

Pip's Phonic Word Hunt

Learning objective: To practice blending sounds to spell simple CVC (consonant-vowel-consonant) words and identifying initial sounds.

Help Pip the bookworm caterpillar find the missing letters to complete his favorite words. Use the word bank to help you choose the right letters.

Word bank: cat · dog · sun · pen · hat · pig

- 1. Pip has found a picture of a small animal that says 'meow'. Can you write the letters to spell 'cat'? (2 marks)**

- 2. Look at the picture of the bright yellow star in the sky. What letters spell 'sun'? (2 marks)**

- 3. Which word from the word bank starts with the sound 'p' and is used for writing? (1 mark)**

- 4. Can you circle the odd one out: cat, hat, or dog? Why do you think it is different? (2 marks)**

- 5. Choose one word from the word bank and write it in a sentence. You can draw a small picture to help! (2 marks)**

Draw: Draw a picture of Pip the caterpillar sitting on a leaf next to your favorite word from the word bank.



Extension challenge: Can you think of a word that rhymes with 'cat' that isn't in the word bank? Try to sound it out and write it down!