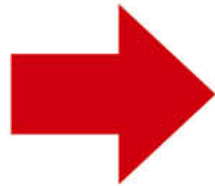




Are You Ready?

Listen to me.



Eyes on me.



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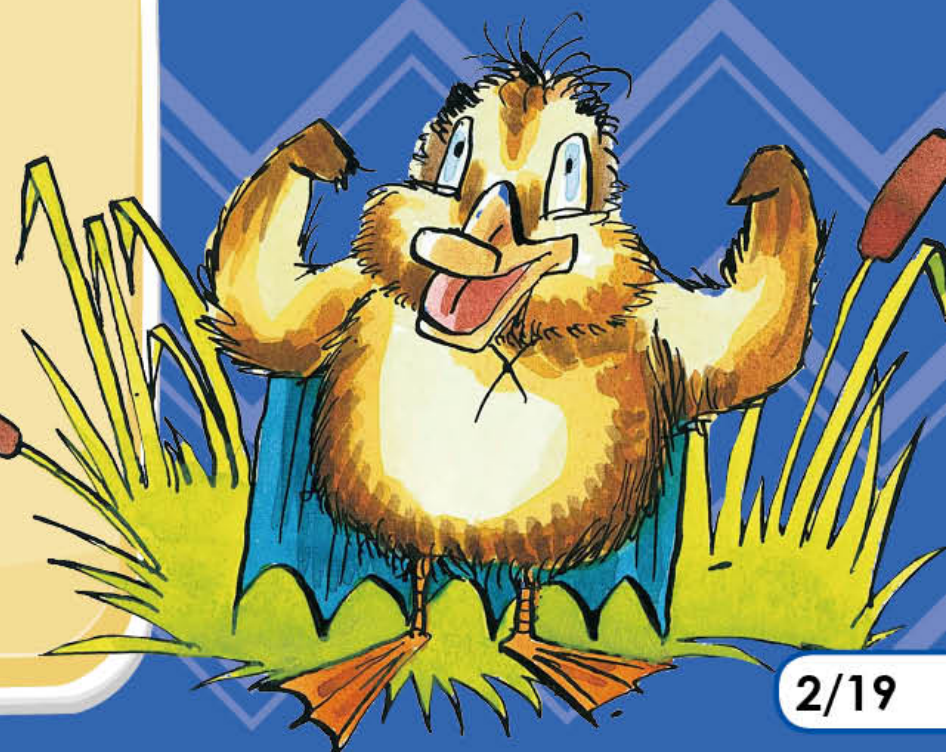
FAST READING

Classic English Junior Level 5 - Unit 15 Value

Lesson

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The Amazing Adventures of BATBIRD



Lesson Structure

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You are going to read a story called
"The Amazing Adventures of BATBIRD."
In the story you will learn:



Genre

Narrative fiction



Key Words

yell, dash, grip, groan, snore, sigh, fang, howl

Warm-up

02:00

Let's talk.



Have you ever dreamt of being a superhero?
What would you do if you were a superhero?





Let's

Go!



Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.

**yell** v

The girl **yells** at her brother.

**dash** v

The man **dashed** to the bus station, but he still missed the bus.

Use a **key word** to make a sentence:

Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.

**grip** *n*

Don't loosen your **grip** on the rock or you'll fall.

**groan** *v*

She held the files and **groaned**, "Such a lot of work!"

Use a **key word** to ask a question:

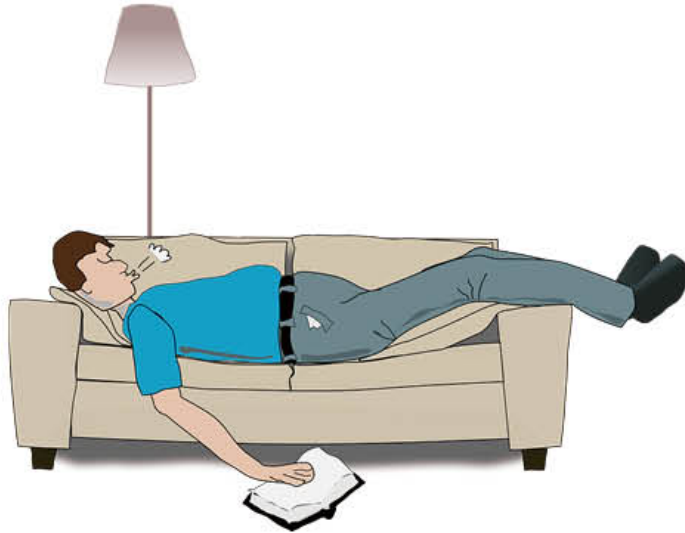
Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.



snore v



Dad **snored** so loud that no one else could sleep.



sigh v



"Well, there's nothing we can do about it now," he **sighed**.

Use a **key word** to make a sentence:

Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.

**fang** *n*

The **fangs** were clearly shown when the animal opened its mouth.

**howl** *v*

A lone wolf is **howling** in the wild.

Use a **key word** to ask a question:



**Let's
Read!**



Narrative Fiction

Narrative fiction must have a **plot**, which is a series of events that form the main story.

The plot has a **beginning, middle** and **end**.



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Once upon a time -----

From then on -----

Beginning

Middle

End

SUPERDUCK

KERSWISH! Dunkan swirled his Batbird cape around him.

"KERQUACK!" he yelled.

KERZOOM! He dashed back home to the nest under the willow tree.

"Batbird's here to save the universe!" he announced.



At bedtime, Dunkan wanted to sleep hanging upside down from the branch of the willow tree like Batbird.

"You can **try to sleep** like that as long as you don't disturb Dad," Mom said. "He needs his rest when his new feathers are growing."



What did Dunkan announce at the beginning of the story?

In the middle of the night Dunkan lost his **grip**.

KERQUAAAAAACK!

Dunkan crashed to the ground.



"Put your head under your wing like a good duckling and go to sleep, Dunkan," Mom told him. "I'm not Dunkan," said Dunkan, "I'm Batbird! Superducks don't need sleep!"

"It's hard to live with a superduck," Dad **groaned**.



What happened to Dunkan in the middle of the night?

WATCH OUT! FOX ABOUT!

The next day at school was Pond Safety Day. “Why must you be careful when you go to the pond?” Miss Waddle asked the class.

“**KER-ZZZZZZZZZ!**” Dunkan **snored**.

Miss Waddle raised her voice. “Watch out! Fox about! Can you hear me, Dunkan?”

“I’m not Dunkan,” yawned Dunkan. “I’m Batbird. Superducks aren’t afraid of the fox!”



“Oh dear,” Miss Waddle **sighed**.



What happened on the Pond Safety Day?

Fast Reading

02:00

KERSWISH! KERQUACK! KERTHUNK!

That night, Dunkan hung upside down from the willow tree. He was so busy dreaming about Batbird saving the universe that he didn't hear the rustling in the reed bed beneath him.



Who came that night?
Predict what may happen next.

A moonlight shadow slunk across the nest.
A shadow with a bushy tail and sharp **fangs**.
The shadow opened its jaws ...



Fast Reading

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Just at that moment, Dunkan lost his grip.

KERSWISH! His cape swirled.

"KERQUACK!" he yelled as he fell.

KERTHUNK!

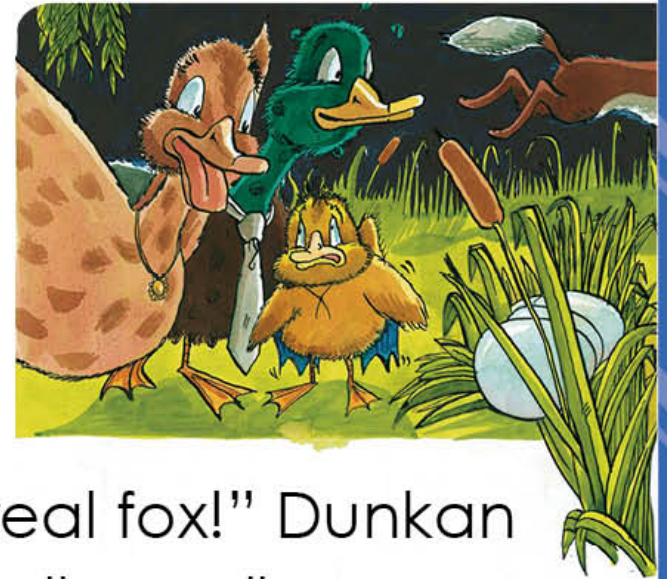
He landed on top of the fox! Batbird's cape flapped in the fox's eyes. The fox didn't know what had hit him.



"Oooooooooooooooooow!" the fox **howled**, and he ran away as fast as his legs would carry him.

"You saved us!"
Mom and Dad
cried.

"And that was a real fox!" Dunkan gasped. "It was really, really dangerous and really, really scary!" He took off his cape. "I'm going to stop being Batbird," he announced.



What did Dunkan announce at the end of the story?

Wrap-up

02:00

I Can Do It

Today we read a narrative fiction story called The Amazing Adventures of BATBIRD.

Genre

A feature of narrative fiction:

- Plot: beginning, middle and end

Key Words

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fang, howl



