

The SoftRead method:

1. Introduces all the letters in the English alphabet and their sounds. This method immediately combines new letters with different, previously-learned sounds.
2. Teaches how to write all the letters.
3. Practices writing and reading regardless of vocabulary comprehension or previous visual introduction.
4. Helps vocabulary acquisition for non-native speakers as more sounds are introduced. For native speakers, correct spelling of basic vocabulary is mastered.

In the next book, we will learn the patterns that appears in long, complex words.

Advantages of the method:

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1. Successfully teaches reading technique to students with dyslexia and others, based on the logic and rules of reading – logical versus photographic learning.
2. Displays a combination of letter sounds and pictures representing the letters displayed.
3. Enables instant combination of letters/sounds into syllables and words.
4. Uses combinations of sounds to read words without any meaning or significance. Inability to recognize words prevents global, or photographic, reading.
5. User friendly and simple explanations.
6. Accompanied by colorful illustrations.
7. A large range of tasks (circling, coloring, copying, comparing, and filling in blanks).
8. Suitable for independent learning.

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o is a stop letter - this is why we highlight o in pink.

each stop letter belongs to the letter before it - this is why o is circled with b.

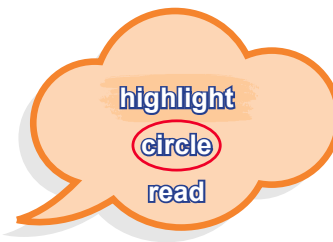
bo

ob

obo

bobo

obobo



now you! 1. highlight the letter o in pink.

2. Circle the o with the letter right before it and read from left to right.

bo

ob

obo

bobo

obobo

copy the "wordies" on the lines below.

→ _____

→ _____

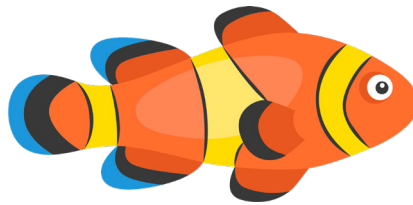
let's now learn a new letter

f

as in



flamingo



fish

4

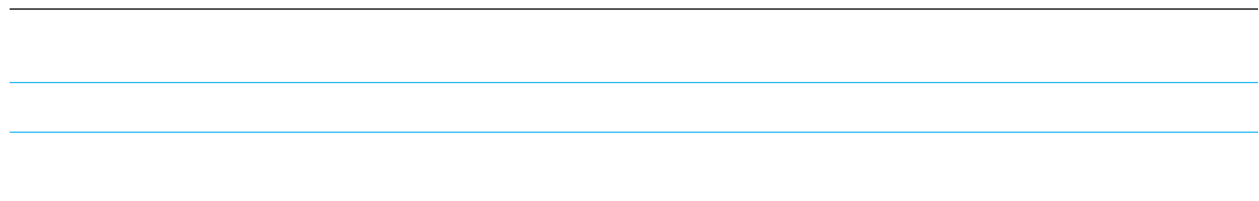
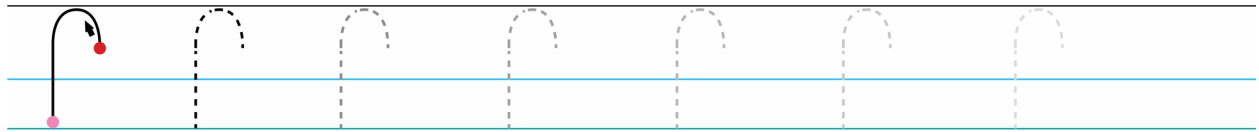
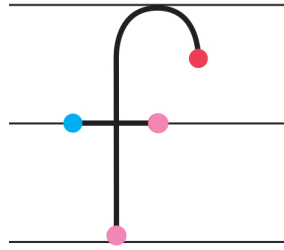
four

note: the capital letter of f is F.

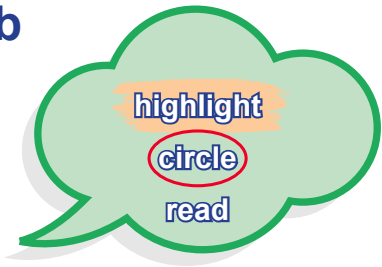
F = f



How to write f

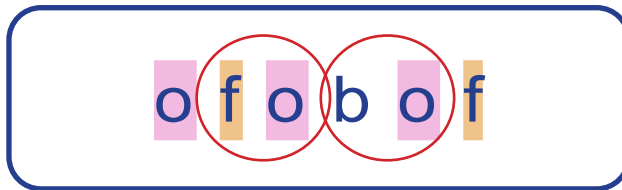


let's connect f, o and b

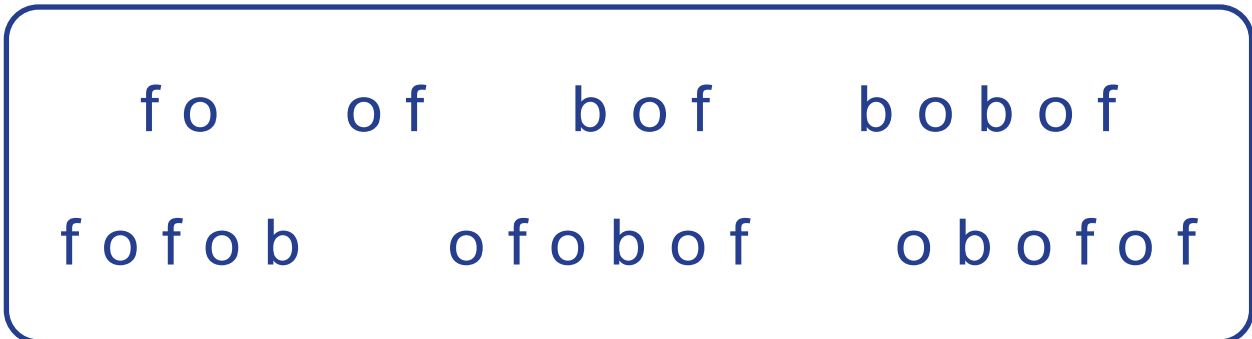


1. **before reading:**
1. highlight o in pink
 2. highlight the new letter f in orange
 3. circle

for example:



2. after highlighting and circling we are ready to read the nonsense words.



copy 4 "wordies" on the lines below.

→

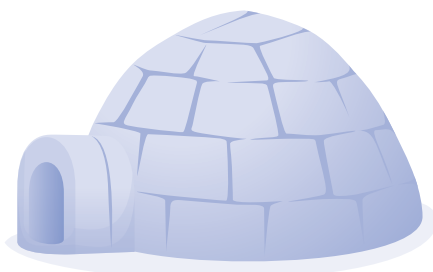
→

the last letter for this lesson is the letter



is also a  letter

as in



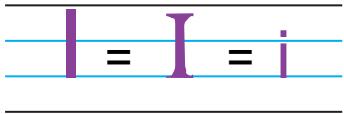
igloo



Italy

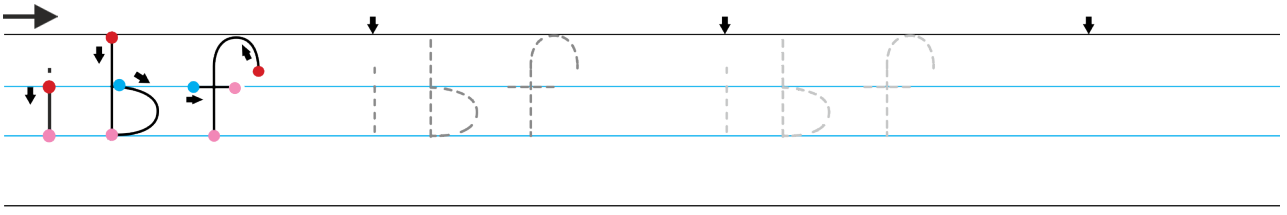
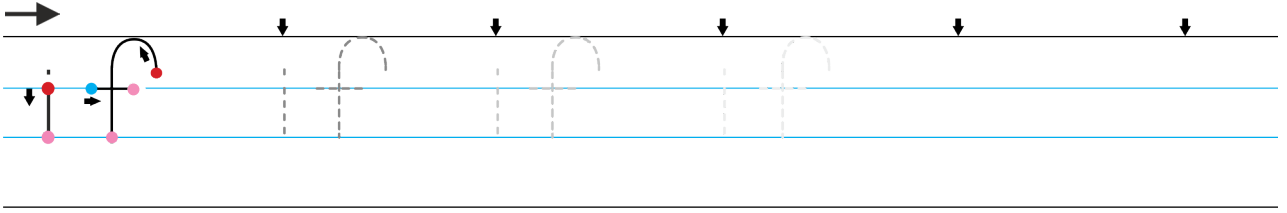
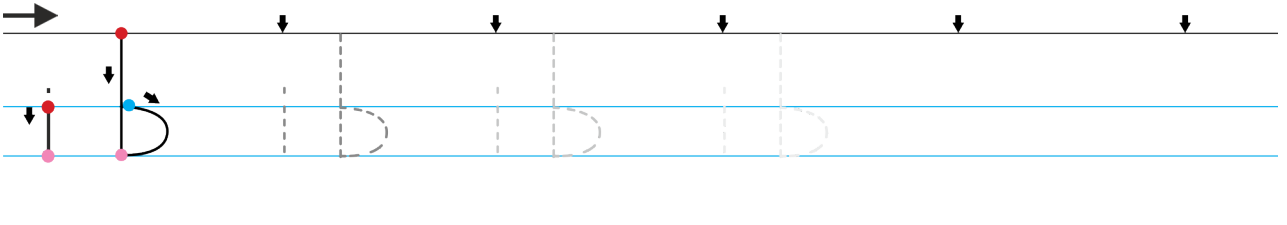
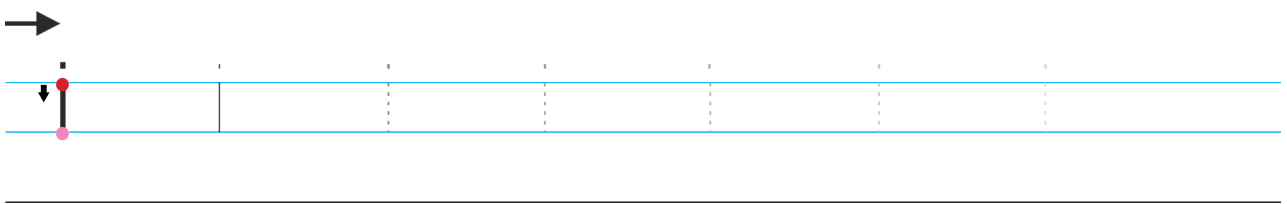
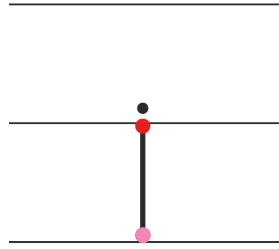


iguana

note: the capital letter of **i** is;




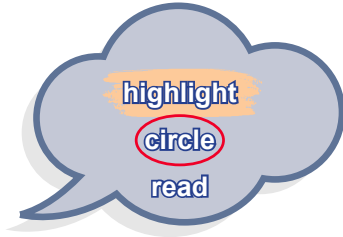
how to write i





Time to Read

now let's try reading some nonsense words.



1. **highlight** all the stop letters in **pink**, like in:


bifof

2. **Circle** all the stop letters with the letter before it:

bifof

remember:

if there is no letter before the stop letter, we still read and stop/pause...

3. **highlight** all the **b**'s like in  in **yellow**:

bifof

let's start with the letter

k

as in



koala



kiwi



kangaroo

Note: the capital letter of **k** is **K**.

K = k



now we are ready to connect the letter k to the other letters.

1. highlight all the stop letters, **i** and **o**, in pink.
2. highlight **k** in orange.
3. circle and read.



1. k i k	f k o	i k o k i k
2. k o f	o f i k	f i k o b
3. k o k i	o k i f	b o f o k
4. k o f i	i k o	b o b i k

1. f i f k o	k i f i	f o k i f
2. k i k o	k o b i f	i k i f o f
3. o b o k i	i k o f i	b o k i f o k
4. k i k b o k	o k i k o	k i k o b

choose 6 "wordies" and copy them on the lines below.

→ _____

→ _____

let's learn a new stop letter

e

is also a  letter

as in



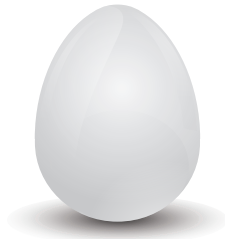
Emma



Esther



Eric



egg



elephant

note: the capital letter of e is E.

E = e



1. highlight the stop letter e in pink.
2. highlight the stop letters i and o in pink.
3. circle the stop letters with the letters before.
4. now you are ready to read.



1. fe b	fi le b	o be l	kobeli
2. fel	beg	eel	bebi
3. lef	leg	e lo b	ikole
4. blef	bel	keb	ke lo g

1. kefi	befi	ibel	keleb
2. belfi	kobifo	lebel	fekeb
3. fegolil	leb	kebel	fikelo
4. elobel	efeb	lekib	felog

choose 6 "wordies" and copy them on the lines below then highlight all the stop letters pink.

→ _____

→ _____

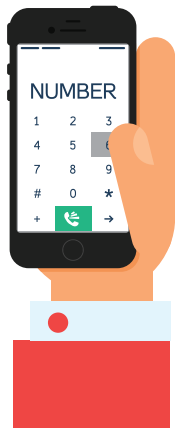
to finish our second lesson, we will learn the letter

t

as in



tractor



telephone



television

note: the capital letter of t is T.

T = t



1. highlight t in orange.
2. highlight f in blue.
3. highlight b in yellow.
4. highlight the stop letters i and o and e in pink.
5. circle the stop letters with the letters before.
6. now you are ready to read.



Bb

1. it	okit	got	lot
2. bit	tilt	tofi	liti
3. left	teg	tel	lefkit
4. lift	delil	let	fit
5. tif	gift	delt	litel

1. bet	tofi	til	ded
2. tebilof	belt	glik	kik
3. telefot	liflet	left	kelit
4. flik	kid	leket	elit
5. tlil	big	figfog	kofi
6. tedi	beg	leg	fold

match and find the extra word 😊

1.

ted

got

tilt

left

tofi

old

belt

let

did

beg

fold

kid

leg

fog

2.

kid

beg

ted

leg

belt

tilt

tofi

old

fog

fold

did

let

got

fed

left

the extra word is? _____

here are some real words using 13 letters!



pen



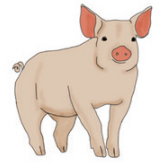
pin



pot



kid



pig



peg



lip



net

10

ten



lid



leg



nose



dog



bed



tent



bin



doll



gift

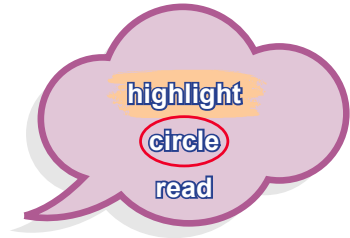


bell



pink

1. highlight the stop letter u in pink.
2. highlight the stop letter a in yellow.
3. circle the stop letters with the letters before.
4. now you are ready to read.



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|----------|-----|-----|-------|-------|
| 1. bud | fun | mud | nut | gun |
| 2. unkit | bun | gum | blunt | unfit |

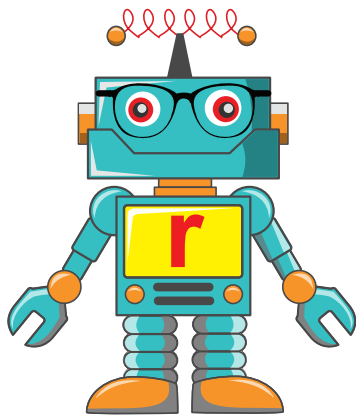
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|---------|------|-------|------|
| 1. lamp | punk | map | mud |
| 2. pump | band | tam | mad |
| 3. fan | gum | tank | pad |
| 4. fun | lump | flunk | dump |

- | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. damp | tag | sun | dad |
| 2. untag | mat | cup | bad |
| 3. laptop | num | bug | tag |
| 4. lag | dum | mum | man |

to our last bridge letter

r

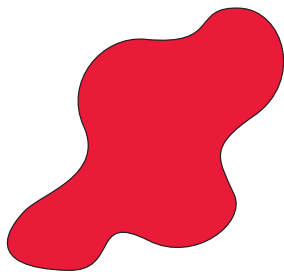
as in



robot



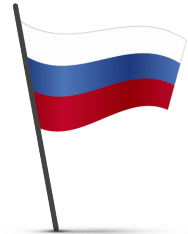
radio



red



Romania



Russia



note: the capital letter **r** is **R**.

R = r