

## Stage II: Development of Reading and Writing

### Short Vowel Reading Boxes:

These boxes allow students to gain experience and mastery over three letter, short vowel words. The program isolates each vowel and then allows the child to practice discriminating between vowels using the mixed vowel boxes. At this stage, the students are first, writing the words by selecting each letter from the moveable alphabet box and second, reading the words and matching them to the corresponding pictures.

If you would like to recreate this experience at home, we have included photographs of each picture and word card from the final boxes listed on the Short Vowel Check Sheet. The reading program is set up to provide repetition, so the final box includes all of the pictures and words from the previous boxes in that section. You can

1. Print them, have your child cut out the letters, and then place them next to the objects or pictures to create the words.
2. To save ink, point to a picture and have your child write the word using magnetic letters or write, for those children who are already writing, write the word on paper.

Short a box 5 (there are twice as many short a words to get the students familiar with the process)

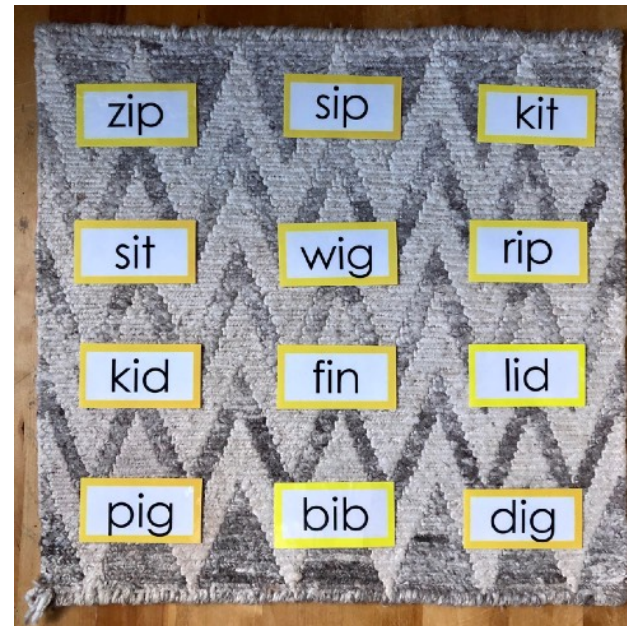




Short a box 10



Short i box 5





Short o box 5



Short u box 5





Short e box 5



Mixed box 3

