

Pip's Rainy Train



Pip the pig looked out at the rain.

A Vowel Team — AI Decodable Book • Level 4 • 1st-2nd Grade



"I can not go out and play," he said with a sad face.



He wanted to run and jump, but the rain fell and fell.



Pip sat on the rug and felt glum.
Then Pip had a plan. He used his
brain!



He grabbed his best train. "I
will make a track in here," he
said.



He took a long, plain box and
laid it on the rug.



The box made a fine main track.
Pip pushed his train.



It went fast! His little tail gave a quick wag. The rain could not stop his fun.

Words in This Book

Focus skill

AI vowel team (long A sound)

Vowel Team — AI words

rain, brain, train, plain, laid, main, tail

High-frequency words

the, and, he, said, with, a, to, it

Other story words

Pip, pig, looked, out, at, I, can, not, go, play, sad, face, wanted, run, jump, but, fell, sat, on, rug, felt, glum, then, had, plan, used, his, grabbed, best, will, make, track, in, here, took, long, box, made, fine, pushed, went, fast, little, gave, quick, wag, could, stop, fun

Talk About It

1. Why was Pip the pig sad at the start?
2. What did Pip use to make a train track?
3. What did Pip's tail do at the end?

Read It Again

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