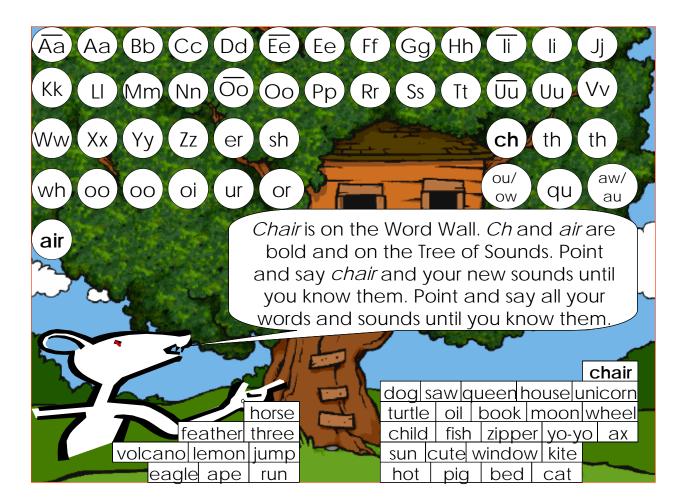
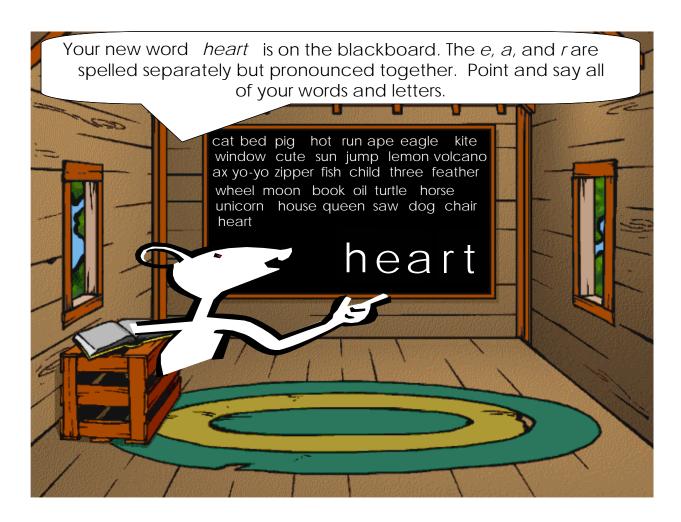
## Lesson Thirty-four: Heart—h- e- a- r- t



#### Coach's Corner:

Point and say all of Mat's instructions. After following all Mat's instructions, have your student pay special attention to the *air* sound in *chair*. The *air* sound is made up of three letters.

Remember that the *air* sound in *chair* is used in these common words: *air*, *fair*, *hair*, *pair*, and *stair*. The *air* sound in *chair* is also spelled *ar* as in *parent* and spelled *are* as in *care*. The *air* sound spelled *ar* is found in: *library*, *canary*, and *parent*. The *air* sound spelled *are* is found in *beware*, *care*, *share*, *careful*, *rare*, and *stare*. Use the flash cards to help your student learn these new words by sight. Sound out each word on the cards, and break *library*, *canary*, and *careful* into syllables to help pronounce them.

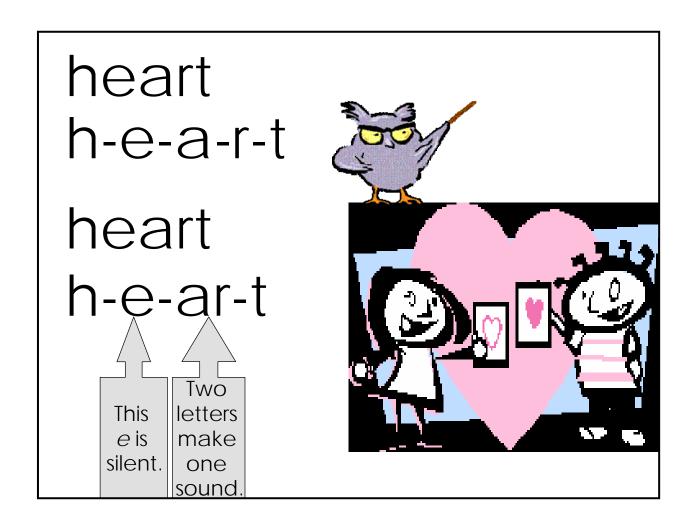


Be sure to point and say all of Mat's instructions.

Your student's new word, *heart*, has the spelling of *a* and *r*. The two letters make the sound *ar*. At this point, focus on the spelling, and the sounding will be presented on the next page.

The ar in heart is used in these common words: are, arm, army, art, card, yard, car, jar, far, and star.

Make flash cards for these words. Have your student sound out each of these words on the flash cards as the words are learned by sight.



## Mat's prompt:

Spelling is how we see a word on the page. Sounding is how we say it. Point and say the first word *heart*. Now point and say each letter. Point and say the second word *heart*. Now point and say each sound. The *ar* forms a single sound. Repeat this until you know the word, its letters, and its sounds.

Be sure to do Hootie's two prompts: "This *e* is silent." and "Two letters make one sound."

# She's My Mommy!

I love candy; I love dogs;

I think it's dandy. I think they're handy.





But I love her with all my heart, And she loves me with her big heart.



She's my mommy!

#### Coach's Corner:

Mat's prompt:

Point and say the words all the way through. Now point and say the words line by line. Point and say *heart* each time it appears. Point and say each line with expression. Point out the *ar* in *heart*.

Ask your student why there is an exclamation mark after "She's my mommy!" How does this mark affect the way your student should read the sentence? What does the word *heart* mean here? What is another meaning for the word *heart*? How many people can a person love?

Can your student find the contraction in this reading?

Our Hearts May Never Part

My first love was my mother,

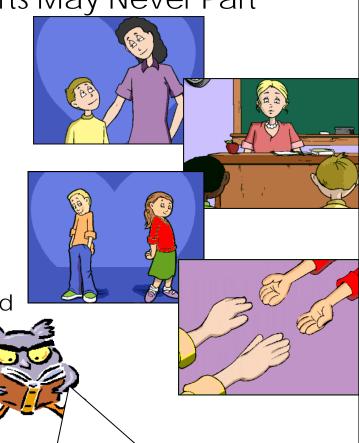
And my second was my teacher,

But Helen Ruth stole my heart.

I love her more than any other.

If I stretch out my hand to reach her,

Our hearts may never part.

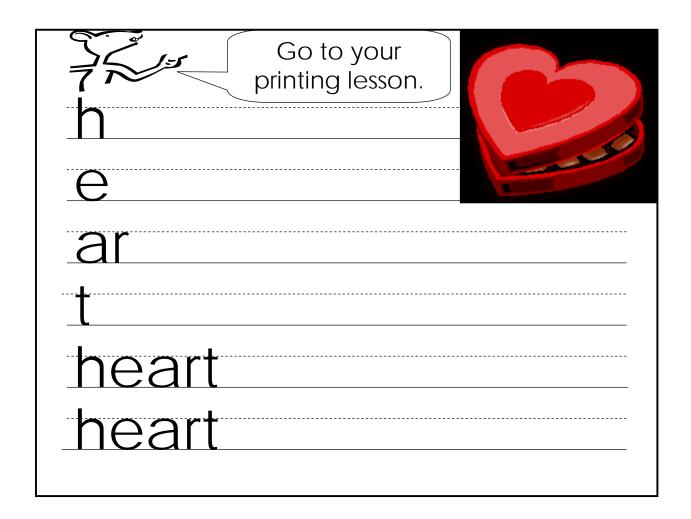


#### Coach's Corner:

Point and say the words all the way through. Now point and say the words line by line. Point and say heart each time it appears. Point and say each line with expression. Point and read Hootie's song. The song is on the software CD. My Bonnie lies over the ocean;
My Bonnie lies over the sea.
My Bonnie lies over the ocean;
So bring back my Bonnie to me.
Bring back, bring back,
Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me, to me.

Bring back, bring back, Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me!

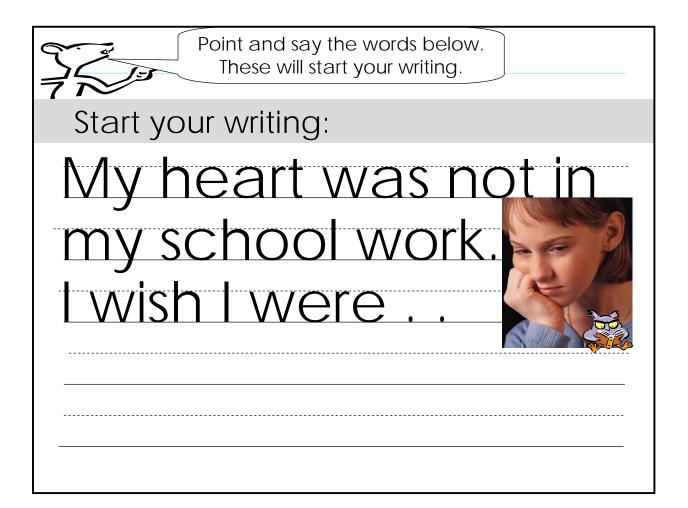
Help your student understand the poem and the song. What do the poem and Hootie's song have in common? How long can love last? How far can love reach?



The numbers to practice writing now are 3 and 4.

Put the printing in the folder and go to the next page.

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Imagination is important to good writing. This sentence starter opens the door to the imagination by using the word *wish*. Other words that help are *dream, think, imagine,* and *remember*.

Things to remember: Encourage the use of the dictionary, but misspellings are OK, and spelling for your student is OK. Take an editorial stance on beginning capitals, end marks, commas, quotation marks, and *s*, *es*, and *ies* plurals. Provide an audience for all writings. Be sure that all the printing and writing papers are in the file.

#### Forward!