

Tom and Bella Series 4 Phase 4 Blue Book Band

Aims

- to introduce more interactive stories with Tom and Bella where conversation is used.
 - to introduce the vowel digraph 'ar' and the word ending '..all'. The vowel digraph 'ir' is used on one occasion in the word 'first'.
 - to continue to reinforce the vowel spellings 'ai/ay, ee/ea, ie/y/long i, long o, oa, oo (moon), oo (foot), ou/ow, oor, er.' Most of these vowel spellings appear in every story.
 - to increase the number of words per page in each story.
- This series uses several written words beginning with 'wa'. These are 'watch, want, washing, was'.

Titles		Total words
TB401	<i>Charlie</i>	121
TB402	<i>Tom's Trains</i>	136
TB403	<i>Painting</i>	132
TB404	<i>On the Beach</i>	139
TB405	<i>The Sandcastle</i>	128
TB406	<i>The Big Hill</i>	151

Book

Vowel digraphs in each book

<i>Charlie</i>	ai ay ee — all oo oo — ou — er ar
<i>Tom's Trains</i>	ai ay ee ea all oo — or ou — er ar
<i>Painting</i>	ai ay ee ea all — oo — — ow er ar
<i>On the Beach</i>	— ay ee ea — oo oo — ou — er —
<i>The Sandcastle</i>	— ay ee ea all oo oo — ou ow er — ie oa
<i>The Big Hill</i>	ai ay ee — — — — or — ow — ar ie — ir room look

TB401

Charlie

Vowels	ai/ay: trains away
	ee: squeeze
	i/y fly try find hiding
	o: open broken
	oo: room bedroom
	oo: looks
	ou/ow: out round found
	ar: Charlie apart cars are
	er: hamster under after clatter
	all: ball falls called
Phase 2	Tom has a pet in his hits leg of bed it and Tigga him runs cats as not
Phase 3	bang
Phase 4	crash Fluff from truck
Tricky	the comes have they where oh no go are
Other	whizzes coming towards give

TB402***Tom's Trains***

Vowels

ai/ay/a: train play says may table
 ee/ea: green please
 oo: bedroom
 ou/ow: round out
 ar: Charlie
 er: under
 oor: floor
 all: ball

Phase 2

Tom has set up a in his it bed Bella lets red is get big

Phase 3

bang then push long this

Phase 4

track trucks asks stops stuck crash

Tricky

the two to into goes comes have oh no my I her

Other

can't watch tunnel gives connects

TB403***Painting***

Vowels

ai/ay/a: paint painting says table paper
 ee/ea: need clean
 i/y: lion my
 oo: looks
 ou/ow: flower
 ar: garden
 er: paper water flowers over
 all: all

Phase 2

Mum has Tom Bella and can at boxes pots in a am not
picks up his of is but it tips full

Phase 3

that them brushes bangs will

Phase 4

kitchen asks sink

Tricky

said the some two to do goes going no her he she I

Other

don't want have are you

given jungle ruined

TB404***On the Beach***

Vowels

ai/ay: holiday says
 ee/ea: sees beach
 ie: tries
 o: hold
 oo: pool scoops
 oo: looking looks
 ou: out shouts
 er: hermit water another different finger

Phase 2

Tom and Bella on in rock a of it his net big but gets
bucket bottom

Phase 3

shell with this

Phase 4

across crab drop catch help grabs

Tricky

they the come here to It's her he she go my I'll

Other:

watches moving move tangled can't something

TB405	<i>The Sandcastle</i>
Vowels	ai/ay/a-e: away says made ee/ea: beach sea reached ie/y: sandpies my oo: too oo: look ou/ow: round down er: water covered all: all falling oa: moat
y ending:	happy
Phase 2	Tom and Bella a on put it is has up fun in
Phase 3	digging filling with
Phase 4	jump
Tricky	have the they here comes are very oh no into gone to
Other	channel sandcastle collapsing washing coming

TB406	<i>The Big Hill</i>
Vowels	ai/ay: waiting says again ee/ea: need feet ou/ow: down wow ie/i: cries climbs o: rolls ar: hardly ir: first or: for
y ending:	hardly
Phase 2	Tom is at top of big hill his bin lid Bella up puffs as gets sits and let's off but in
Phase 3	sitting with push then that
Phase 4	pants last next hands stuck sand
Tricky	the he her she to I do you want go goes oh no was
Other	moves fantastic whizzes gives coming

THE VOLUME OF WRITING ACTIVITIES DESIGNED TO COMPLEMENT
THIS SERIES IS **WA17: TOM AND BELLA WRITING ACTIVITIES 4**