

Directions: Read left to right. All vowel sounds are short. Students may "stretch and say" to sound out these Flash Words. Below the line read the heart words left to right; the goal is to read each word within 3 seconds; these words are not sounded out.

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|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| blow  | mow   | row   | grow  |
| show  | crow  | throw | snow  |
| goal  | cloak | float | toast |
| groan | roam  | soap  | coat  |
| boat  | foal  | boast | roast |

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|-------|--------|---------|-------|
| some  | come   | any     | other |
| says  | only   | done    | were  |
| where | pretty | because | every |
| away  | write  | does    | earth |
| move  | always | world   | only  |

Practice reading the sentences fluently and accurately.

1. The **water** in the moat **was very** dirty.
2. Joan had to **learn all about** foals **before she could work on** the horse farm.
3. Her coach asked her **to** eat oats and toast **to** make her body grow.
4. Jim **does** not mow the grass **very** well.
5. The baby **was** sick and **we could hear** her moan and groan **from her** crib.
6. Mom had **to** use soap and **water to clean** the spot **on** her coat.

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CCPS standard for reading fluency is 98% accuracy. All heart words are in bold and cannot be sounded out, they must be known by heart. The other words can be sounded out using our stretch and say strategy. This assessment is untimed. Scoring for 50 words:

| %      | Below 95% | 96% | 98% | 100% |
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| errors | 3 or more | 2   | 1   | 0    |

CCPS scoring guide for accuracy:

- Advanced (20 points)- 98% accuracy;
- Proficient (15 points)- 95%-97% accuracy;
- Basic (10 points)- Below 95% accuracy