

# This week your child is Reading

## Weka in the Shed

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## Words

Some new words your child is learning

### Regular Words for sounding out;

wish, dish, luck, lock, tucks, shed, man, back, dash, rock, pats, had, his, is, in

### Other words to tell your child;

I, puku, by, open, yum, sees, a

## Sounds

Some new sounds your child is learning

'sh, ck

To understand [Speech sounds of NZ English](#) follow this hyperlink and scroll down until you find the above title.

## Some fun ways you can play with sounds and words at home

- Play an alphabet game next time you're in the car with your child. Go through the alphabet and take turns saying the sound it makes and then think of a word that starts with that letter. You could say a word for each letter or see how many words you can all think of that start with the same letter.
- Play 'I Spy' with sounds. Instead of 'spying' for words, take turns with your child to 'spy' for things that start with a certain sound. You might say "I spy with my little eye something beginning with 'sh'" (say the sound, not the name of the letter).
- Go on a treasure hunt to find as many things as you can that has a 'ck' sound or a 'sh' sound in it. Talk about the objects that you find and the sound it starts with. Who found the most objects?