FREE BONUS PACK

Printable games and cards for
Reading Fluency & Comprehension Strips

Pre-K & Kindergarten · Ages 4-6



Read it. Read it again. Show what it means.

Three Dot Readers

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For Grown-Ups

Start here

Thank you for reading with your child. These printables go with the book and use only words from the book, level by level. Use them as a warm-up before a level, as a game after one, or on a day your child wants something new.

The same routine as the book: read it 3 times and color one dot for each read. The dots on every card and strip work the same way.

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Printing tips
Print on US Letter paper, single-sided, at 100% ("Actual size"). Card stock makes the cards last longer. Children can color the dots with a crayon or put a sticker on each one. Grown-ups do the cutting.

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Heart Word Cards

Say it. Spell it. Read it 3 times and color a dot.

Level 1 **a** ○○○	Level 1 **the** ○○○	Level 2 **I** ○○○
Level 2 **see** ○○○	Level 2 **is** ○○○	Level 2 **look** ○○○
Level 2 **here** ○○○	Level 2 **to** ○○○	Level 3 **have** ○○○
Level 3 **eat** ○○○	Level 3 **like** ○○○	Level 3 **my** ○○○
Level 3 **this** ○○○	Level 4 **little** ○○○	Level 4 **has** ○○○
Level 4 **blue** ○○○	Level 4 **green** ○○○	Level 4 **yellow** ○○○

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Heart Word Cards

Say it. Spell it. Read it 3 times and color a dot.

Level 4 **orange** ○○○	Level 4 **purple** ○○○	Level 5 **read** ○○○
Level 5 **ride** ○○○	Level 5 **wave** ○○○	Level 5 **paint** ○○○
Level 6 **one** ○○○	Level 6 **two** ○○○	Level 6 **three** ○○○
Level 6 **four** ○○○	Level 6 **five** ○○○	Level 7 **where** ○○○
Level 7 **he** ○○○	Level 7 **no** ○○○	Level 7 **under** ○○○
Level 7 **table** ○○○	Level 7 **chair** ○○○	Level 8 **are** ○○○

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Level 8 **feels** ○○○	Level 8 **happy** ○○○	Level 8 **silly** ○○○
Level 8 **sleepy** ○○○	Level 8 **scared** ○○○	Level 9 **you** ○○○
Level 9 **your** ○○○	Level 9 **says** ○○○	Level 9 **put** ○○○
Level 9 **with** ○○○	Level 9 **from** ○○○	My own word:
My own word:	My own word:	My own word:
My own word:	My own word:	My own word:

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Read & Match: Little Words

Level 1

Read it 3 times and color the dots. Draw a line to the picture.

a pup



a bus



a bat



a pen



a van



Read & Match: I See

Level 2

Read it 3 times and color the dots. Draw a line to the picture.

I see the fish.



I see a fox.



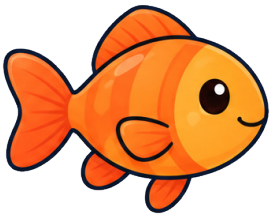
I see the ox.



I see the pup.



I see the hen.



Read & Match: Big, Little & Colors

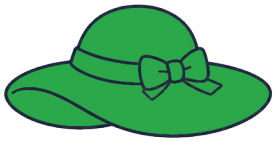
Level 4

Read it 3 times and color the dots. Draw a line to the picture.

a red ball ○○○



a green cup ○○○



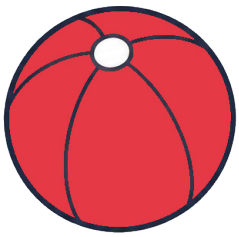
a yellow bag ○○○



a green hat ○○○



a yellow car ○○○



Read & Match: How Do They Feel?

Level 8

Read it 3 times and color the dots. Draw a line to the picture.

Nia feels mad. ○○○



Nia feels scared. ○○○



Nia is silly. ○○○



Nia is sleepy. ○○○



Nia feels sad. ○○○



Memory Match: Little Words

Level 1 · Word cards

Cut out both sheets. Turn all cards face down. Find a word and its picture!

an ox	a rug	a jug
a log	a hat	a bed
a bus	a leg	a dog
a fan	a bin	a pan

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Memory Match: Little Words

Level 1 · Picture cards

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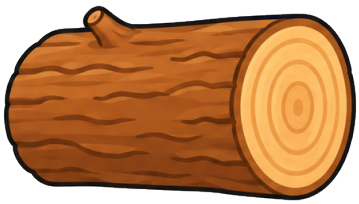

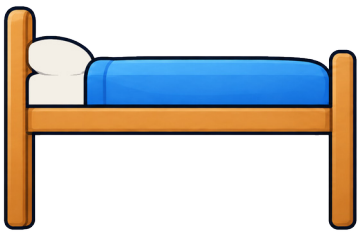



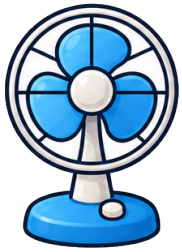



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Story Scramble: The Cat and the Hat

Level 1 story

Cut the strips apart. Put the story in order. Read it 3 times!



☐	The bug sat in the hat.	○○○
☐	A cat sat on a rug.	○○○
☐	The cat had a hat.	○○○
☐	The hat fell on the rug.	○○○
☐	The cat ran!	○○○
☐	A bug got on the hat.	○○○

Write 1, 2, 3 … in the boxes, or glue the strips on paper in order.

Story Scramble: Count with Nia

Level 6 story

Cut the strips apart. Put the story in order. Read it 3 times!



☐	I see three bugs.	○○○
☐	Nia is in the garden.	○○○
☐	I see five eggs!	○○○
☐	I see one sun.	○○○
☐	I see two bees.	○○○
☐	I see four hens.	○○○

Write 1, 2, 3 … in the boxes, or glue the strips on paper in order.

Story Scramble: A Rainy Day

Level 8 story

Cut the strips apart. Put the story in order. Read it 3 times!



☐	The box has a red kite!	○○○
☐	Mom has a big box.	○○○
☐	It is a rainy day.	○○○
☐	Theo is sad.	○○○
☐	Theo and Nia are happy.	○○○
☐	Nia is sad, too.	○○○

Write 1, 2, 3 … in the boxes, or glue the strips on paper in order.

Three Dot Bookmarks

Cut out and keep your place



Read it.
Read it again.
Show what it means.

1 read = 1 dot

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Answer Key

For grown-ups

Read & Match

Pictures are numbered 1-5 from the top.

Level 1: Little Words

a pup	**picture 4**
a bus	**picture 3**
a bat	**picture 5**
a pen	**picture 1**
a van	**picture 2**

Level 2: I See

I see the fish.	**picture 5**
I see a fox.	**picture 4**
I see the ox.	**picture 1**
I see the pup.	**picture 3**
I see the hen.	**picture 2**

Level 4: Big, Little & Colors

a red ball	**picture 5**
a green cup	**picture 3**
a yellow bag	**picture 1**
a green hat	**picture 2**
a yellow car	**picture 4**

Level 8: How Do They Feel?

Nia feels mad.	**picture 4**
Nia feels scared.	**picture 5**
Nia is silly.	**picture 1**
Nia is sleepy.	**picture 2**
Nia feels sad.	**picture 3**

Story Scramble

Box numbers, top to bottom, in the book's order. Any order that makes sense is fine too.

Level 1: The Cat and the Hat	**boxes from the top: 6, 1, 2, 5, 4, 3**
Level 6: Count with Nia	**boxes from the top: 4, 1, 6, 2, 3, 5**
Level 8: A Rainy Day	**boxes from the top: 5, 4, 1, 2, 6, 3**

Memory Match

Each word card has one picture card with the same word.

