

Phrases and Short Sentences for Repeated Reading Practice

(These phrases represent common words children encounter in elementary school reading. Repeated reading of a few phrases each week gives students practice reading high-frequency words and developing fluency and general proficiency.)

The First 100 Words

The people

By the water

You and I

He called me.

What did they say?

No way

One or two

More than the other

How many words?

This is a good day.

Sit down.

But not me

Not now

From my room

Will you be good?

Then we will go.

An angry cat

Write your name.

That dog is big.

Two of us

The first word

I like him.

Out of the water

We were here.

Could you go?

We like to write.

Into the water

Look for some people.

So there you are.

A long time

Have you seen it?

One more time

All day long

It's about time.

Up in the air

Which way?

He has it.

If we were older

It's no use.

With his mom

As big as the first

When will we go?

From here to there

More people

Go down.

Did you like it?

When did they go?

She said to go.

Each of us

What are these?

There was an old man.

It may fall down.

See the water

But not for me

Write it down.

Who will make it?

What will they do?

We had their dog.

When would you go?

A number of people

How long are they?

Come and get it.

Part of the time

Can you see?

Now and then

Go find her.

At your house

It's been a long time.

Give them to me.

Now is the time.

May I go first?

This is my cat.

Get on the bus.

Did you see it?

How did they get it?

Number two

Look up.

All or some

A long way to go

For some of your people

The other people

The Second 100 Words

Over the river

After the game

Take a little.

Just the same

It's only me.

Think before you act

Live and play.

Try your best.

Any old time

Study and learn

Mother means it.

The good American

A little boy

Back off.

We want to go.

Turn the page.

A small house also

It's still here.

Set it up.

I study in school.

I don't feel well.

Point it out.

Read the sentence.

Big and small

Such a big house

Show and tell

They went here.

Good and plenty

Even the animals

I think so.

A good man

Another great sound

Our best things

Only a little

That's very good

Three years ago

Where are you?

I work too much.

We found it here.

Right now

Spell your name.

Tell the truth.

Play it again.

We came home.

Answer the phone.

Form two lines.

Read my letters.

Write one sentence.

We need more.

Where does it end?

Such a mess

It turned out well.

It's a small world.

Hand it over.

Around the clock

A different land

Tell the truth.

Because we should.

It turned out well.

Good things

My new place

Most of the animals

Give it back.

My last name

I know why.

Mother says to now.

I need help.

Move over.

Through the line

Kind of nice

Same time tomorrow

Change your clothes

The following day

Give it away.

Show us around.

The air is warm.

Another old picture

Where in the world

Put it there.

I'm an American.

My home is large.

Right now

This must be it.

Home sweet home

The men asked for help.

You must be right.

Get to the point.

Help me out.

It's your place.

Read the book.

The Third 100 Words

Near the car

A few good men

In the country

It seemed too good.

Below the water

It's hard to open.

Keep it up.

In the beginning

The light in your eyes

We got together

We saw the food.

It's my life.

We started the fire.

Run for miles.

Do it often.

It's time to eat.

A second later

Talk to my father.

Sing your song.

My family

A very important person

Watch the game.

So far so good.

I like being on the team.

The dark night

A few children

Watch the river.

He started to cry.

Leave it to me.

The first day of school

Stay a while.

My own father

You might be right.

Read every story.

Next time

Will it last?

For example

Light the fire.

A group of friends

Under the earth

Both children

The big city

Read the paper.

A good thought

Is it really true?

Until the end

Near the sea

Read your book.

The long list

I miss you.

Above the clouds

I took the car.

Without a care

My feet hurt.

Next to me

It began to grow.

A group of Indians

Too soon

An important idea

Almost enough

Between the lines

Don't open the door.

Add it up.

Along the way

Plants and flowers

Something good

Plant the trees.

Those other people

In my head

We left it here.

Close the door.

Always be kind.

It never happened.

Once upon a time.

We walked four miles.

Let me carry it.

Stop the music.

The young face

State your case.

I cut myself.

On my side

The peaceful Indians

The young girl

The tall mountains

A good idea

A long life

White clouds

I hear the sea.

I hear the waves.

Almost four miles