

RWI Speed Sound Rhymes



Each of these speed sounds has a rhyme attached to it to help aid recall.

Set 2

ay	May I play?	or	Shut the door
ee	What can you see?	ar	Start the car
igh	Fly high	ir	That's not fair
ow	Blow the snow	ir	Whirl and twirl
oo	Poo at the zoo	ou	Shout it out
oo	Look at a book	oy	Toy for a boy

Set 3

ea	Cup of tea!	ai	Snail in the rain
oi	Spoil the boy	oa	Goat in a boat
a-e	Make a cake	ur	Nurse with a purse
i-e	Nice smile	er	A better letter
o-e	Phone home	ow	Brown cow
u-e	Huge brute	ire	Fire! Fire!
aw	Yawn at dawn	ear	Hear with your ear
are	Share and care	ure	Sure, it's pure
tion	Pay attention, it's a celebration	tious cious	Scrumptious, delicious

RWI Set 1

Each of these speed sounds has a phrase to help understand how the letter is formed.

Set 1

m	Down Maisie then over the two mountains. Maisie, Maisie mountain.
a	Round the apple, down the leaf.
s	Slide around the snake.
d	Round the dinosaur's back, up his neck and down to his feet.
t	Down the tower, across the tower.
i	Down the insect's body, dot for the head.
n	Down Nobby and over the net.
p	Down the plait, up and over the pirate's face.
g	Round the girl's face, down her hair and give her a curl.
o	All around the orange.
c	Curl around the caterpillar.
k	Down the kangaroo's body, tail and leg.
u	Down and under the umbrella, up to the top and down to the puddle.
b	Down the laces, over the toe and touch the heel.
f	Down the stem and draw the leaves.
e	Slice into the egg, go over the top, then under the egg.
l	Down the long leg.
h	Down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back
sh	Slither down the snake, then down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back.
r	Down the robot's back, then up and curl.
j	Down his body, curl and dot.
v	Down a wing, up a wing.
y	Down a horn, up a horn and under the yak's head.
w	Down, up, down, up the worm.
th	Down the tower, across the tower, then down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back.
z	Zig-zag-zig, down the zip.
ch	Curl around the caterpillar then down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back.
qu	Round the queen's head, up to her crown, down her hair and curl.
x	Cross down the arm and leg and cross the other way.
ng	A thing on a string.
nk	I think I stink!