

HOME SUPPORT BEGINNING / ENDING SOUNDS

Change The Word Activity

Use the cut up Alphabet Sequence letters.

With this activity you will help your child create new words by changing one **sound** for another.

When you say the sound, try to "clip" it. In other words, say /b/ not /bu/.

- Have your child match the cut up Alphabet Sequence letters to the uncut page.
- Ask your child to find the letters to make the words **fit**.
- Read the word and have your child repeat it after you.
- Ask, "Can you change the /f/ to /s/? Your child should change the letters to make the word sit. Remember, you are giving the **sound**, not the name of the letter.
- Have your child read the new word.

BEGINNING SOUNDS		
You Make and Read	You say ...	Child Makes and Read
fit	Change /f/ to /s/	sit
map	Change /m/ to /l/	lap
rag	Change /r/ to /s/	sag
sat	Change /s/ to /m/	mat

ENDING SOUNDS		
You Make and Read	You say ...	Child Makes and Read
kit	Change /t/ to /d/	kid
rag	Change /g/ to /t/	rat
lap	Change /p/ to /g/	lag
cap	Change /p/ to /b/	cab