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INTRO

Whether you're a teacher who's on your way to school to work with kids and you're leaning into the science of reading movement, or you're on your way to tutor some great kids who are struggling with learning to read and spell well, or you're a parent who'd like to learn to better equip and inspire your children from home, the *On Your Way* podcast is for you.

I'm Dr. Christina Williams, and I'm your host.

BUILDING BLOCK #5a-

What Would it Say if We Got Rid of the First or *Initial* Sound?

In this first game, you are going to stretch some words out again, but THIS time, you're going to challenge your kids to figure out what the word would be if we sound.

Ask:

What part of your body is in the word *farm*, without the first sound? (arm)

What do you have two of that is in the word *tears*, without the first sound? (ears)

What do you do at dinnertime that is in the word *feet*, without the first sound? (eat)

What might you eat for breakfast that is in the word *legs*, without the first sound? (eggs)

What color is in the word *bread*, without the first sound? (red)

What did I do with the ball that comes from the name *Scott*, without the first sound? (caught)

What do I do when I'm in a hurry that comes from the word *brush*, without the first sound? (rush)

What do we breathe that comes from the word *care*, without the first sound? (air)

What do you see with that comes from the word *shy*, without the first sound? (eye)

With whom might you play soccer that comes from the word *steam*, without the first sound?
(team)

BUILDING BLOCK #5b-

What Would it Say if We Got Rid of the Last or *Final* Sound?

In this second game, you are going to stretch some words out again, but THIS time, you're going to challenge your kids to figure out what the word would be if they eliminate the final, or last, sound.

Say:

Think of the word *hair*.

What do horses eat that comes from the word *hair* without the final sound? (hay)

Think of the word *goat*.

What is something that you do in a car that comes from the word *goat* without the final sound? (go)

Think of the word *plate*.

What is something that you do outside that comes from the word *plate* without the final sound? (play)

Think of the word *toast*.

What is something that you can touch that comes from the word *toast* without the final sound? (toes)

Think of the word *fork*.

What is a number that comes from the word *fork* without the final sound? (four)

Think of the word *type*.

What might you do to your shoes that comes from the word *type* without the final sound? (tie)

Think of the word *boat*.

What might a girl wear that comes from the word *boat* without the final sound? (bow)

Think of the word *belly*.

What rings that comes from the word *belly* without the final sound? (bell)

Think of the word *treat*.

What grows very tall that comes from the word *treat* without the final sound? (tree)

Think of the word *keep*.

What might you use for a lock that comes from the word *keep* without the final sound? (key)

Think of the word *next*.

What do we all have that comes from the word *next* without the final sound? (necks)

Think of the word *shoot*.

What do you wear of your foot that comes from the word *shoot* without the final sound? (shoe)

BUILDING BLOCK #5c-

What Would it Say if We Switched a Middle or *Medial* Sound?

Say:

Think of the word *cat*.

What would it say if we switched the /a/ to /i/?

(kit)

Think of the word *child*.

What would it say if we switched the /eye/ to /i/?

(chilled)

Think of the word *bell*.

What would it say if we switched the /e/ to /o/?

(ball)

Think of the word *smoke*.

What would it say if we switched the /oh/ to /a/?

(smack)

Think of the word *games*.

What would it say if we switched the /m/ to /t/?

(gates)

Think of the word *switches*.

What would it say if we switched the /ch/ to /sh/?

(swishes)

Think of the word *pies*.

What would it say if we switched the /eye/ to /ay/?

(pays)

Think of the word *shapes*.

What would it say if we switched the /p/ to /m/?

(shames)

Think of the word *glad*.

What would it say if we switched the /a/ to /Oh!/?

(glowed)

Think of the word *dribble*.

What would it say if we switched the /b/ to /z/?

(drizzle)

Think of the word *rhymers*.

What would it say if we switched the /m/ to a /t/.

(writer)

Think of the word *candle*.

What would it say if we switched the /d/ to /s/.

(cancel)

OUTRO-

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