

# The hens



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Text in small print to be read by the teacher.

This book practices the sound

**ch**

Here are some new words that you can sound out.

feeds

cheep

**Introduction:**

This book is not really a story book. It tells us about hens. Let's read and learn.



Tom has ten hens.

The hens can run.

Tom feeds the hens.

The hens can see the  
food.

The hens run to the  
food.

Peck, peck, peck.

feeds

The hens cluck.

cluck

cluck

cluck



cluck

The hens go to sleep in the nest box.



Pam can see an egg in  
the nest box.

The hen sits on the egg.

A chick is in the egg.



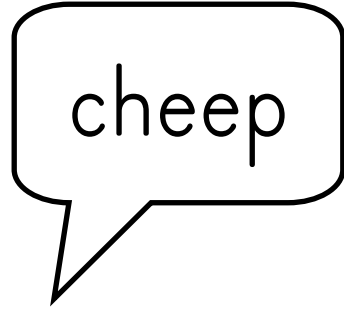
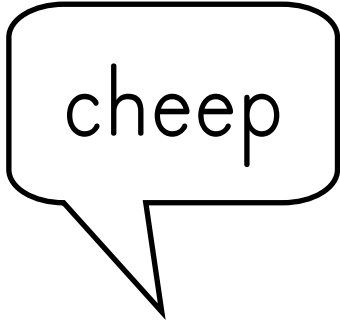


Soon Pam can see six  
eggs.

The hen sits on the  
eggs.



Soon Pam can see six  
chicks.



cheep

The chicks peck the  
food.



Pam is glad to have six  
chicks.