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BOOK 1

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Book **1**



Introduction

Word Chant

This helps learners become familiar with the Key Words.

1 I Can

Key Words

A Listen and repeat the words.

ride swim
dance wash
brush

Sight Words
I, can

B Check the correct words.

1. ride swim
 dance brush

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Get Ready

This section introduces the content of the unit with a related picture and a question to stimulate learners' interest.

Key Words

This section introduces the unit's Key Words.

Sight Words

This section provides words that learners should be familiar with and able to read.

Reading Passage

The reading passage presents various fiction and nonfiction texts with illustrations and pictures.

Focus

This question helps learners know what to focus on while reading.

Check

Learners can quickly check their understanding.

I Can

21 words

What can the children do?

I can jump.

I can ride.

I can swim.

I can dance.

Check
Can the girl dance? Yes No

8 Unit 1 9

Story Song

Learners can enhance their reading and speaking skills with the story song.



Find & Draw

Learners can find the unit's Sight Words in the reading passage.

Build Language

This section presents the main sentence pattern in the passage with the chant. Learners can also practice the sentence pattern by tracing the sentence.

Reading Comprehension

A Choose the correct answers.

1. I can ride. (a) (b)

2. I can (a) read (b) brush.

B Choose and write the correct words.

dance wash swim

1. 2. 3.

Sight Words

C Trace, find, and color. = I = can

1. I

2. can

Build Language

Read and chant. Then, trace.

I

I can

I can jump

I can dance

Retell Point, read, and say.

ride jump swim dance I can

On Your Own What can you do?

On Your Own

This section allows learners to think about their own experiences with the unit's topic.

Reading Comprehension

- A** This section provides reading comprehension questions. Learners can check how well they understand the passage by solving questions.
- B** Learners can practice reading and writing the unit's Key Words.
- C** Learners can practice reading and writing the unit's Sight Words.

Retell

Learners can retell the passage by pointing at or numbering the pictures.

Workbook

The workbook enables learners to review the entire unit through three sections.

- Vocabulary Practice: Learners can review the Key Words and Sight Words in the unit.
- Sentence Practice: Learners can practice reading and writing sentences from the passage.
- Reading Practice: Learners can check how well they understand the passage.

Scope and Sequence

My Family and I 	Unit	Title	Subject	Genre
	1	I Can	Social Studies	Nonfiction
	2	I Am a Student	Social Studies	Nonfiction
	3	I Love My Family	Social Studies	Fiction

Colors and Shapes 	Unit	Title	Subject	Genre
	4	I Need Red	Art	Fiction
	5	Toys	Math	Fiction
	6	Circles and Squares	Math	Nonfiction

Weather 	Unit	Title	Subject	Genre
	7	It Is Sunny	Science	Nonfiction
	8	The Storm	Science	Fiction
	9	My Skis	Literature	Fiction

Safety and Health 	Unit	Title	Subject	Genre
	10	Making Fruit Salad	Literature	Fiction
	11	I Walk to School	Social Studies	Fiction
	12	Riding a Bike	Physical Education	Fiction



	Key Words	Build Language	Page
	ride, swim, dance, wash, brush	I can jump.	6
	chef, nurse, farmer, soccer player, scientist	I am a student.	14
	mom, dad, sister, brother, family	I love my dad.	22

	Key Words	Build Language	Page
	red, orange, yellow, green, blue	I need yellow.	30
	ball, box, kite, puzzle, boat	This is a kite.	38
	circle, square, rectangle, star, triangle	I have one star.	46

	Key Words	Build Language	Page
	sunny, hot, rainy, cold, snowy	It is sunny.	54
	sky, cloud, wind, lightning, sun	Look at the sky.	62
	pants, coat, boot, mitten, medal	I put on my coat.	70

	Key Words	Build Language	Page
	pear, banana, blueberry, strawberry, melon	We like pears.	78
	see, sign, car, light, safe	I see the school.	86
	bike, helmet, fall, cut, bandage	She has a bike.	94



Social Studies

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I Can



Get Ready

What can he do?



My Family and I

Key Words



Word Chant

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2.



swim

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I Can



21 words

• Focus •

What can the children do?



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I can ride.





Story Song



I can swim.



I can dance.

Check

Can the girl  dance?

Yes No



I can wash.



I can brush.

Check

Who can wash?



Read and color!

1 2 3

Find & Draw
I = 
can = 



I can read.

Reading Comprehension

A Choose the correct answers.

1. I can ride.

a



b



2.



I can

a

read

b

brush

B Choose and write the correct words.

dance

wash

swim

1.



2.



3.



Sight Words

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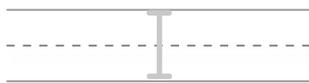


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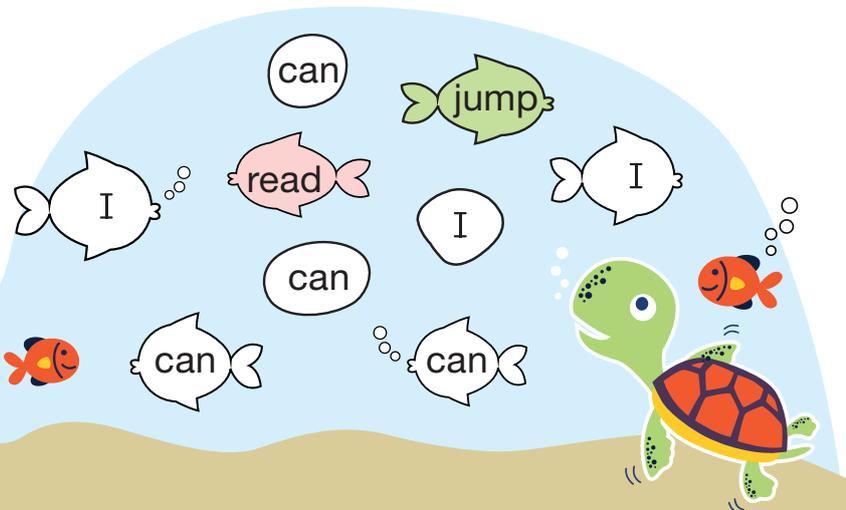


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Build Language

Read and chant. Then, trace.



Chant

I

I

can

I

can

jump .

I

can

dance .



Retell

Point, read, and say.



On Your Own

What can you do?