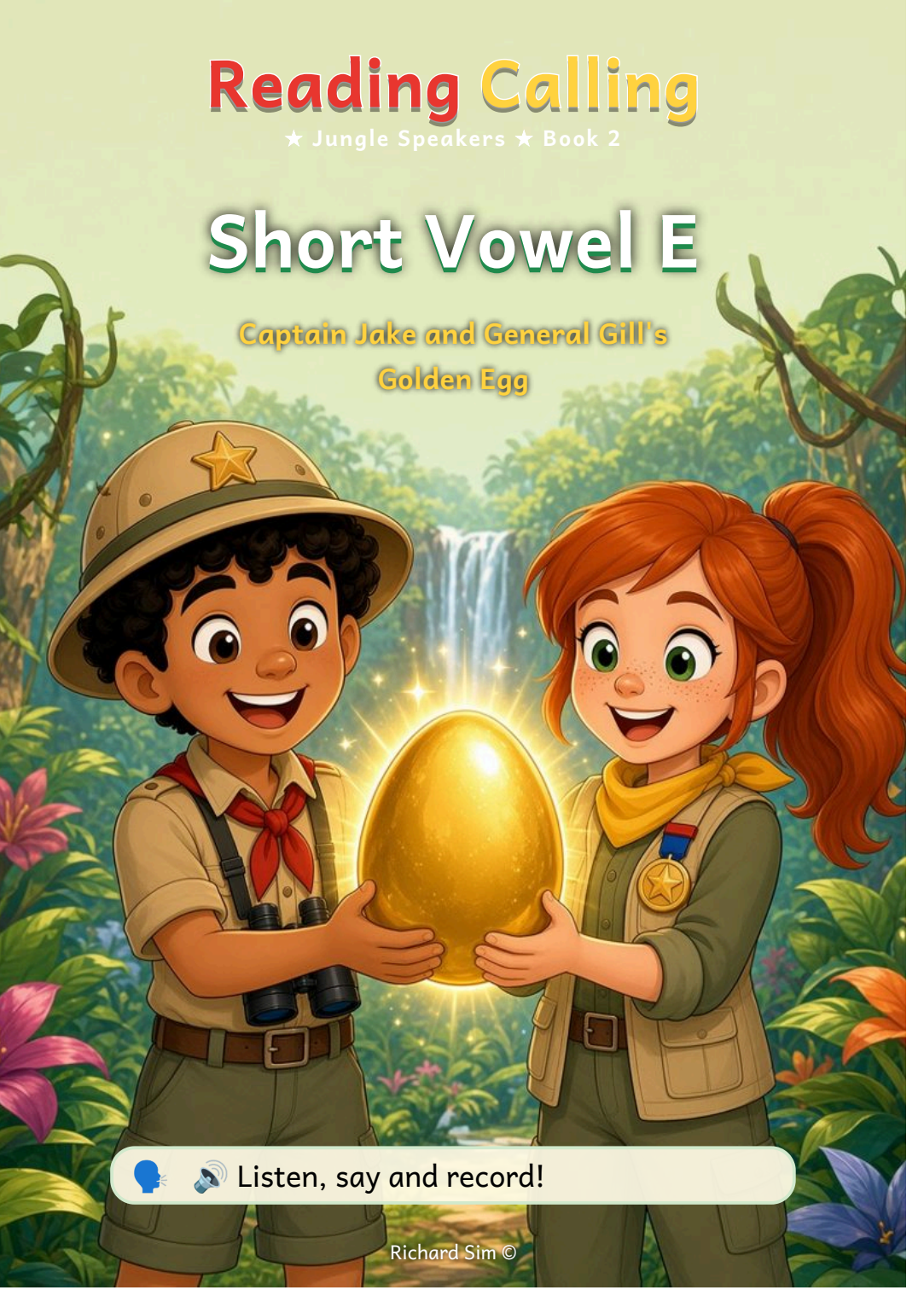
Reading Calling

★ Jungle Speakers ★ Book 2

Short Vowel E

Captain Jake and General Gill's Golden Egg



🗣️ 🔊 Listen, say and record!

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Meet the Crew!



Captain Jake

🗣️ Hi! I am Jake. I have a **red** scarf on my **neck**.



General Gill

🗣️ Hi! I am Gill. I **get** the **best** ideas!



Hetty

🗣️ I am **Hetty**. I am a **red hen**!

Short **e** says **/e/** ...

🗣️ e... e... **egg**, **hen**!



👂 Listen. 🗣️ Say it. 🎤 Record. ▶ Compare!

Listen and Repeat 1

Say each word 3 times: **e – gg, egg!**



egg



hen



nest



web



red



wet



Keep it short: /e/ as in egg — not "ee".

Listen and Repeat 2

Say each word 3 times: **e – gg, egg!**



leg



tent



bed



step



get



help



Keep it short: /e/ as in egg — not "ee".



SAY THE SENTENCE

1. The Trek Begins

Captain Jake and General Gill are in the jungle.

Jake has a **red** scarf on his **neck**.

Gill **gets** out the map.

"The golden **egg** is in the **west**!"

"**Let's** go!" **yells** Jake.

Where is the golden egg? Turn the page!



SAY THE SENTENCE

2. Splash!

They come to a pond.

Jake **steps** on a log. It is **wet**!

Splash! Jake **fell** in!

His **legs** are **wet**.

Gill **helps** him up. "**Get** up, Jake!"

Poor Jake! Will they go on?



SAY THE SENTENCE

3. Big Tracks

Gill sees big tracks on the path.

"An **elephant went** this way!"

Jake looks with his binoculars.

A little **elephant** peeks out.

It is a **friend**!



A friend on the path!



SAY THE SENTENCE

4. The Big Web

- A big **web** is on the path.
- A little spider sits in the **web**.
- Gill **bends** down low.
- Jake **steps left**. **Step**, **step**!
- They **get** past the **web**.

Past the web — what next?



SAY THE SENTENCE

5. Help the Hen

They meet a **red hen** called **Hetty**.

Her **nest fell** down. She is upset.

"We can **help**!" says Gill.

They **mend** the **nest** with sticks.

"Thanks! I can **help** you **get** the **egg**!"



Hetty will help them find the egg!



SAY THE SENTENCE

6. The Golden Egg

Hetty takes them to a stone ledge.

In a nest is the golden egg!

It is the best egg ever!

Gill gets the egg.

Jake and Hetty jump. "Yes! Yes!"



They found it!



SAY THE SENTENCE

7. Back at the Tent

At sunset, they go back to the **tent**.

The **egg** sits on a **red bed**.

Hetty flaps and **pecks** the air.

"We did it!" **yells** Jake.

Ten out of **ten**, **explorers**!

The End! Now tell the story.

Picture Talk 1



❓ What can you see?

💬 I can see a **wet** pond.

❓ Did Jake get wet?

💬 Yes! Jake **fell** in. His **legs** are **wet**.

❓ Who helps Jake?

💬 Gill **helps** him up.

Ask a friend. Then swap!

Picture Talk 2



❓ What can you see?

💬 I can see the golden **egg** in a **nest**.

❓ Who gets the egg?

💬 Gill **gets** the **egg**.

❓ Is it a good egg?

💬 Yes! It is the **best egg ever**!

Ask a friend. Then swap!

Role-Play: Jake and Gill



Child A = **Jake** · Child B = **Gill**



Jake: Help, Gill! The golden **egg** is in the **west**!

Gill: Let's go! I can **get** the map.

Jake: Splash! I **fell** in. My **legs** are **wet**!

Gill: **Get** up, Jake. I can **help** you.

Jake: Look! A **red hen**. Her **nest fell** down.

Gill: We can **mend** the **nest**. Then we can **get** the **egg**!



Use a big voice and act it out!

Tongue Twister!



🗣️ **Hetty** the **red hen helps mend** the **nest**.

🗣️ Then **Hetty gets** the **best egg** in the **west**!

🗣️ 🐢 Slow… then 🚀 FAST!



Say it 3 times. Faster each time!

Jungle Chant 🎵

🗣️ **Step**, **step**, **step** in the **west**!

🗣️ **Help** the **hen** **mend** her **nest**.

🗣️ **Red** **egg**, **wet** **leg**, **get** the map,

🗣️ **Yes**, **yes**, **yes** — **ten** out of **ten**!

🗣️ 🎵 Whole chant

👏 Clap on every red word!



Stand up and do the actions.

Hear the Difference!

Smile a little for short /e/, as in egg.

pen	vs	pan
bed	vs	bad
net	vs	nut
beg	vs	bag
set	vs	sat

🎧 Listen: pen / pan · bed / bad · net / nut · beg / bag · set / sat



Teacher says one word – child points!

Mission: Show and Tell 🌟



Find a short **e** thing at home: a **pen**, a **red** thing, a toy **hen** or an **egg**.

🗣️ This is my **pen**.

🗣️ It is **red**.

🗣️ I can **get** my **pen**!

Hold it up and say 3 sentences. Record and play it for your family!

Change the word: bed, tent, egg...

Speaking Certificate

Short Vowel E · The Golden Egg

This award goes to

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can say short **e** words, tell the jungle story, and say a tongue twister and a chant!







🗣️ Well done, explorer! Mission complete!

Teacher: _____ Date: _____

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