# Zed's Mud Buns

Name _____

Endings -TCH and -DGE · Sight words: the, is, a, and, to, was, it, she, he, they

Hope had a hut by the hedge. She set a batch of hot buns on the ledge and ran back in.

Zed flapped to the ditch to fetch mud. He set the mud in lumps. Each lump was like a bun. He hid the lumps in the batch.

"Hope will eat mud!" said Zed.

But the buns had such a good smell. Zed snatched one and chomped. It was mud! He spat and spat.

Hope ran out. "What is this mess?" she said.

"I hid mud lumps with your buns," said Zed. "Then I ate one!"

Hope had to laugh.

Zed had to help her pitch the mud lumps into the ditch. Then he scrubbed the ledge clean.

Then Hope got him a hot bun. "This one is not mud," she said.

Zed grinned.

**Circle or highlight all the words that end in -TCH or -DGE. How many did you find?**

**I found _____ words.**