

# VC/CV

## Compound Words with Closed (C) & Closed (C) Syllables

The vowel consonant/consonant vowel is the first syllable pattern to be introduced in conjunction with the open and closed syllable type. Using compound words can be a good way to bridge from monosyllabic words to multisyllabic words.

Example:

Decode:

Cl	Cl
b a t h	t u b
v c	c v

Encode:

b a t h t u b

sunset

Batman

catfish

upset

bobcat

cannot

dishpan

cancan

sunlit

upshot

bathtub

bedbug

suntan

catnip

pigpen

inlet

sunfish

cashbox

Please note:

If there are more than two consonants, look for known digraphs. Underline and label them as one consonant.

