Listen and Match Rhyming Words

Adult answer and listening guide.

Read aloud and listen to the ending

Rhymes have matching sounds from the last stressed vowel to the end. Talk about sounds, not matching first letters. A grown-up may read every word; independent reading is not needed.

1. cat rhymes with hat.
2. fox rhymes with box.
3. sun rhymes with run.
4. sit rhymes with fit.

5. fish and dish
6. log and dog

An extra rhyme for cat

Accept a spoken rhyme such as bat, mat, rat or sat. Ask the child to say both words. The ending sound matters; spelling alone is not the test. Support the child’s usual spoken variety of English.