

### Help your child to read!

This book practises these letters and letter sounds. Point and say the sounds with your child:



Your child may need help to read these common tricky words:



#### Before reading

- Look at the cover picture and read the title together. Read the back cover blurb to your child.
- Ask your child: Have you ever been on a boat? What was it like?

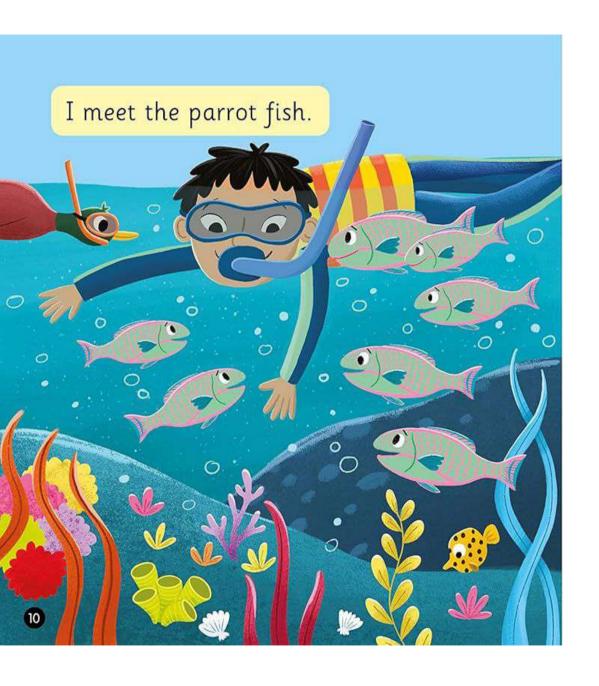
#### During reading

- If your child gets stuck on a word, remind them to sound it out and then blend the sounds to read the word: r-ee-f, reef.
- If they are still stuck, show them how to read the word.
- Enjoy looking at the pictures together. Pause to talk about the story.

#### After reading

Ask your child: Have you ever seen any sea creatures at the beach?
Can you describe them?

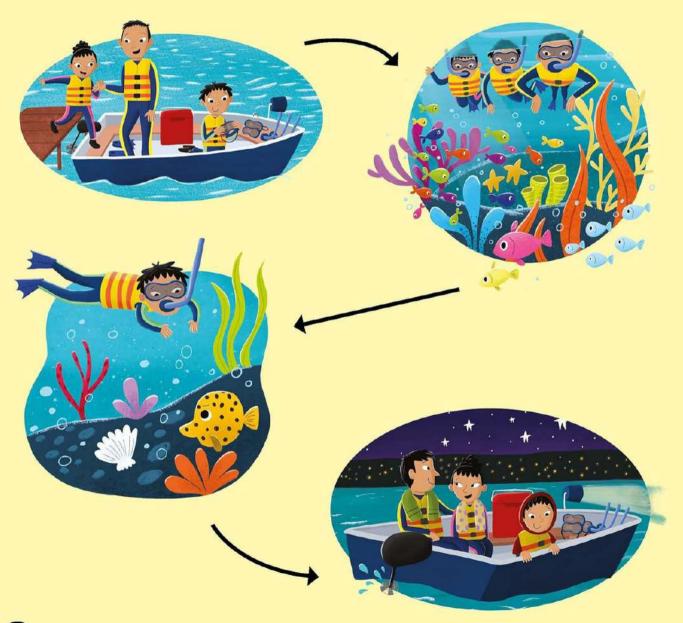




But the timid boxfish puffs up.



# Retell the story





## Sail to the Reef With Me

written by Charlotte Raby illustrated by Becky Down

A family take a trip to a beautiful reef. What do they see?



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Other titles in Set 5: Practise these sounds: ai ee igh oa oo oo





Move to Set 6: Practise these sounds: ar or ur ow oi ear air er

Focus:

ee igh oa

Decodable with tricky words

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