		the was were some to when said very they go she her into all saw
Other:		month baa move lambs animals

EV8	<i>The Toy Trumpet</i>
Vowels	a-e: came ee: sleep trees i-e/y: like try ow: yellow oo/ew: too blew oo: took shook wood looked ow/ou: owl down found out around mouth loud bow-wow ar: barked er: water oi/oy: soil noise noisy spoiled pointed toy annoyed aw: saw
y ending:	funny noisy
ed ending:	loved annoyed spoiled looked barked picked dropped pointed pretended
Phase 2:	in a it dug of and ran his did not sad had fun back up
Phase 3:	Kevin digging with then singing than
Phase 4:	trumpet went from pond
Tricky:	was the when he something said to be saw so
Other:	ta-raa worse Wellington

EV9	<i>Cross Hedgehogs</i>
Vowels	ai/ay/a-e: again away way stayed safe ee/ea: sleep trees heaps leaves ie/i-e: cried spikes o/o-e: over noses oo: looked ow/ou: down growling growled meow around out ar: garden er: summer winter over ir: birds or: for ur: hurt oi: noise aw/au: paw saw autumn ea: ready
Soft g:	hedgehogs
y ending:	Jelly sorry suddenly ready
ed ending:	moved growled rushed stayed cried looked jumped
Phase 2:	in on a it big but at not
Phase 3:	with getting
Phase 4:	from next grass next cross across trodden
Tricky:	was were the they to she two her their some little saw all
Others:	watching heard towards sudden coming

EV10 ***Frogspawn***

Vowels	ai/ay/a-e: again tails away became came
	ee/ea: sleep free see Bean eat
	i-e/y/i: wide trying by tiny
	o/o-e/ow/oa: opened woke tadpoles stone grow toad floating
	oo/ew: too soon grew
	oo: took
	ow/ou: down mouth mouthful about out
	er: water together under longer
	aw/au: paw saw claws frogspawn crawl crawled caught
y ending:	jelly tiny suddenly very
ed ending:	yawned opened grabbed crawled moved hopped jumped
Phase 2:	in and up had of dot a it bottom its his dug did not put back on hid legs big
Phase 3:	sitting then with fish
Phase 4:	pond frog went blobs stuck black from slid swam next grass swim shrank land
Tricky:	was the he could two to when some there were little into they all saw very go
Others:	gone middle move

EV11 Winter Ice

Vowels	ai/ay/a-e: again came
	ee: heels freezing meet
	ie/i-e/i: tried slide lined alive ice climb
	ow/o: snow cold over
	oo/ue: too rescued
	ow/ou: down out ground round
	ar: barked
	er: over together under after water
	ur: turn
	air: air
	ea: weather spread tread head ready steady breath heavy
Soft g:	edge
Soft c:	ice icy
y ending:	very Lotty January icy
ed ending:	loved tried lined rescued barked cracked jumped landed wanted
Phase 2:	in and on his legs it had a but fell up at him dogs of back did not
Phase 3:	Kevin along with then much that thud them
Phase 4:	pond went slid spin across splash sank strong swam from glad
Tricky:	the was there to he her they go oh no so two onto were be all very
Others:	impossible Wellington

EV12***The Lost Scarecrow***

Vowels

ai/ay/a-e: trail day face
ee/ie: between trees green peeped field
y/i-e: flying by smile
ow/o-e: scarecrow crows followed home
oo/ue: boots blue
oo: wood looking woodpecker look
ow/ou: brown trousers round
ar: barked
er: trousers either corner woodpecker after
or/ore: for corner anymore
ur: disturb turned
aw: saw straw
air/are: air pair scarecrow scare hare rare
ea: head

Soft c:

face fence

y ending:

suddenly happy

ed ending:

turned followed looked barked peeped

Phase 2:

a in it had and did not at of its but cubs back sad on

Phase 3:

them along running then bush fox long

Phase 4:

next went just grass

Tricky:

there was the to because he one some into no they were
two little go saw

Others:

sign jacket Wellington

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