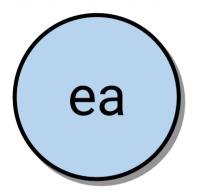


The Great Plum

Grow Your Phonics Skills!

Look for the vowel team



Try these decodable words! See page 15 for more.

great

ready

New Vocabulary

leapt: to jump over

tire: to need rest

Let's Read!

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The Great Plum



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Great Fox watched one large plum on the tree every day. He called it the great plum!

"Is the great plum ready for breakfast?" Great Fox said to Cub.



"Dad, you will tire yourself out watching the great plum!" Cub said. "You should take a break and rest your head," he said.

Great Fox took a heavy breath.



"A break? I need to steady the great plum in the wind. Or it might break off the branch instead. I need to be ready to catch it!" Great Fox said.



"Okay, Dad. I just think a break would be good for your health,"
Cub said.

Great Fox kept his head turned to the great plum.

Cub looked on with dread.



The next day, Great Fox leapt up to see the great plum.

"Is it ready now?" Great Fox asked Cub.

They turned their heads to the plum tree.



At last, the great plum was ripe!

It was ready for breakfast!

Great Fox leapt up and sang out loud.

Cub licked his lips instead.



Great Fox cut the great plum and dealt out the slices.

"Now, this is a great plum!" Great Fox said.

Cub nodded his head.





Phonics Fun

Write 2 words you know that will help you remember ea words with a short e sound and ea words with a long a sound.



Comprehension

What can be learned about Great Fox's actions that can help you in your life?



Decodable Words

break health
breakfast heavy
breath instead
dealt leapt
dread ready
great steady
head



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