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Lesson 1

A a



game

Practice sounding these words, listening for the long vowel sound. Say them until you know them.



gāme

nō

prāy

came

go

play

name

so

may

James

yo-yo

day

same

way

tame

say

lame

Ray

A game is fun with a pal.

James is a pal to Sam.

James and Sam will play.

Wag will play, too.

No, Wag, let James have it.



A Game With James

A pal came to see Sam.

His name is James.

Sam is glad James came to play.

Sam and James will play a game.

Sam will hit the ball to James,
but Wag ran in the way!

“No, Wag, let James have it!

James must have it to play!”

Sam is not mad at Wag.

It is fun if Wag plays games, too.

Lesson 2

A a



game

Practice sounding these words, listening for the long vowel sound. Say them until you know them.



gāte

ate

late

Kate

wait

bait

pāte

hē

see

we

be

time

home

rāke

take

bake

make

lake

cake

blessing

We take time to pray and play.

We pray and play at home.

Ray has bait to get a fish.

God gives us lots of blessings.





Time to Go Home

Can you see Ray and Kate?

Ray and Kate will go home.

It is late as they go to the gate.

Ray and Kate came from the lake.

Ray has bait in his box.

Did he get a fish? No, he did not.

Mother and Father wait for them.

Ray will not have fish to give.