- 1. Read the story to your student.
- 2. Read it together slowly. Have the student point to each word as you read.
- 3. Vowel chunks are a combination of vowels that usually make one sound. Help your student find and mark all the **vowel chunks** in yellow.

The American flag! It has 13 red and white stripes. They stand for the first 13 colonies. It has 50 white stars in a blue rectangle. Did you know that the stars stand for our states? The flag did not always have 50 stars. The number changed each time our country added a new state.

 Yowel Churks

 aa
 ae
 ai
 ao
 au
 aw
 ay

 ea
 ee
 ei
 eo
 ew
 eg
 eau

 ia
 ie
 ii
 o
 iu
 o
 ow
 ow
 oy

 oa
 oe
 oi
 oo
 ou
 ow
 ow
 oy

 ua
 ue
 ui
 uo
 uy
 uy
 uy



Copy the story and mark the vowel chunks. You may look at the opposite page if you need help.

What is red, white, and blue?
The American flag! It has 13
T
red and white stripes. They
stand for the first 13 colonies.
S
It has 50 white stars in a blue
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the stars stand for our states?

Americana 1A

Section 1: Vowel Chunks

- 1. Read the story to your student.
- 2. Read it together slowly. Have the student point to each word as you read.
- 3. Work with your student to find all the **vowel chunks** and mark them in yellow.

What is red, white, and blue?

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Vowel Chunks

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aa ae ai ao au aw ay
ea ee ei eo ew ey eau
ia ie ii io iu
oa oe oi oo ou ow oy
ua ue ui uo uy
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Copy and "chunk" the story by marking the vowel chunks. You may look at the opposite page if you need help.

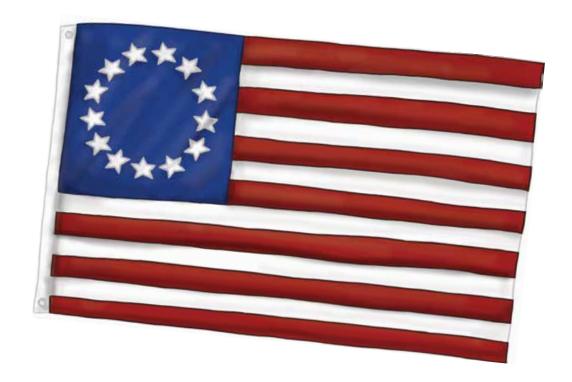
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Americana 1B

- 1. Read the story to your student.
- 2. Read it together slowly. Have the student point to each word as you read.
- 3. Together, find all the **vowel chunks** in the passage and mark them in yellow.

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Vowel Churks aa ae ai ao au aw ay ea ee ei eo ew ey eau ia ie ii i iu u v eu oy oy oa oe oi oo ou ow oy oy ua ue ui uo uy uy uy



Copy and chunk the story by marking the vowel chunks. You may look at the opposite page if you need help.

What is red, white, and blue?
W
The American flag! It has 13
red and white stripes. They
stand for the first 13 colonies.
It has 50 white stars in a blue
rectangle. Did you know that
the stars stand for our states?

Americana 1C

- 1. Read the story to your student.
- 2. Read it together slowly. Have the student point to each word as you read.
- 3. Together, find all the **vowel chunks** in the passage and mark them in yellow.
- 4. All the passages in this workbook are also in the *Instructor's Handbook* under **Resources**. When dictating the passage, you may want to cover this page with a piece of paper and read the story from the *Handbook*.

The American flag! It has 13 red and white stripes. They stand for the first 13 colonies. It has 50 white stars in a blue rectangle. Did you know that the stars stand for our states? The flag did not always have 50 stars. The number changed each time our country added a new state.

Yowel Churks aa ae ai au au aw ay ea ee ei eo ew ey eau ia ie ii io iu ou ow oy oy oa oe oi oo ou ow oy oy ua ue ui uo uy uy oy



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Section 2: First Dictation

Write this week's story from dictation. Ask for help if you need it.

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- 1. Read the story to your student.
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Vowel Churks aa ae ai ao au aw ay ea ee ei eo ew ey eau ia ie ii iu iu iu ow oy oa oe oi oo ou ow oy oy ua ue ui uo uy uy iu iu



Section 2: Second Dictation See if you can write this week's story from dictation without asking for help.