

**Tom and Bella Series 3      Phase 3    Yellow    Book Band**

**Aims**

- to reinforce high-frequency words used in interesting incidents between Tom and Bella *'he, me, she, we, be, my, her, they, you, are, come'*.
  - to reinforce the vowel digraphs taught to date and add 'oo' in *'pool'* and 'ea' in *'please'*.
- New consonant blends are *'br'* in *'brick, bring'*, *'sp'* in *'spot'* and *'sp'* in *'crisp'*.  
New words are highlighted in bold type.

<b>No.</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Key words</b>	<b>Total words</b>
TB301	<i>Green Bricks</i>	<i>he, you, she</i>	78
TB302	<i>Tom's Jungle Animals</i>	<i>all, her, my</i>	78
TB303	<i>We Have Spots</i>	<i>me, we, have</i>	76
TB304	<i>Bella's Shop</i>	<i>be</i>	81
TB305	<i>Dogs Come to Play</i>	<i>come, are</i>	74
TB306	<i>Bella's Bucket</i>	<i>they</i>	82

**Use of Vowel Digraphs**

TB301	<i>Green Bricks</i>	ay ee --- ow er
TB302	<i>Tom's Jungle Animals</i>	ay ee oo --- ---
TB303	<i>We Have Spots</i>	ay ee oo --- ---
TB304	<i>Bella's Shop</i>	ay --- --- --- or ea
TB305	<i>Dogs Come to Play</i>	ay ee oo --- --- --- ---
TB306	<i>Bella's Bucket</i>	--- --- --- er --- --- ou oo (look) (pool)

**Vocabulary in each book**

**TB301      Green Bricks**

Digraphs	sh: she th: with them the ay: play says <b>may</b> ee: <b>green</b> ow: down <b>tower</b> er: tower
Phase 2	Tom a in is of up on has big bag tip mat put full pick get
Phase 4	land <b>last bend brick</b> cross
Tricky	the I to no oh he she you
Other	Bella <b>castle sorry</b>

This story reinforces the vowels *'ay, ow, er'* and the use of speech marks for dialogue. It also uses the pronouns *'he, she, you'*.

**TB302      Tom's Jungle Animals**

Digraphs	sh: she th: them the ay: says
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	ee: see
	oo: look
Phase 2	a in is it of up on his and hit put Tom full back doll
Phase 4	<b>tent brings</b> grass
Tricky	the oh no to he my her all she
Other	Bella rabbit <b>jungle animals</b> silly

This story also uses words with more than one syllable, e.g. *'rabbit, jungle, animals'* and uses speech marks for the spoken language. It also uses the pronouns *'he, she, my, her'*.

### **TB303      *We Have Spots***

Digraphs	sh: she
	th: <b>bath</b> then the
	ch: chin cheek
	ay: says
	ee: see cheek
	oo: look
Phase 2	a in is and of on has red pen tip big lot put Tom tell Mum
Phase 3	will
Phase 4	<b>felt spot</b> jump
Tricky	the to me we she you her have
Other	Bella happy

This story uses the pronouns *'me, we, she, you, her'* and speech marks for the spoken language.

### **TB304      *Bella's Shop***

Digraphs	sh: shed she <b>shop</b>
	th: <b>that</b> the
	ay: may <b>pay</b> says
	or: for
Phase 2	a in is of up has set bag but get Tom till
Phase 3	will
Phase 4	from <b>lend crisps</b>
Tricky	I the to no be he she you into goes
Other	Bella <b>pasta</b> bananas happy <b>hello please money</b>

This story reinforces the vowel spelling *'ay'* in *'may, pay'*. It has several complex words, e.g. *'bananas, pasta, hello, money, please'* in its vocabulary.

### **TB305      *Dogs Come to Play***

Digraphs	sh: Dash she
	th: teeth with the
	ay: play away <b>playing</b>
	ee: teeth

Phase 2 in is on his hit bat run **pop** get tell **miss** Tom Dot  
 Phase 4 grass grab cross stuck  
 Tricky the to no go oh he she are come  
 Other ball **football** **swingball** **wham**

This is the first Tom and Bella story that uses the word 'come'.  
 The 'all' spelling is used in the words 'football, swingball'.

**TB306 Bella's Bucket**

Digraphs sh: she  
 th: with then they the  
 er: water  
 ou: out  
 oo: **pool**  
 Phase 2 a in is it has let his **gun** fun sun get pick Tom fill and on  
 up  
 Phase 3 wet  
 Phase 4 from drip grass **plant**  
 Tricky the she they have onto very  
 Other Bella **bucket** sitting **paddling** **hold**

This is the first Tom and Bella story to use the word 'they'.  
 It is also the first Tom and Bella book to use the digraph 'oo' as in 'pool'.

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**Key vocabulary for Tom and Bella Series 3**

TB301	he	she			you				says
TB302	he	she				all	her		says
TB303		she			you		her	have	says
TB304	he	she			you	goes			says
TB305	he	she	are	come					
TB306		she	they					out	have