Skill 9.1

Silent Letters: kn, gn

In small-group intervention, we will learn to read and spell words with the silent letters kn and gn.

Silent Letters	Silent-letter patterns have two consonants side by side with one consonant remaining silent.
Sound /n/	The letters: • k and n represent the sound /n/, as in knight. • g and n represent the sound /n/, as in gnome.

knob	knot	gnarl	knight
gnat	knack	gnawing	knit
knife	gnu	knew	gnome
gnaw	knee	gnash	know
knock	knobs	knotted	gnats

gnawing the bone	knew the knights
my left knee	a gnarled stick
the funny gnome	a ship's knot
hears a knock	gnashed his teeth
the buzzing gnats	knit with the

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