CVC Word Checklist

Tick three separate skills per word: reads it (instantly), blends it (sounds out), spells it (from dictation).

Name: _____ Start date: _____ Class / group: _____

A word is mastered when all three columns are ticked and the child still reads it correctly a week later. Assess one vowel at a time, every four to six weeks.

Short A (59 words)

Word	Family	Reads	Blends	Spells
back	-ack	☐	☐	☐
bad	-ad	☐	☐	☐
bag	-ag	☐	☐	☐
bash	-ash	☐	☐	☐
bass	-ass	☐	☐	☐
bat	-at	☐	☐	☐
cap	-ap	☐	☐	☐
cash	-ash	☐	☐	☐
cat	-at	☐	☐	☐
dad	-ad	☐	☐	☐
dash	-ash	☐	☐	☐
fan	-an	☐	☐	☐
fat	-at	☐	☐	☐
gap	-ap	☐	☐	☐
hack	-ack	☐	☐	☐
ham	-am	☐	☐	☐
hash	-ash	☐	☐	☐
hat	-at	☐	☐	☐
jack	-ack	☐	☐	☐
jam	-am	☐	☐	☐
lab	-ab	☐	☐	☐
lack	-ack	☐	☐	☐
lad	-ad	☐	☐	☐
lap	-ap	☐	☐	☐
lash	-ash	☐	☐	☐
lass	-ass	☐	☐	☐
mad	-ad	☐	☐	☐
man	-an	☐	☐	☐
map	-ap	☐	☐	☐
mass	-ass	☐	☐	☐
nap	-ap	☐	☐	☐
pack	-ack	☐	☐	☐
pad	-ad	☐	☐	☐
pan	-an	☐	☐	☐
pass	-ass	☐	☐	☐
pat	-at	☐	☐	☐
rack	-ack	☐	☐	☐

rad	-ad	☐	☐	☐
ram	-am	☐	☐	☐
ran	-an	☐	☐	☐
rap	-ap	☐	☐	☐
rash	-ash	☐	☐	☐
rat	-at	☐	☐	☐
sack	-ack	☐	☐	☐
sad	-ad	☐	☐	☐
sag	-ag	☐	☐	☐
sap	-ap	☐	☐	☐
sat	-at	☐	☐	☐
tab	-ab	☐	☐	☐
tack	-ack	☐	☐	☐
tag	-ag	☐	☐	☐
tan	-an	☐	☐	☐
tap	-ap	☐	☐	☐
tax	-ax	☐	☐	☐
van	-an	☐	☐	☐
wag	-ag	☐	☐	☐
wax	-ax	☐	☐	☐
yam	-am	☐	☐	☐
zap	-ap	☐	☐	☐

Short E (31 words)

Word	Family	Reads	Blends	Spells
bed	-ed	☐	☐	☐
beg	-eg	☐	☐	☐
bell	-ell	☐	☐	☐
deck	-eck	☐	☐	☐
den	-en	☐	☐	☐
fed	-ed	☐	☐	☐
fell	-ell	☐	☐	☐
get	-et	☐	☐	☐
hem	-em	☐	☐	☐
hen	-en	☐	☐	☐
jet	-et	☐	☐	☐
led	-ed	☐	☐	☐
leg	-eg	☐	☐	☐
less	-ess	☐	☐	☐
let	-et	☐	☐	☐
men	-en	☐	☐	☐
mesh	-esh	☐	☐	☐
mess	-ess	☐	☐	☐
met	-et	☐	☐	☐
neck	-eck	☐	☐	☐
net	-et	☐	☐	☐
peck	-eck	☐	☐	☐
pen	-en	☐	☐	☐

pet	-et	☐	☐	☐
red	-ed	☐	☐	☐
sell	-ell	☐	☐	☐
set	-et	☐	☐	☐
tell	-ell	☐	☐	☐
ten	-en	☐	☐	☐
web	-eb	☐	☐	☐
well	-ell	☐	☐	☐

Short I (52 words)

Word	Family	Reads	Blends	Spells
bid	-id	☐	☐	☐
big	-ig	☐	☐	☐
bin	-in	☐	☐	☐
bit	-it	☐	☐	☐
dig	-ig	☐	☐	☐
dim	-im	☐	☐	☐
dip	-ip	☐	☐	☐
dish	-ish	☐	☐	☐
fill	-ill	☐	☐	☐
fin	-in	☐	☐	☐
fish	-ish	☐	☐	☐
fit	-it	☐	☐	☐
gill	-ill	☐	☐	☐
gin	-in	☐	☐	☐
hill	-ill	☐	☐	☐
him	-im	☐	☐	☐
hip	-ip	☐	☐	☐
hiss	-iss	☐	☐	☐
hit	-it	☐	☐	☐
kick	-ick	☐	☐	☐
kid	-id	☐	☐	☐
kiss	-iss	☐	☐	☐
kit	-it	☐	☐	☐
lick	-ick	☐	☐	☐
lid	-id	☐	☐	☐
lip	-ip	☐	☐	☐
lit	-it	☐	☐	☐
mid	-id	☐	☐	☐
mill	-ill	☐	☐	☐
miss	-iss	☐	☐	☐
mix	-ix	☐	☐	☐
nip	-ip	☐	☐	☐
pick	-ick	☐	☐	☐
pig	-ig	☐	☐	☐
pill	-ill	☐	☐	☐
pin	-in	☐	☐	☐
pit	-it	☐	☐	☐

rid	-id	☐	☐	☐
rig	-ig	☐	☐	☐
rip	-ip	☐	☐	☐
sick	-ick	☐	☐	☐
sill	-ill	☐	☐	☐
sip	-ip	☐	☐	☐
sit	-it	☐	☐	☐
tick	-ick	☐	☐	☐
tin	-in	☐	☐	☐
tip	-ip	☐	☐	☐
wick	-ick	☐	☐	☐
wig	-ig	☐	☐	☐
win	-in	☐	☐	☐
wish	-ish	☐	☐	☐
zip	-ip	☐	☐	☐

Short O (41 words)

Word	Family	Reads	Blends	Spells
bob	-ob	☐	☐	☐
bog	-og	☐	☐	☐
boss	-oss	☐	☐	☐
box	-ox	☐	☐	☐
cod	-od	☐	☐	☐
cog	-og	☐	☐	☐
cop	-op	☐	☐	☐
cot	-ot	☐	☐	☐
dock	-ock	☐	☐	☐
dog	-og	☐	☐	☐
dot	-ot	☐	☐	☐
fog	-og	☐	☐	☐
fox	-ox	☐	☐	☐
god	-od	☐	☐	☐
got	-ot	☐	☐	☐
hop	-op	☐	☐	☐
hot	-ot	☐	☐	☐
job	-ob	☐	☐	☐
jog	-og	☐	☐	☐
lock	-ock	☐	☐	☐
log	-og	☐	☐	☐
loss	-oss	☐	☐	☐
lot	-ot	☐	☐	☐
mob	-ob	☐	☐	☐
mock	-ock	☐	☐	☐
mop	-op	☐	☐	☐
moss	-oss	☐	☐	☐
nod	-od	☐	☐	☐
not	-ot	☐	☐	☐
pod	-od	☐	☐	☐

pop	-op	☐	☐	☐
posh	-osh	☐	☐	☐
pot	-ot	☐	☐	☐
rob	-ob	☐	☐	☐
rock	-ock	☐	☐	☐
rod	-od	☐	☐	☐
rot	-ot	☐	☐	☐
sob	-ob	☐	☐	☐
sock	-ock	☐	☐	☐
sod	-od	☐	☐	☐
toss	-oss	☐	☐	☐

Short U (47 words)

Word	Family	Reads	Blends	Spells
buck	-uck	☐	☐	☐
buff	-uff	☐	☐	☐
bug	-ug	☐	☐	☐
bull	-ull	☐	☐	☐
bun	-un	☐	☐	☐
bus	-us	☐	☐	☐
bush	-ush	☐	☐	☐
but	-ut	☐	☐	☐
cuff	-uff	☐	☐	☐
cup	-up	☐	☐	☐
cut	-ut	☐	☐	☐
duck	-uck	☐	☐	☐
dug	-ug	☐	☐	☐
full	-ull	☐	☐	☐
fun	-un	☐	☐	☐
gum	-um	☐	☐	☐
gun	-un	☐	☐	☐
gut	-ut	☐	☐	☐
huff	-uff	☐	☐	☐
hug	-ug	☐	☐	☐
hum	-um	☐	☐	☐
hut	-ut	☐	☐	☐
jug	-ug	☐	☐	☐
luck	-uck	☐	☐	☐
lug	-ug	☐	☐	☐
mud	-ud	☐	☐	☐
muff	-uff	☐	☐	☐
mug	-ug	☐	☐	☐
mum	-um	☐	☐	☐
nun	-un	☐	☐	☐
nut	-ut	☐	☐	☐
pub	-ub	☐	☐	☐
puck	-uck	☐	☐	☐
puff	-uff	☐	☐	☐

pull	-ull	☐	☐	☐
pup	-up	☐	☐	☐
push	-ush	☐	☐	☐
rub	-ub	☐	☐	☐
rug	-ug	☐	☐	☐
run	-un	☐	☐	☐
sub	-ub	☐	☐	☐
suck	-uck	☐	☐	☐
sum	-um	☐	☐	☐
sun	-un	☐	☐	☐
tub	-ub	☐	☐	☐
tuck	-uck	☐	☐	☐
tug	-ug	☐	☐	☐

Notes: _____

Next steps: _____