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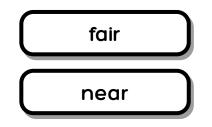
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### Grow Your PNONICS Skills!

Look for the r-controlled



Try these decodable words! See <u>page 15</u> for more.



#### New Vocabulary

airport: a station where people get on and off of airplanes

**prairie:** a grassy land without many trees

### Let's Read!

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



Once a year we visit my dear grandma. We live near the mountains. She lives on a prairie. We take an airplane from the nearest airport to get there!



It's not fair to wait all year. But the time is near!

I get a haircut. I pack my nicest earrings, pairs of shoes, and best pairs of pants. I pack my earplugs for the airplane.



We drive to the nearest airport. We go up so many steps I get weary! I hear airplanes flying nearby. I used to have a fear of flying, but not this year!



Then I hear them say, "The airplane is here!"

But it needs some repairs. So our airplane is late. That's not fair! I wait in the chair, filled with despair.

After what seems like a year, our airplane is ready!



The pilot has short hair and a beard. He waves from his fancy chair. I stare at an airplane worker's gear. He is making one more repair.



We sit in a chair at the rear of the airplane. I hear a lotof noise. Then we are in the air! The sky is so clear. A few clouds appear. I bite into my pear for a snack. Is that Grandma's airport? We must be near!



"Prepare the landing gear," I hear the pilot say.

Oh dear, here we are! We walk down the stairs and Grandma appears. She cries happy tears.

"It's the best time of year," Grandma says. "I'm taking my best pair of grandkids to the prairie."



#### Phonics Fun

- Use the list of words in the book.
- Partner 1 reads a word.
- Partner 2 writes the word.
- Switch.

#### Comprehension

What can be learned about the girl's actions that can help you in your life?

Decodable Words

air airplane airport appear beard chair clear dear despair earplug earring fair fear gear hair

A B C D

> haircut hear nearby pair prairie rear repair stair stare tear

weary year



Scan the QR code for a phonics lesson in English and Spanish



**The Big Trip** Decodable Set: 48 Skills: Long a Vowel r, Long e Vowel r

