

WORD CHAIN USING COUNTERS (PROVIDE THE SOUND CHANGE)

Place counters in front of the child. Touch each counter in turn saying the sounds of the first word. Ask the child to blend the word. Then move one counter and replace it with a new counter while telling the child the new sound. Ask them to blend the new word. Repeat for each word on the list. Digraphs such as 'QU', 'SH', 'CH', 'TH' and 'NG' are treated as sounds not letters.

	CCVC	CCVC	CCVC	CCVC	CCVC
1	from	clap	sm <u>ell</u>	frog	drip
2	frog	clip	sp <u>ell</u>	from	trip
3	flog	slip	sp <u>ill</u>	fro <u>ck</u>	trim
4	flop	slit	sk <u>ill</u>	cro <u>ck</u>	brim
5	flap	spit	st <u>ill</u>	clo <u>ck</u>	br <u>ick</u>
6	flab	spot	st <u>iff</u>	cl <u>ick</u>	tr <u>ick</u>
7	slab	spat	st <u>ick</u>	fl <u>ick</u>	tr <u>ack</u>
8	stab	span	sl <u>ick</u>	flip	rack
9	stag	pl <u>an</u>	sl <u>ack</u>	flop	tack
10	swag	flan	sm <u>ack</u>	plop	st <u>ack</u>
11	swam	flap	sn <u>ack</u>	plot	stab
12	slam	flop	sn <u>ap</u>	sp <u>ot</u>	slab
13	glam	slop	sn <u>ip</u>	swot	slam
14	clam	stop	sl <u>ip</u>	swop	slim
15	clap	strop	bl <u>ip</u>	stop	slip
16	slap	strip	cl <u>ip</u>	st <u>ock</u>	clip
17	slip	trip	cl <u>ap</u>	st <u>ick</u>	cl <u>op</u>
18	slit	trim	cl <u>am</u>	sl <u>ick</u>	cro <u>p</u>
19	slim	tram	cr <u>am</u>	sl <u>ing</u>	dro <u>p</u>
20	swim	cr <u>am</u>	cr <u>ash</u>	fl <u>ing</u>	dri <u>p</u>
21	swum	cl <u>am</u>	tr <u>ash</u>	fl <u>ip</u>	tri <u>p</u>
22	slum	sl <u>am</u>	tr <u>ack</u>	fl <u>op</u>	tri <u>m</u>
23	glum	sl <u>im</u>	tr <u>ick</u>	fl <u>ap</u>	pr <u>im</u>
24	plum	sk <u>im</u>	tr <u>uck</u>	cl <u>ap</u>	pr <u>am</u>
25	plug	sk <u>in</u>	str <u>uck</u>	sl <u>ap</u>	cr <u>am</u>