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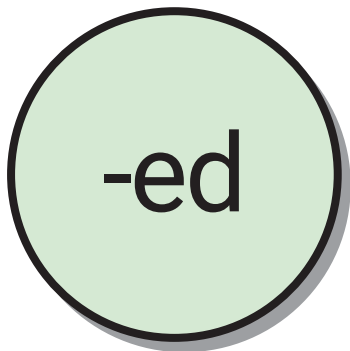
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# Grow Your Phonics Skills!

Look for the inflectional ending



Try these decodable words!

See [page 15](#) for more.

cracked

thrilled

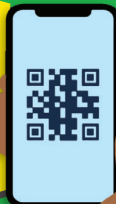
## New Vocabulary

**pant:** to breathe fast after moving around

**soccer:** a team sport where players try to get the ball in a goal without using their arms or hands

## Let's Read!

Scan the QR code  
to watch a fun 2-minute  
video about the book.



Rick and Shaq are pals. They are thrilled to play soccer.

"We haven't played or kicked for a bit," Rick said.

They jumped and cracked up.



They loved to play. Shaq kicked the ball.

Rick panted. Then he kicked the ball back to Shaq.

Shaq jumped over the ball. They yelled and played.



They kicked and jumped. Then it looked like rain.

“No!” said Rick.



Shaq and Rick wanted to play.  
This is not what they liked!

They liked when they kicked,  
jumped, and passed the ball.

"I wish we liked to play in the  
rain," said Shaq.





"It can stop now," Shaq added.

"Look! The sun! I'm shocked!" Rick yelled.

They jumped up and bumped fists.



They ran back and played. Rick kicked the ball to Shaq. They passed and kicked the ball a lot. They cracked up when Rick rolled on the grass.



Shaq and Rick strolled back. They loved when they kicked and played.

“We can play any day!” Rick yelled.

Rick liked Shaq being his pal.

“Let’s play tomorrow!” Shaq yelled.





## Phonics Fun

- Choose a book you can read.
- Write down words you see that have the inflectional ending -ed.



## Comprehension

What would you change if you wrote the book?



## Decodable Words

added	passed
bumped	played
cracked	rolled
jumped	shocked
kicked	strolled
liked	thrilled
looked	wanted
loved	yelled
panted	



## High Frequency Words

any

they











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in English and Spanish



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Decodable Set: 20

Skill: Inflectional Endings

Three Sounds of -ed

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