**Go Phonics** short vowel readers: “The Fat Cat” and “Jack’s Cap” provide the decodable reading practice for applying each explicit phonics lesson. They build on the short vowel sounds, digraphs, and trigraphs.

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Dick kicks fast.  
He hits Chip on the shins.  
Chip has to go in.
Masks
and Shin Pads

are he for you have

Dick and Chip are pals.
They kick, and kick,
and kick.

Chip kicks fast.
He hits Dick on the chin.
Dick has to go in.
Dad has a mask for Dick.
If Dick is hit on the chin
he can grin.