





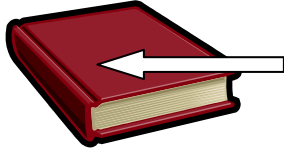


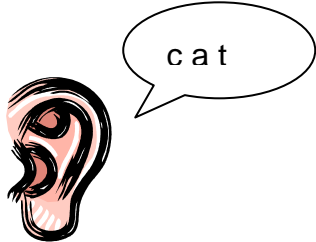











Kindergarten Language Arts Vocabulary

1 st Nine Weeks			
alphabet		The letters we use to write words	<i>"A" is the first letter of the <u>alphabet</u>.</i>
name		A word that you call someone by	<i>My <u>name</u> is Sam.</i>
book		Something to read	<i>I am reading a <u>book</u> about a frog.</i>
write		To put words on something	<i>You <u>write</u> on a piece of paper.</i>
uppercase letter		Capital letters	<i>I begin my name with an <u>uppercase letter</u>.</i>
lowercase letter		Small letters	<i>Most words are written with <u>lowercase letters</u>.</i>

book cover		The front of the book	The <u>book cover</u> tells us the title.
title		A name given to something	The <u>title</u> of the book is <u>Little Red Hen</u> .
ideas		Something that you think of	I had a great <u>idea</u> for my journal!
2nd Nine Weeks			
letter sound		A noise a printed mark used to spell words makes	What <u>letter sounds</u> do you hear in the word cat?
word		A thing that we use when we talk or write	I found a <u>word</u> I could read.
author		The person who writes a book	Dr. Seuss is a wonderful <u>author</u> .

retell		To tell again	<i>She was able to retell the story she heard.</i>
rhyme		Words or parts of words that end in the same sound	<i>Cat and hat are two words that rhyme.</i>
draw		To make a picture of something	<i>I like to draw my idea before I write it.</i>
3rd Nine Weeks			
poem		A kind of writing that uses words in a special way	<i>We read a poem in the pocket chart.</i>
story		Something that you tell someone	<i>My teacher read us a great story!</i>
listen		To hear in a careful way	<i>I have to listen to my teacher.</i>

4th Nine Weeks

word family	-at	Chunks that have many rhyming words	<i>Cat, fat, hat, and rat are part of the -at <u>word family</u>.</i>
follow directions		Obey an instruction or order	<i>It is important to <u>follow directions</u> when cooking.</i>