

Level 2 parent cheat sheet

Page	Word	Example phrase/sentence	Page	Word	Example phrase/sentence
1 Now try	pets	They had three pets.	13 Now try	pond	They sailed the toy boat on the pond.
	chips	Do you like potato chips?		camp	We will camp at the beach.
	dogs	The dogs started barking.		silk	Silk is thread made by silk worms.
	sheds	The two sheds are in the back yard.		gust	A big gust of wind blew away my hat.
	kids	They are nice kids.		chimp	Chimp is short for chimpanzee.
	dots	The fabric had polka dots.		damp	The washing is still damp.
	cans	We opened the cans of tomatoes.		told	I told my story.
	jets	The jets flew very fast.		kelp	Kelp is a kind of seaweed.
	cubs	Here are two bear cubs.		jest	He spoke in jest, he wasn't serious.
	bats	The bats flew over our house at dusk.		bolt	Bolt the shelf to the wall.
	dolls	They played with dolls.		list	I made a shopping list.
	gaps	He has gaps in his teeth.		bulb	This plant grows from a bulb.
	hats	We put on our sun hats.		hint	I'll give you a hint where it is.
	laps	I swam a few laps of the pool.		lend	Libraries lend out books.
	zips	The pockets on this jacket have zips.		lunch	What's for lunch?
	vets	My aunt and uncle are both vets		mint	We grew mint in the garden.
	packs	We carried our day packs.		old	I feel quite old today.
5 Now try	help	Please can you help me?	17 Now try	hold	Can you hold this for me?
	test	I had an eye test.		length	What length hair would you like?
	bench	He wiped the bench.		belt	My belt holds up my trousers.
	shelf	Put the books on the shelf.		cost	How much does it cost?
	champ	He is the class champ.		thump	No need to thump the table.
	melt	Don't let your icecream melt.		weld	I'll weld these together.
	hunt	Many animals hunt their prey.		fist	Curl your hand into a fist.
	soft	A pillow and a teddy are both soft.		bend	bend over and stretch your muscles.
	punch	Punch the punching bag.		fifth	He was fifth in line.
	ramp	We pushed the trolley up the ramp.		nest	There were eggs in the birds' nest.
	lift	Will we take the stairs or the lift?		fold	Would you please fold the towels?
	rent	My rent is due on Monday.		vest	A vest has no sleeves.
	act	I will act in a play.		mulch	We put mulch on the garden.
	ant	An ant is a small insect.		pelt	The rain started to pelt down
	bold	We made a bold new plan.		ranch	A ranch is a very big farm.
	chant	The crowd started to chant.		self	I'd like to do it myself.
	fact	It's true, it's just a fact.		sift	First, sift the flour and baking powder.
9 Now try	filth	His hands were covered with filth	21 Now try	hand	Put up your hand if you know.
	gift	Thanks for my birthday gift!		jump	He was in the high jump.
	tent	This is a circus tent.		golf	My grandma likes to play golf.
	wimp	He's a bit of a wimp.		width	what is the width of this cupboard?
	pump	Pump up your tyres.		lost	I am completely lost.
	best	This one is the best.		zest	Zest the lemon.
	dust	I'll dust and vacuum the house.		pinch	Don't pinch me!
	depth	What's the depth of the pool?		band	They started a band.
	land	What time will the plane land?		lamp	Turn on the lamp.
	left	This is my left hand.		sand	This is a sand pit.
	chest	A treasure chest.		gold	He got a gold medal.
	gulp	She took a big gulp of her drink.		hump	A camel might have one hump, or two.
	fond	I am very fond of my neighbour.		runt	The piglet was the runt of the litter.
	held	They held hands to cross the road.		tuft	I have a tuft of hair sticking up.
	inch	An inch is about 2.5 centimetres		went	We went to visit our friends.
	jolt	The tram stopped with a jolt.		yelp	The dog let out a yelp (yelping sound).
	wind	The trees swayed in the wind.		send	Can I send you on an errand?

25	<p>necks Long necks, giraffes have long necks.</p> <p>rocks Two rocks, here are two rocks.</p> <p>pecks It pecks, it pecks at insects.</p> <p>decks two decks, two decks of cards.</p> <p>sucks he sucks, he sucks his thumb.</p> <p>jacks Seven jacks, I've lost three jacks.</p> <p>locks She locks up, she locks up the house.</p> <p>checks checks, checks are a pattern.</p> <p>chicks Three chicks, here are three chicks.</p> <p>tacks Three tacks, three thumbtacks.</p> <p>sacks Two sacks, two sacks of presents.</p> <p>ducks four ducks, here are four ducks.</p> <p>Now bucks It cost fifty bucks.</p> <p>try docks Boats unload at the docks.</p> <p>ticks I got lots of ticks for good work.</p> <p>wicks The things in candles we light are wicks</p> <p>shacks There were little shacks at the beach.</p>	31	<p>desk This desk has seven drawers.</p> <p>bulk We bought tinned tomatoes in bulk.</p> <p>tusk This is an elephant tusk.</p> <p>rusk Give that teething baby a rusk.</p> <p>busk He'll busk for a couple of hours.</p> <p>risk He took a great risk in that climb.</p> <p>milk Would you like a glass of milk.</p> <p>musk Do you like musk lollies?</p> <p>sulk There's no need to sulk.</p> <p>dusk The sun sets at dusk.</p> <p>husk Take the husk off the corn cob.</p> <p>disk This is a compact disk.</p> <p>Now hulk The Incredible Hulk is a cartoon character</p> <p>try whisk Whisk the egg whites and sugar.</p> <p>elk An elk is a very large deer.</p>
27	<p>tax I have to pay my tax.</p> <p>sax Can you play the sax?</p> <p>fox Don't let a fox in the hen house.</p> <p>wax Candle wax.</p> <p>fax There's a fax machine in the office.</p> <p>next He is next in line.</p> <p>text Send me a text.</p> <p>fix I can fix it with glue.</p> <p>box A cardboard box.</p> <p>ox An ox is like a big cow.</p> <p>mix Mix the ingredients.</p> <p>six One, two, three, four, five, six.</p> <p>Now lax I've been a bit lax about housework.</p> <p>try vex Those kids are trying to vex me.</p> <p>hex The witch put a hex on the goblin.</p> <p>vox I got vox-popped in the street.</p> <p>rex The T Rex was a scary dinosaur.</p>	Now	<p>honk Honk your horn to warn people.</p> <p>shrunk My shirt has shrunk.</p> <p>dunk dunk your biscuit in your drink.</p> <p>sink Fill up the sink.</p> <p>rink We go skating at a skating rink.</p> <p>think What do you think?</p> <p>junk Throw out all that old junk.</p> <p>thanks Thanks for my present!</p> <p>chunks He cut the pineapple into chunks.</p> <p>bunks We slept in bunks at camp.</p> <p>link A link broke in my necklace.</p> <p>Now try</p> <p>mink A mink is an animal a bit like a ferret.</p> <p>pink The flamingo is a large, pink bird.</p> <p>sank The Titanic hit an iceberg and sank.</p> <p>tank We water the garden with tank water.</p>
29	<p>grass Let's sit on the grass.</p> <p>cast Her arm is in a plaster cast.</p> <p>mask This is a diving mask.</p> <p>class What time does class start?</p> <p>ask Can I ask you a question?</p> <p>vast The universe is vast.</p> <p>staff Here are our new staff.</p> <p>fast A hare runs very fast.</p> <p>last He is last in line.</p> <p>flask This is a science lab flask.</p> <p>past A car and bike of the past.</p> <p>glass I'd like a glass of water.</p> <p>Now bask Lizards like to bask in the sun.</p> <p>try brass She plays in a brass band.</p> <p>gasp She let out a gasp.</p> <p>task This task looks fairly easy.</p> <p>pass I often pass by your house.</p>	35	<p>black This is a black circle.</p> <p>switch Can you switch the light on?</p> <p>pram The baby is in the pram.</p> <p>clip A paper clip.</p> <p>grub There's a little grub in my apple.</p> <p>drill Drill a hole in the wall for the hook.</p> <p>crutch This crutch helps me walk.</p> <p>sling Her arm is in a sling.</p> <p>floss Remember to floss your teeth.</p> <p>shrug We sometimes shrug our shoulders.</p> <p>track A railway track.</p> <p>sniff Sniff the flower.</p> <p>brick Our house is made of brick.</p> <p>crop We got a good crop of tomatoes.</p> <p>scan I scan the horizon.</p> <p>trim My hair needs a trim.</p> <p>slam Don't slam the door.</p>

39	press	Press it down with your thumb.	Now try	51	dress	She wore a dress.
	fridge	Put the milk in the fridge.			plum	I ate a plum.
	spell	Can you spell all these?			gran	She is my gran.
	flock	A flock of birds flew past.			trick	I'll show you a trick.
	cross	There is a cross on the church roof.			stop	The red light means "stop".
	grill	We will grill the sandwiches.			flat	They live in a flat.
	skin	Our bodies are covered by skin.			spit	Spit out the toothpaste.
	drug	We hope this drug makes you better.			brush	Brush your hair.
	blob	There's a blob of paint here.			swing	Would you like a swing?
	flip	Flip the egg over.			glad	I'm so glad to see you.
	plug	Plug in the cord.			trash	I put out the trash.
	throb	I hit my thumb and it started to throb.			crash	The cars had a crash.
	bled	I cut my finger and it bled		Now	twig	A twig is a very small stick.
	cliff	She stood on a cliff looking out to sea.		try	snug	Our house is snug and warm.
	tram	We caught a tram to the city.			cling	He put cling wrap on his sandwich.
Now try	sped	The train sped up.			slot	Put the coin in the slot.
	plan	What do you plan to do?			fresh	I love fresh bread.
	fluff	You've got some fluff on your jumper.	Now try	55	filled	It filled up.
	glitch	There was a glitch in proceedings.			killed	Pat killed it.
	drum	I like to play my drum.			longed	Sam longed for a hug.
	bridge	This is the Sydney Harbour Bridge.			billed	Tess got billed \$50.
	flush	Don't forget to flush!			buzzed	It buzzed.
	grab	Grab the baton and run!			polled	Mel polled well.
	plus	Three plus four equals seven.			rolled	Tom rolled it out.
	frog	A frog can jump quite far.			shelled	Ed shelled them.
	bring	What should I bring to your house?			yelled	Ash yelled.
	swim	Do you know how to swim?			fizzed	It fizzed.
	crab	I found a crab at the beach.			chilled	It chilled him.
	sketch	I'll draw a quick sketch.			banged	Will banged it.
	flesh	We are all flesh and blood.		Now	culled	They culled their wardrobe.
	club	I joined the cricket club.		try	dulled	The medicine dulled the pain.
Now try	drip	That tap has an annoying drip.			felled	The logger felled the tree.
	click	Can you click your fingers?			milled	The crowd milled around.
	stiff	I've been sitting too long and I'm stiff.			tilled	The farmer tilled the soil.
	stem	The flower is held up by a stem	Now try	57	itched	It itched.
	drop	Carry this carefully and don't drop it.			kissed	Ben kissed his sis.
	twin	He is her twin.			fished	Josh fished.
	flag	This is the Aboriginal flag.			hitched	Tim hitched his pants up.
	skip	He can skip with a skipping rope.			hissed	It hissed.
	grin	She had a cheeky grin.			huffed,	It huffed and puffed.
	clock	What's the time? Look at the clock.			puffed	
	truck	This is a post office truck.			cuffed	The cops hand-cuffed him.
	block	Put this block on the tower.			checked	Deb checked his chest.
	thrill	The rollercoaster ride was a thrill.			missed	Al missed the trip.
	frill	This is a frill-necked lizard.			hacked	It got hacked.
	snack	I had an afternoon snack.			mashed	Mashed spuds.
	plot	They bought a plot of land.			bucketed	It bucketed.
	broth	Broth is quite thick soup.		Now	ticked	The teacher ticked the correct answers
Now try	scab	Don't pick that scab!		try	sucked	She sucked her icy pole.
	slid	She slid down the banister.			messed	The wind messed up their hair.
	spill	Don't spill your drink.			botched	They botched the performance.
	trot	The horse started to trot.			docked	The ship docked at five o'clock.

	59	backed rushed pitched licked ducked kicked wished patched cashed tucked fetched packed Now try	He backed the car in. Gus rushed in. Sal pitched. It licked him. Rod ducked. Beth kicked it. Kim wished for a dog. Ken patched the rip up. Em cashed it. Jeff tucked his top in. It fetched the stick. Nell packed. The boss sacked him. I picked the flowers. They mucked around. The chicks hatched. We dished out the meal.		65	sat rang sang sank swam spat drank stank shrank sprang rang began	Rolf sat with Fred. Nat rang the bells. Jet sang ten songs. The ship sank. Con swam ten laps. Jen spat in the sink. Bess drank it up. It stank. It got wet and shrank. Dan sprang up the steps. Mim rang Cal up. Ted began the run.
	61	hogged mobbed fanned pinned begged hugged hummed bugged tinned robbed nagged jogged Now try	Zak hogged the best stuff. Fans mobbed them. It fanned him. Viv pinned it on. He begged. Kip and Bess hugged. Jess hummed. Seth bugged him. Tinned fish. Cath robbed six banks. Dad nagged us. Mum jogged. Mobiles are banned in class. The train chugged up the hill. He fibbed about who ate the cake. She hemmed her new skirt. The cat sunned itself on the balcony.			went spent crept slept sent lent felt spilt bent spelt kept Now try	Kids went on a bus. Kip spent \$100. He crept up the steps. Kim slept in a tent. Pam sent a text. Liz lent him a mag. Meg felt a bit sick. Wes spilt his drink. Seb bent it. Roz spelt it. Jill kept the box. We wept with joy. I swept the floor. I left a message.
	63	hopped tipped shipped chapped mopped sipped chopped ripped napped popped shopped dropped chipped Now try	She hopped in. She tipped it in the sink. She shipped the stuff off. Chapped lips. He mopped the mess up. She sipped a soft drink. It got chopped down. He ripped it up. The kids napped. She popped them. He shopped till he dropped. She chipped it. Snow capped mountains. She cupped her hands. The kitten lapped up the milk. They mapped the island. She zipped up her bag.		69	cost shut cut set let wet hit bit dug got had ran Now try	It cost a lot. Val shut them. Jim cut its top off. Kat and Ben got set. Tash let him win. Wes wet his brush. Tam hit it with a stick. It bit him. It dug in the mud. Vin got up. Jed had a fit. Fin ran off. She clung to the life raft. She did a cartwheel. They fled from the fire. He flung the spider out the window. They sold their house. He stuck the pictures down.

71	shredded	Bill shredded it.	77	trunks	Swimming trunks, elephant trunks...
	patted	Gwen patted it.		stands	Spectator stands, he stands up.
	fitted	It fitted.		gifts	Thanks for all the gifts.
	fretted	Brett fretted.		glands	Our bodies contain glands.
	netted	Cal netted a fish.		clamps	These are woodwork clamps.
	jetted	Tiff jetted off.		stamps	Postage stamps, she stamps her feet..
	batted	Cliff batted.		scolds	He scolds him for being late.
	rotted	It rotted.		bolts	Two bolts, he bolts...
	padded	It padded in.		shelves	She shelves the goods, book shelves.
	nodded	Glen nodded.		plants	Industrial plants, garden plants.
	skidded	It skidded in the mud.		drinks	I'll make the drinks.
	potted	Potted plants.		stumps	Tree stumps, cricket stumps.
	spotted	I spotted my friend in the crowd.		Now	I'll send you a text.
	dotted	Sign on the dotted line, please.		try	I mixed the cake mixture.
	added	She added the numbers up.		blinked	I blinked hard so I wouldn't cry.
73	kidded	He kidded her.		grants	A fairy godmother grants wishes.
	prodded	He prodded the pile with a stick.		twelfth	He came twelfth in the marathon.
	quest	He went on a quest for the holy grail.	79	wash	Wash your face, or mouth wash.
	quiz	This is a quiz show.		wasp	This is a wasp.
	squish	Squish the playdough down.		swans	White and black swans.
	quins	Quins are like twins, but five of them.		quads	Quads are muscles and double twins.
	quack	The duck said, "quack".		squat	Squat down, they live in a squat.
	quid	I lent him ten quid.		wands	A magic wand, a bubble wand...
	quit	He got mad and quit his job.		swat	Swat the wasp.
	squid	A squid is like an octopus.		watch	I'll watch you, I'll look at my watch.
	quick	A rabbit is very quick.		swab	I'll take a swab, an alcohol swab.
	squint	The bright sun made him squint.		squad	I joined the sports squad.
	quilt	I have a quilt on my bed.		swamp	A crocodile lives in the swamp.
	quill	A quill is a large feather.		want	I want that one, please.
	quoll	A quoll is an Australian marsupial.		Now	Do you like swap cards?
Now	quell	Medicine can quell car sickness.		try	The smell of coffee wafted in.
	quiff	A quiff is a tuft of hair brushed up.		swap	
	quip	A quip is a clever saying.		wafted	
	quench	Have a drink to quench your thirst.			
75	smells	It smells bad.	81	chick's	A chick's leg.
	spills	Val spills drinks.		man's	A man's cup.
	rests	Hal rests on his desk.		pup's	A pup's bed.
	hunts	It hunts rats.		kid's	A kid's pram.
	trims	Rick trims the hedge.		cat's	A cat's shrimps.
	prints	It prints.		bat's	A bat's wing.
	skips	Joss skips up steps.		frog's	A frog's pond.
	jumps	It jumps on beds.		hen's	A hen's egg.
	cracks	Greg cracks eggs.		duck's	a duck's quack.
	drops	Ken drops it.		ant's	An ant's leg.
	folds	Len folds his pants.		dog's	A dog's lick.
	vends	It vends drinks.		gull's	A gull's chip.
	bland	The meal was quite bland.		Now	A clam's shell.
Now	cloths	I got some new cleaning cloths.		try	A frock's hem.
	crust	Do you want thin or thick crust pizza.		trip's	A trip's end.
	flunk	I tried not to flunk the test.		sloth's	A sloth's long arms.
	scalp	I had an itchy scalp.		flag's	A flag's pole.

	83	bus's dress's cross's boss's Moss's Tess's frogs' clams' twins' cats' trolls' slugs'	A bus's back. A dress's hem. A cross's top. The boss's pet. It's Moss's pet. It's Tess's bag. The frogs' pond. The clams' shells. The twins' hats. The cats' dish. The trolls' bridge. The slugs' lunch.		90	hall stall fall bald walnuts all wall small ball tall mall call	They had assembly in the hall. A market stall. Don't fall off! He is bald. These are walnuts. All the dots are in the oval. This is a brick wall. I'll just have a small one, please. This is a basket ball. He is tall. We went to the shopping mall. I will call you.
Now try		swans' gas's class's ducks' plants'	The swans' eggs were in their nests. The gas's smell was very nasty. The class's lunch was ready. The ten ducks' noise woke her up. All the plants' leaves blew away.				
	85	chimps Bobs trucks ants truck's chimp's Bob's ant's ants' Bobs' trucks' chimps'	Two chimps. Two Bobs, two men called Bob. Three trucks. Lots of ants. The truck's sand. A chimp's lunch. Bob's hat. An ant's leg. The ants' nest. The Bobs' lunch. The trucks' sand. The chimps' lunch.				
	86	book bull oops took hood put hoof pull chook foot bush woof	I've read that book. A cow is female and a bull is male. Oops, I spilt my drink. Hey! He took my thing! My coat has a hood. Put the box on the shelf. This is a horse's hoof. He has a pull toy. Chook is another word for hen. This is my right foot. Many animals live in the bush. The dog said, "woof, woof".				
	88	wool good puss rook cook stood look push crook full hook shook	I knit a scarf with wool. I did a good job. We sometimes call a cat "puss". A rook is a chess piece, and a bird. He is a good cook. She stood up. I had a good look. I'll give you a push. The crook stole the money. This bowl is full. Hang it on this hook. He shook the dog's paw.				