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Clara's Curiosity & Her Foxy Friends

5 Ways to Make Learning Sight Words Easier for Your Kids

- 🐾 **Tip 1:** Expose your child to sight words early on.
—*“Putting these key words in context advances it from sight word to comprehension of the given word in sentence structure.”*
- 🐾 **Tip 2:** Make read-alouds more interactive.
—*There are many research papers written about the mental value of teaching and learning while play in outdoor settings.*
- 🐾 **Tip 3:** Engage all of their senses.
—*This is compounded when experiencing nature*
- 🐾 **Tip 4:** Sort sight words into categories.
—*See bonus materials of listing of sight words*
- 🐾 **Tip 5:** Read and play with sight words daily.
—*“We need to find many ways to bring real joy and play into learning for our young learners.”*

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How many fry words should a third grader know?

It is recommended that: The first 100 fry words, considered the most frequently occurring in the English language, should be mastered in Grade 1. The fry second 100 sight words should be mastered in 2nd Grade. The third 100 words should be mastered in Grade 3.

***Clara's Curiosity & Her Foxy Friends* contains at total of 224 fry sight words within the story.**