Skill 3.3

Closed: Initial R-Blends

In small-group intervention, we will learn to read and spell closed syllable words with the initial r-blend pattern.

Closed Syllable	Closed syllable words have one vowel letter followed by one or more consonants, and the vowel sound is short.
Initial R-Blends	A type of consonant blend that has two consonant sounds side by side, and the second one is /r/—the sound of the letter r, as in frog.

crab	grad	trim	drop
grip	brim	prep	brag
prop	gram	drip	grab
crop	trot	crib	drum
grin	cram	trap	prim

prop up the	grab the trim
grips the crab	slim grub is
crop it by	drip it in
grins and taps	brags to his
and traps the	cram it in

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