



# Let's go!

Non-fiction  
Set 1 Book 3

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# Glossary of terms



**Fred Talk:** *Fred is a puppet who can only say and read words in pure sounds; he cannot say the whole word. He never adds 'uh' after a consonant sound e.g. fuh, luh, muh. (A slight 'uh' cannot be helped when saying the sounds b, d, g, j, w and y)*

**Grapheme:** *One letter or one group of letters used to write one sound e.g. The sound 'f' can be written with the grapheme f (fun) ff (huff) ph (photo) The sound 'c' can be written with the grapheme c (cat) or k (key) or ck (clock)*

**Green words:** *Words made up of the graphemes listed in the sound boxes on page 4*

**Red words:** *Common words with a grapheme not listed in the sound boxes; e.g. said*

**Syllables:** *Chunks within long words*

**Root:** *The part of the word that gives the most meaning*

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# How to use this book



*Follow the advice, in italics, where given.*

*Support the children as they read the text that is shaded in cream.*

**Praise the children at every step!**

*Detailed guidance is provided in the Read Write Inc. Phonics Handbook.*

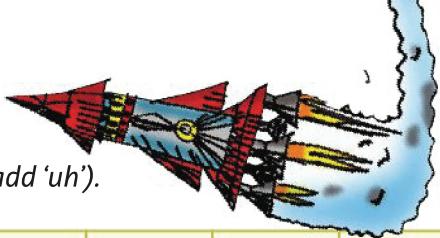
*Activity 8 (Answer the ‘questions to read and answer’) only appears in Sets 4–7.*

## 8 reading activities

*Children:*

- 1 Practise reading the speed sounds.**
- 2 Read the green and red words for the non-fiction text.**
- 3 Listen as you read the introduction.**
- 4 Discuss the vocabulary check with you.**
- 5 Read the non-fiction text.**
- 6 Re-read the non-fiction text and discuss the ‘questions to talk about’.**
- 7 Re-read the non-fiction text with fluency and expression.**
- 9 Practise reading the speed words.**

# Speed sounds



**Consonants** Say the pure sounds (do not add 'uh').

f	l	m	n	r	s	v	z	sh	th	ng	
	ll						s			nk	

b	c	d	g	h	j	p	qu	t	w	x	y	ch
	k											tch

**Vowels** Say the vowel sound and then the word, e.g. 'a', 'at'.

at	hen	in	on	up	day	see	high	blow	zoo		
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Each box contains one sound but sometimes more than one grapheme. Focus graphemes are circled.

## Green words

Read in Fred Talk (pure sounds).

fast      tram      truck      six      ship      this  
sled      jet      bus      pull

Read in syllables.

rock` et     rocket

Read the root word first and then with the ending.

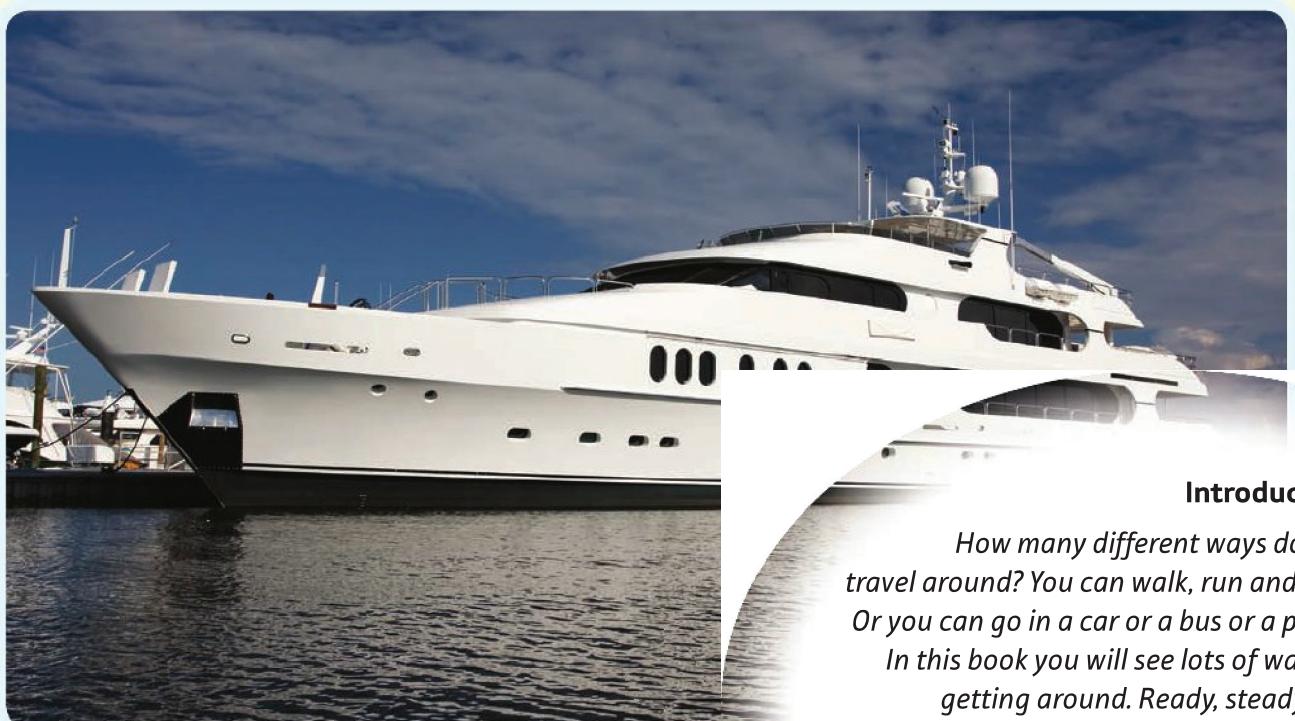
dog     dogs      lot     lots

## Red words

go of taxi faster\*

\*red for this book only

# Let's go!



## Introduction

*How many different ways do you travel around? You can walk, run and skip. Or you can go in a car or a bus or a plane.*

*In this book you will see lots of ways of getting around. Ready, steady, go!*

Written by Gill Munton

# Vocabulary check

Discuss the meaning (as used in the non-fiction text) after the children have read the word.

## definition

**taxi**

*a car with a driver who you pay to take you somewhere*

**tram**

*a bit like a bus, but it travels on a special track*

**sled**

*for travelling on snow and ice, pulled by dogs*

**jet**

*a very fast plane*

## Punctuation to note:

Let's Six    *Capital letters that start sentences*

.    *Full stop at the end of each sentence*

!    *Exclamation mark*

...    *'Wait and see' dots*

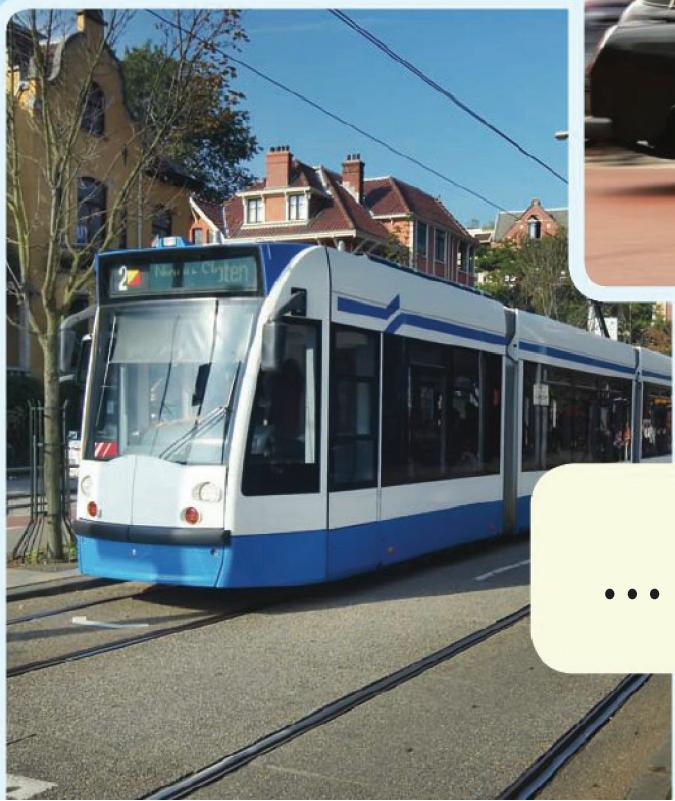
Let's go ...

... in a van ...



... in a truck.

Let's go ...



... in a taxi ...

... in a tram.

Let's go ...



... on a big ship.

Let's go ...



... on a dog sled.  
Six dogs pull this sled.



Let's go ...

... on a bus.

Lots of us can go on a bus!

Let's *go* fast!  
Let's *go* ...



... up in a jet.

Let's go faster!  
Let's go ...



... up in a rocket.

Let's go!



# Questions to talk about



## FIND IT

- ✓ Turn to the page
- ✓ Read the question
- ✓ Find the answer

*Page 12: How many dogs pull the sled?*

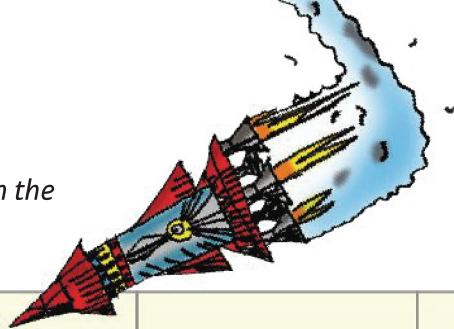
*Page 13: What can lots of people travel on?*

*Pages 14–15: What two things can we go up in?*

*Page 15: What goes faster than a jet?*

## Speed words

Children practise reading the words across the rows, down the columns and in and out of order clearly and quickly.



van	fast	ship	sled	go
can	up	this	tram	lots
jet	a	truck	dog	in
big	six	of	pull	bus





# Let's go!

## Set 1: Green Non-fiction

- 1 Hands
- 2 We can all swim!
- 3 Let's go!
- 4 What am I?
- 5 Camping



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