

Ling and Hank Have a Picnic



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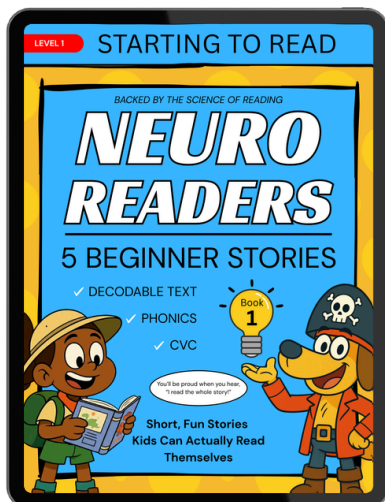
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IMSE Orton-Gillingham Plus • Concept #44: –

ng/-nk /ŋ/

Phonics Focus: /ng/ – Ling, Hank, sing, drink,
think, pink, song.

Red Words: said, can, go, no, have

Vocabulary Words: picnic, quilt.

Ling and Hank are siblings.

“Can we go to the rink?” said Hank.

“No,” said Ling.

“Can we get a drink?” said Hank.

“No,” said Ling.

“Can we sing a song?” said Hank.

Ling had a think.

“I know!” said Ling.

“Let us have a picnic!”

Ling and Hank got a basket and a pink quilt.

They had fun at the picnic.

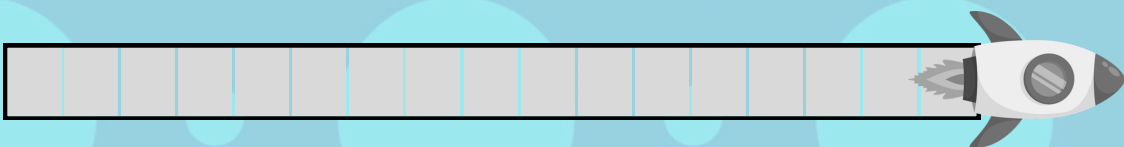


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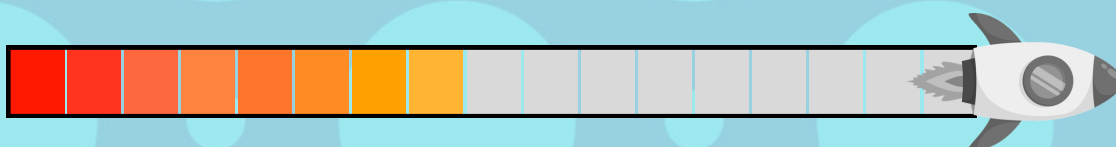
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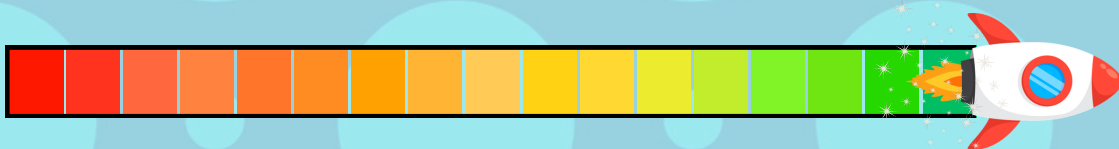




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Sound Boxes

IMSEOrton-GillinghamPlus-Concept#44: -ng / -nk / **ŋ**/

NAME _____

DATE _____

Say each word slowly. Write one sound in each box.

Remember: -ng is one sound. -nk is a welded pair.

The letters **ng** make ONE sound: /ŋ/. The letters **nk** make a welded sound: /ŋk/.

1 **Ling**

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2 **sing**

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3 **song**

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4 **pink**

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5 **Hank**

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6 **drink**

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Sort the Words

NAME _____

DATE _____

Read each word. Write it in the column that matches its ending.

WORD BANK

Ling Hank sing drink song pink
think rink

-ng
—

-nk
—



Red Word Match

HIGH-FREQUENCY WORDS

NAME _____

DATE _____

Pick the red word that fits. Write it on the line.

Use each red word only one time.

RED WORD BANK

said

can

go

no

have

1 “_____ we get a drink?” said Hank.

2 “_____,” said Ling.

3 “I know!” _____ Ling.

4 Let us _____ a picnic!

5 “Can we _____ to the rink?”



Think About It

COMPREHENSION

NAME _____

DATE _____

Read the story again. Write your answer on the line.

1 Who are the two siblings in the story?

2 Name one thing Hank wanted to do.

3 What did Ling pick for them to do?

4 What color was the quilt?

5 How did Ling and Hank feel at the picnic?



My Picnic Plan

WRITING

NAME _____

DATE _____

If you could plan a picnic, what would you bring? Write 2 or 3 sentences.

Ling and Hank had a basket and a pink quilt at their picnic. What would you bring to a picnic?

Try to use a word with -ng or -nk in your writing!

HELPFUL WORDS

pink drink sing song think picnic



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