Skill 2.6

Closed: Short Vowel u

In small-group intervention, we will learn to read and spell closed syllable words with the short u vowel sound.

Closed Syllable	Closed syllable words have one vowel letter followed by one or more consonants, and the vowel sound is short.
Short Vowel u	The vowel letter u represents the vowel sound /ŭ/, as in up, which is a short vowel sound.

bun	pug	hut	jug
nut	cup	sub	fun
cub	mud	sun	bug
cut	tug	tub	hug
lug	rub	bud	gum

with gum and	bud have fun
runs and tugs	cut of the
bugs on a log	in the tub
with a sub	a cup of hot
tug on the	pug has a

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