

Kim's Green Seed



Kim had one small, green seed.
She did need to put it in the sod.



She went to a spot by a big tree.



"I will put my seed here," Kim said. "It will grow tall and green."



Kim did get her spade and did push it with her feet. The sod was stiff.



The spade did not go deep. "I need help," she said. Kim did see a long stick.



She set the stick on the spade.
She did push down on the free
end of the stick.



The spade went deep into the
rich black muck! Kim smiled.



She put the green seed in the deep hole. She thought, "Now I will keep this spot free of weeds."

Words in This Book

Focus skill

EE vowel team (long E sound)

Vowel Team — EE words

green, seed, need, tree, feet, deep, see, free, keep, weeds

High-frequency words

she, to, it, the, a, said, and, with, was

Other story words

Kim, had, one, small, did, put, in, sod, went, spot, by, big, I, will, my, here, grow, tall, get, her, spade, push, stiff, not, go, help, long, stick, set, on, down, end, of, into, rich, black, muck, smiled, hole, thought, now, this

Talk About It

1. Where did Kim go to put her seed?
2. What did Kim use to help push the spade deep?
3. What will Kim keep the spot free of?

Read It Again

Read the book again. Point to every word from the Vowel Team — EE list. How many can you find?