

Week 1 First Grade Decodables

Foundational Skill 3d- *Final syllable -le, diphthong -ow, diphthong -ou.* High frequency words:
school, was, a, they, the, wanted, of, to, one

Nonfiction: A Bundle of Shirts

Fiction: What Brown Saw

▶ A Bundle of Shirts

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Decodable
Practice
Reader

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Final Syllable -le

little simple bundle sample dimple

Diphthong ow

town brown frown flowers

Diphthong ou

house mouth out

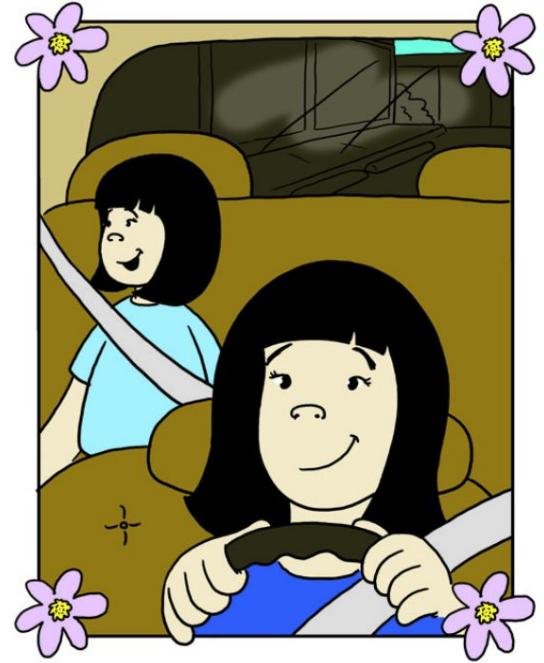
High-Frequency Words

school was a
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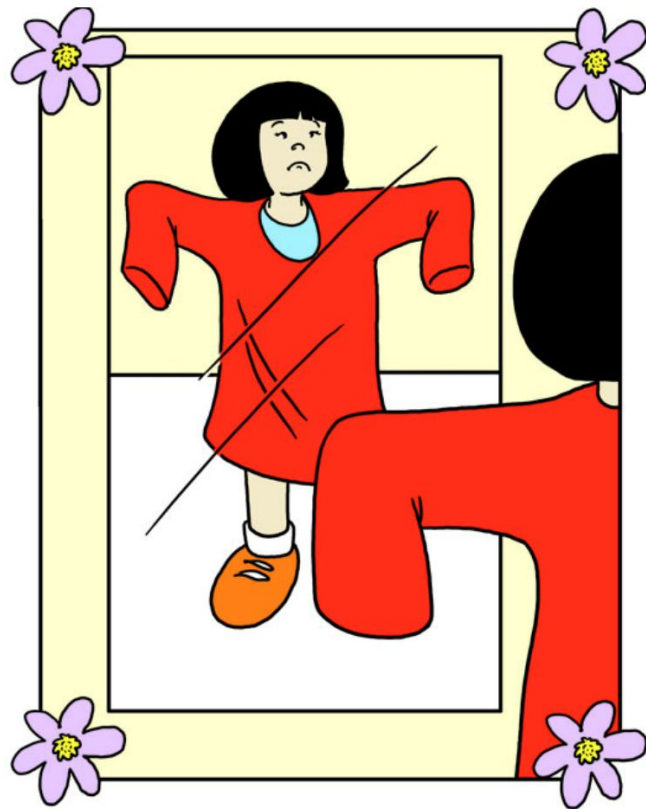
Jen will start school soon.
She needs new stuff.
She was happy.
So was her mom.



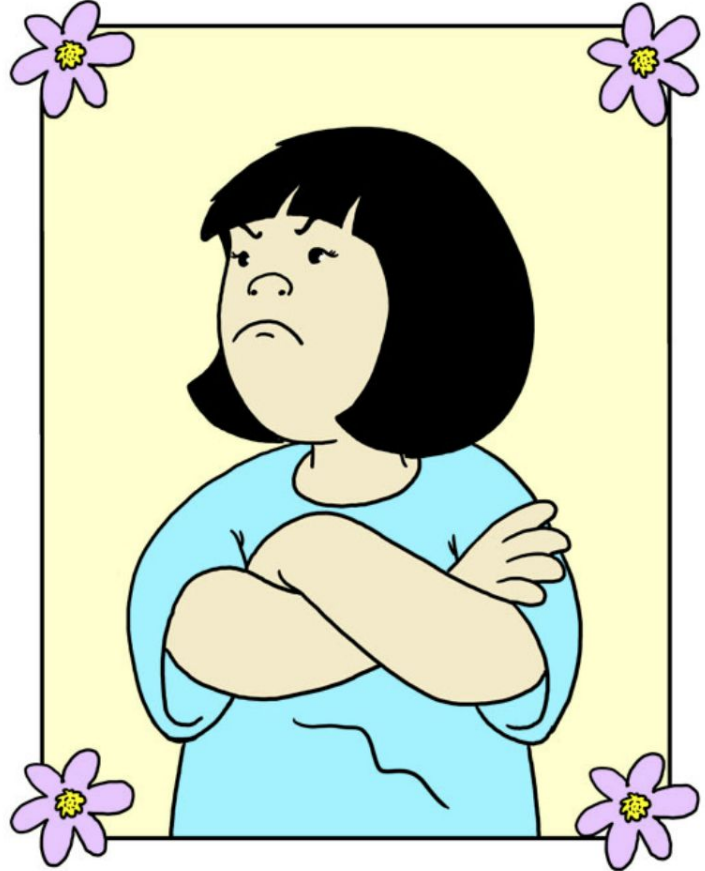
Jen's mom planned on getting a shirt for Jen. They left the house to go shopping at the mall in town.



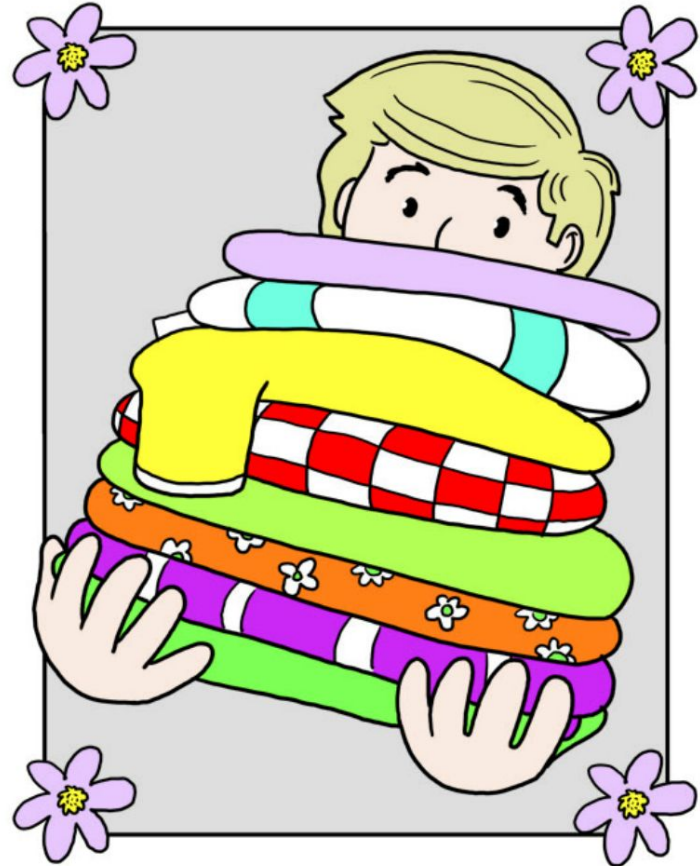
Jen tried on a brown shirt.
It was too little.
Jen tried on a red shirt.
It was too big.



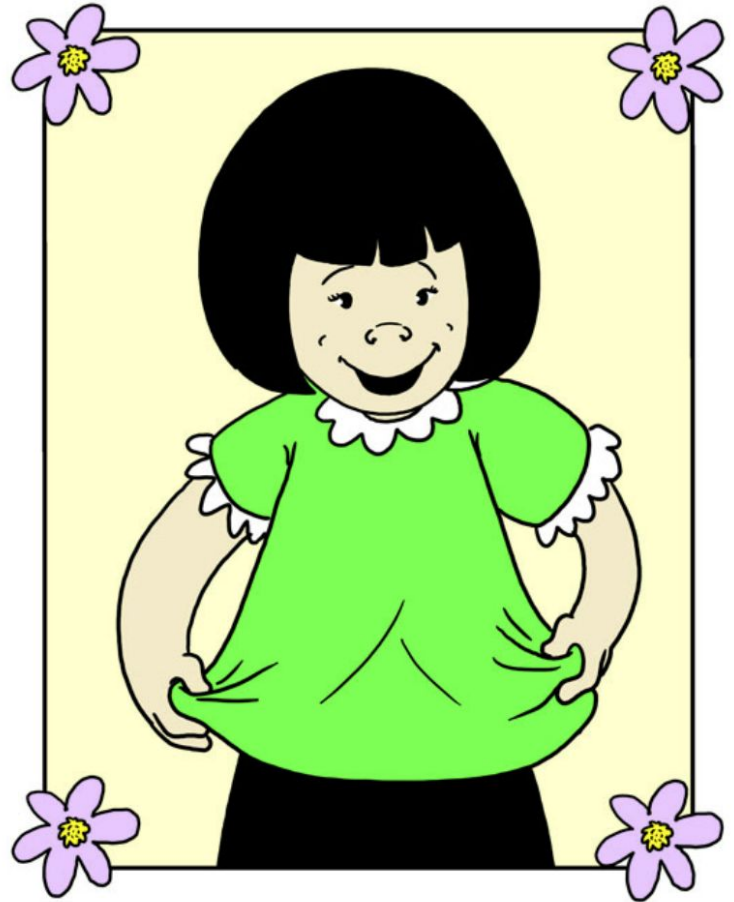
Jen tried on a simple blue shirt.
It had a big rip.
She did not see
a shirt she wanted.
Her mouth was in a frown.



Her mom asked the clerk
if he had a cute shirt for Jen.
He got out a bundle of
shirts to sample.
One shirt had flowers on it.



A green shirt in the bundle
fit Jen nicely.
It was not too little or too big.



Jen's smile was so big
that her dimple showed.
She gave her mom a big hug.





What Brown Saw



by Gregory Grissom
illustrated by Mike Dammer



Hi! My name is Brown. Can you
guess why that is my name?

I live behind the house. All kinds of
things go on out here. Watch with me.



Look at the squirrel!

His arms are full of nuts. I have never seen so many nuts. What makes his cheeks so round? Nuts!

Wow! He must be hungry!



Look at that ant.

What is she pulling along? It is very big. It is a huge pear!

Wow! She must be hungry!



Look at that bird.
That bird found an apple. She is
flying toward her nest. Look at her eyes!
Is the apple too heavy?
Wow! She must be hungry.



When I am hungry, my owner puts
out food! I am a lucky dog!
Thanks for visiting. I will eat now.