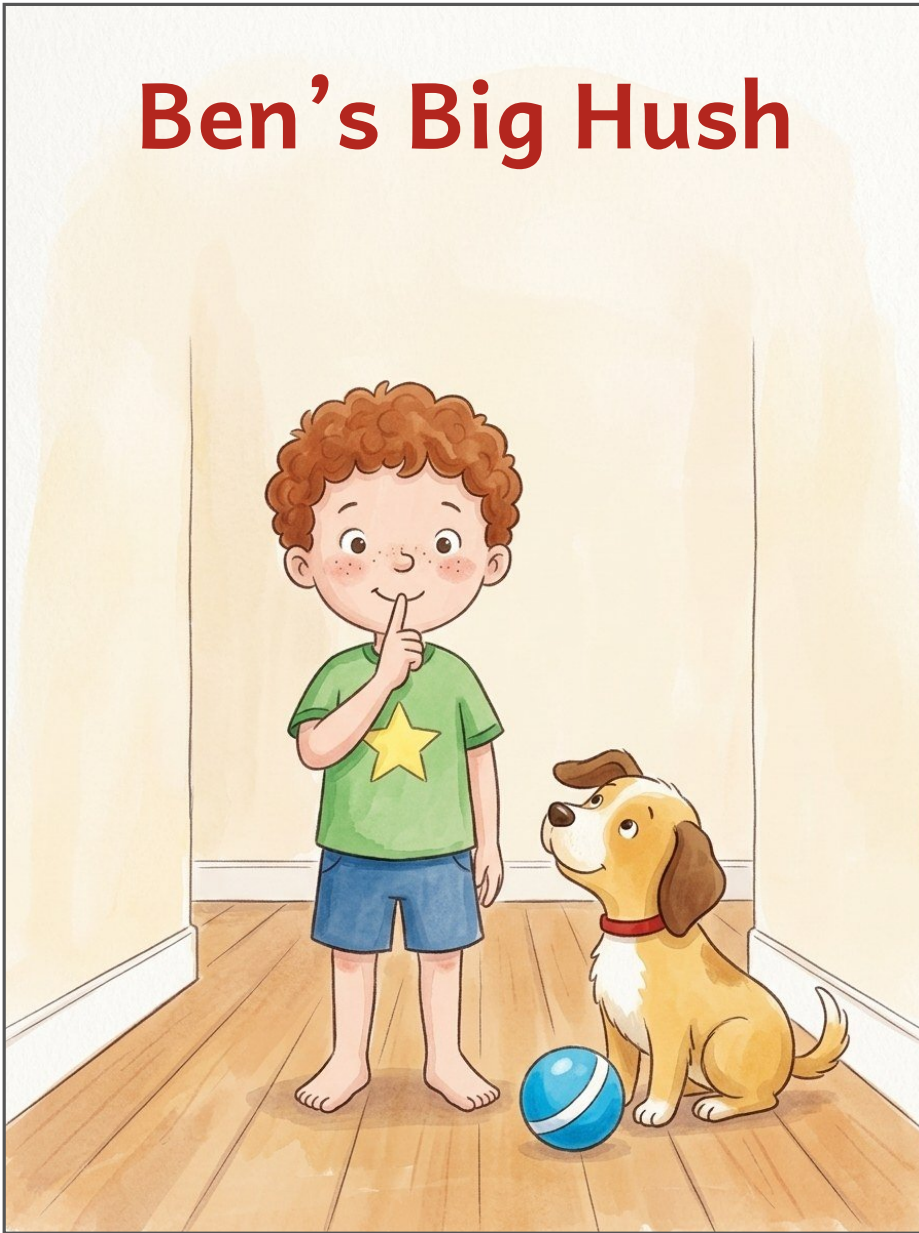


Ben's Big Hush



A Digraph SH Decodable Book • Level 2 • Kindergarten-1st Grade



Mom was sick in bed. "I must rest," she said. Ben had a wish. He wished for a hush so Mom could sleep. Drip, drip, drip! That was the tub.



Ben rushed to shut the door. Tick, tick, tick! That was the clock. Ben tucked it under a plush cat on the shelf. Then, crash! Gus bonked his ball on the wall.



Crash! Crash! "Hush, Gus!" said Ben. "Mom is sick." But Gus did not stop. Ben had a plan. He got a plush duck. "Catch this, Gus!" said Ben. Ben tossed the duck.



Gus let his ball drop and ran to get it. The duck hit the wall and fell. No crash! Mom had a long sleep. She felt much better. "Thank you for the hush, Ben," said Mom.

Words in This Book

Focus skill

SH digraph (initial and final)

Digraph SH words

she, wish, wished, hush, rushed, shut, plush, shelf, crash

High-frequency words

was, a, the, to, it, is, and

Other story words

Mom, sick, in, bed, I, must, rest, said, Ben, had, he, for, so, could, sleep, drip, that, tub, door, tick, clock, tucked, under, cat, on, then, Gus, bonked, his, ball, wall, but, did, not, stop, plan, got, duck, catch, this, tossed, let, drop, ran, get, hit, fell, no, long, felt, much, better, thank, you

Talk About It

1. Why did Mom need to rest?
2. What did Gus bonk on the wall?
3. How did Mom feel after her long sleep?

Read It Again

Read the book again. Point to every word from the Digraph SH list. How many can you find?