

The Lost Spoon



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



Ned sat by the pool on a hot day. He had a big cup of food. "A nice cook made this good food," he thought.



Ned took out a red spoon to eat.
Plop! The spoon slipped and fell
into the pool. It sank down far.
Ned stood up fast.



He put his foot into the pool to
get it. But his foot could not get
to the spoon. He felt sad.



"I can not get it," Ned said.
Tom came to take a look. "Do
not fret," Tom said. "I can help
you get it."



Tom grabbed a long stick of
wood. It had a hook on the end.
Tom dove right in and swam
down.



He used the hook to grab the spoon. Then he swam back up to the top. "Here is your spoon," Tom said.



He handed it to Ned. "Thank you so much!" said Ned. The two pals walked to a cool spot in the grass.



They sat down to eat the food together. Then they rested and read a fun book.

Words in This Book

Focus skill

OO vowel team (two sounds: moon and book)

Vowel Team — OO words

pool, food, cook, good, took, spoon, stood, foot, look, wood, hook, cool, book

High-frequency words

the, a, he, to, and, it, said, you, is, they

Other story words

Ned, sat, by, on, hot, day, had, big, cup, of, nice, made, this, thought, out, red, eat, plop, slipped, fell, into, sank, down, far, up, fast, put, his, get, but, could, not, felt, sad, I, can, Tom, came, take, do, fret, help, grabbed, long, stick, end, dove, right, in, swam, used, grab, then, back, top, here, your, handed, thank, so, much, two, pals, walked, spot, grass, together, rested, read, fun

Talk About It

1. Where did Ned sit on the hot day?
2. What fell into the pool?
3. What did Ned and Tom read at the end?

Read It Again

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