



Book 20: Nat Sits

New Words

fit - Decodable

Nat - Decodable

Plot Summary

One day Nat the Baby Kangaroo falls out of his mother's pouch and hops off on his own. Mama Kangaroo does not know her baby is missing until she goes to show him to Sam. When Sam finds Nat hopping along with Sis, Mama Kangaroo is very happy. She makes sure that her baby will not get lost again.

Story Questions (Comprehension)

1. page 1: Where does Nat the Baby Kangaroo sit?
2. page 2: What happened to Nat?
3. page 5: Who does Mama Kangaroo meet?
4. page 9: How does Mama Kangaroo feel when she discovers that her baby is missing?
5. page 14: Why is Mama Kangaroo happy?

Each new word throughout the program is repeated at least five times in the book in which it first appears and five more times in the next ten books.

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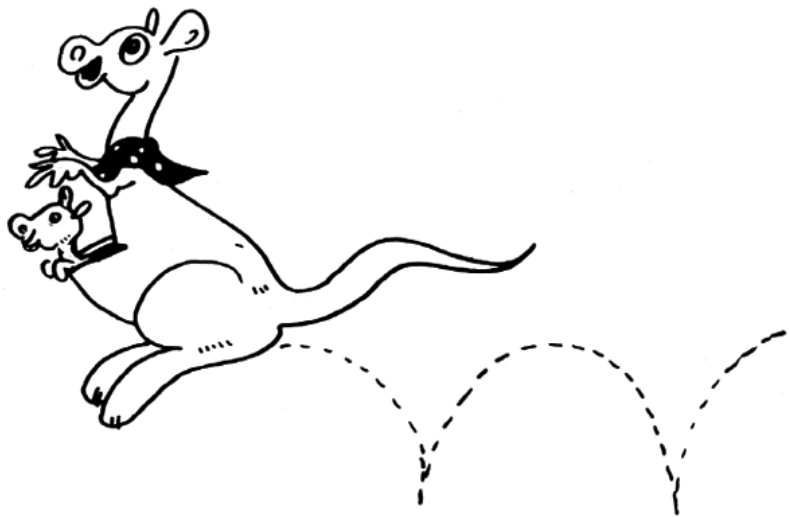
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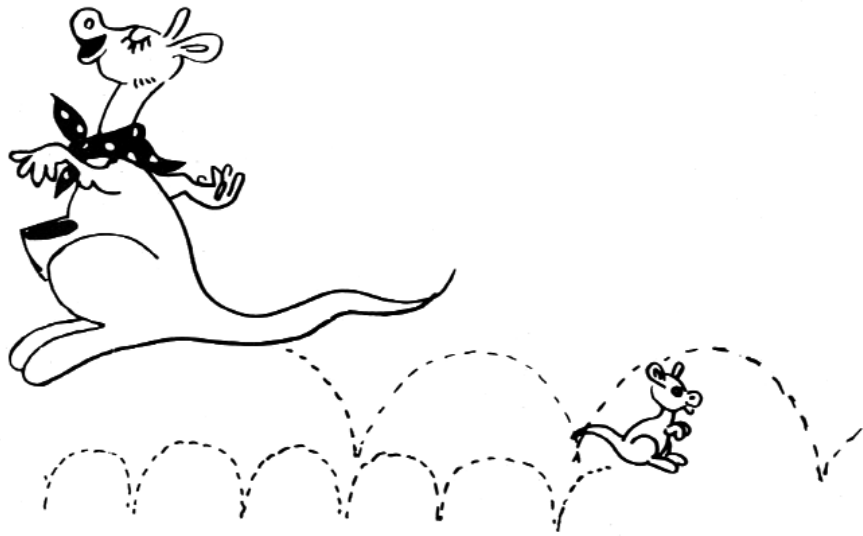
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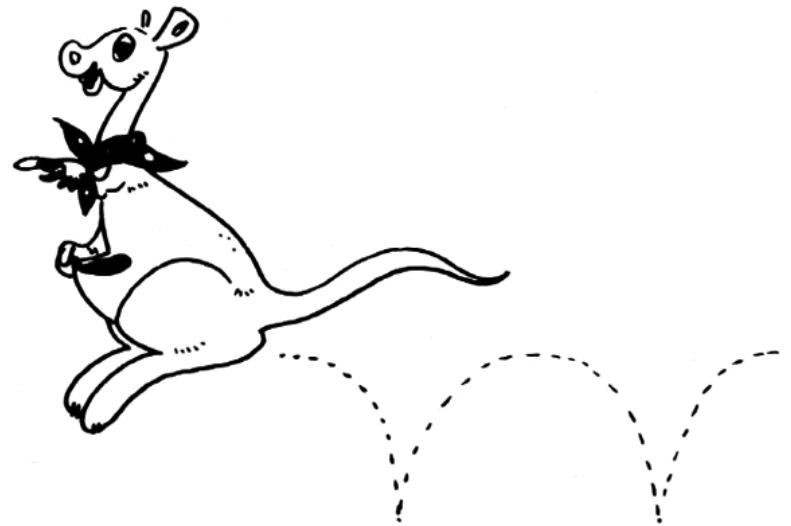
“See Nat.
Nat sits.
Nat fits.”



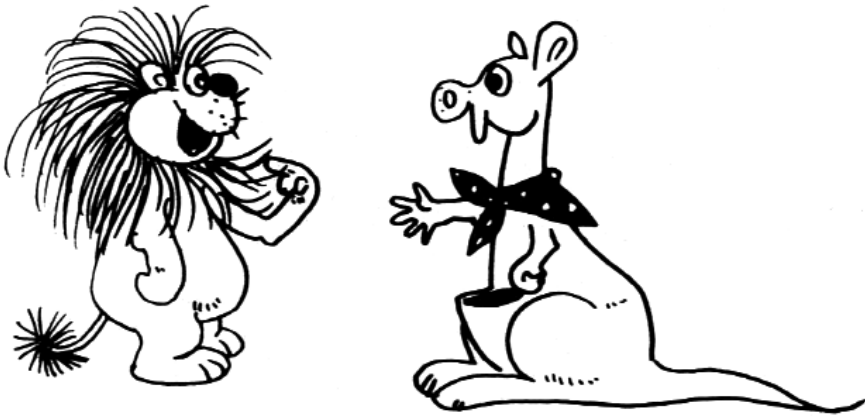
Nat fell.



“We will meet Sam.”



“Sam will see Nat and me.”



“Meet me.
I am Sam.”



“Meet Nat.
Nat sits.
Nat fits.”



“Nat! Nat!
Nat sits in this.
Nat fits in this.”



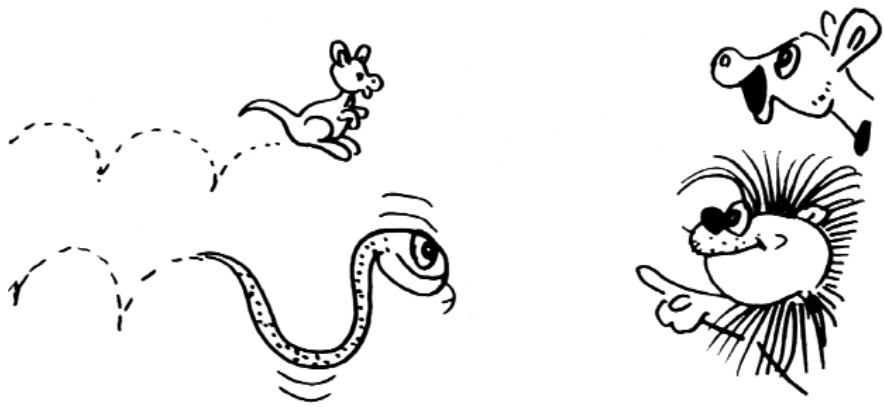
“See that!
Nat fell.”



“Sam, will I see Nat?”



“See Sis.
Is that Nat with Sis?”



“That is Nat!
That is Nat with Sis.”



“Nat will sit.
Nat will fit.”



“See that!
Nat sits and fits.”



“This is Nat.
See Nat and me.”