

"S-t-r-e-t-c-h" it out!

- Stretch the word out slowly.
- Put the sounds together to figure out the word.



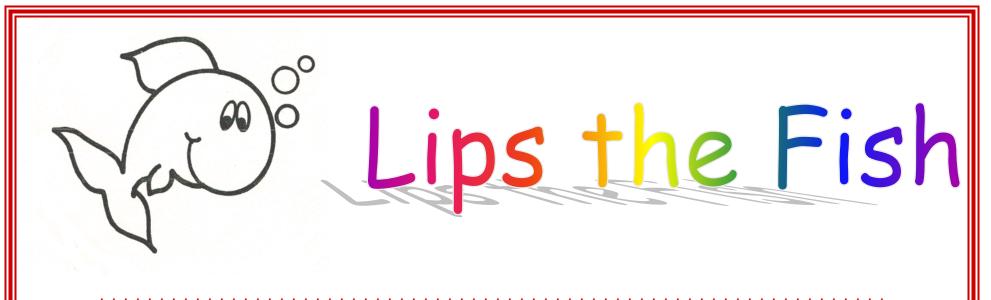
Chunk the Word!

- Look for a "chunk" that you know (-ing, -and, -art, -old, etc.).
- Look for a word part (be-, -er, etc.)



Ask For Help!

After you have tried all of the other strategies, ask for help.



Get Your Lips Ready!

- Say the first few sounds of the word out loud.
- Read to the end of the sentence and say the sounds again.



Try It Again!

Try to reread the sentence.

Try a word that makes sense.



Skip It, Skip It!

- Skip the word ("skip it, skip it")
- Read to the end of the sentence.
- "Hop back" and read it, read it.



Look at the Pictures!

 Look at the pictures for clues to help figure out the word.



Flip the vowel sound!

- Try the other vowel sound if it doesn't sound right.
- Flip a short sound into a long sound or vice versa.