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Long a sound (as in make):

a (*with a silent e*) or **ay**

Examples: able (*AY-bul*); break (*brake*)

Short i sound (as in sit): **i** or **ih**

Examples: myth (*mith*); mission (*MIH-shun*)

Long i sound (as in by):

i (*with a silent e*) or **y**

Examples: might (*mite*); bicycle (*BY-sih-kul*)

Keys for the long o sound (as in hope):

o (*with a silent e*) or **oh**

Examples: molten (*MOLE-ten*); ocean (*OH-shen*)

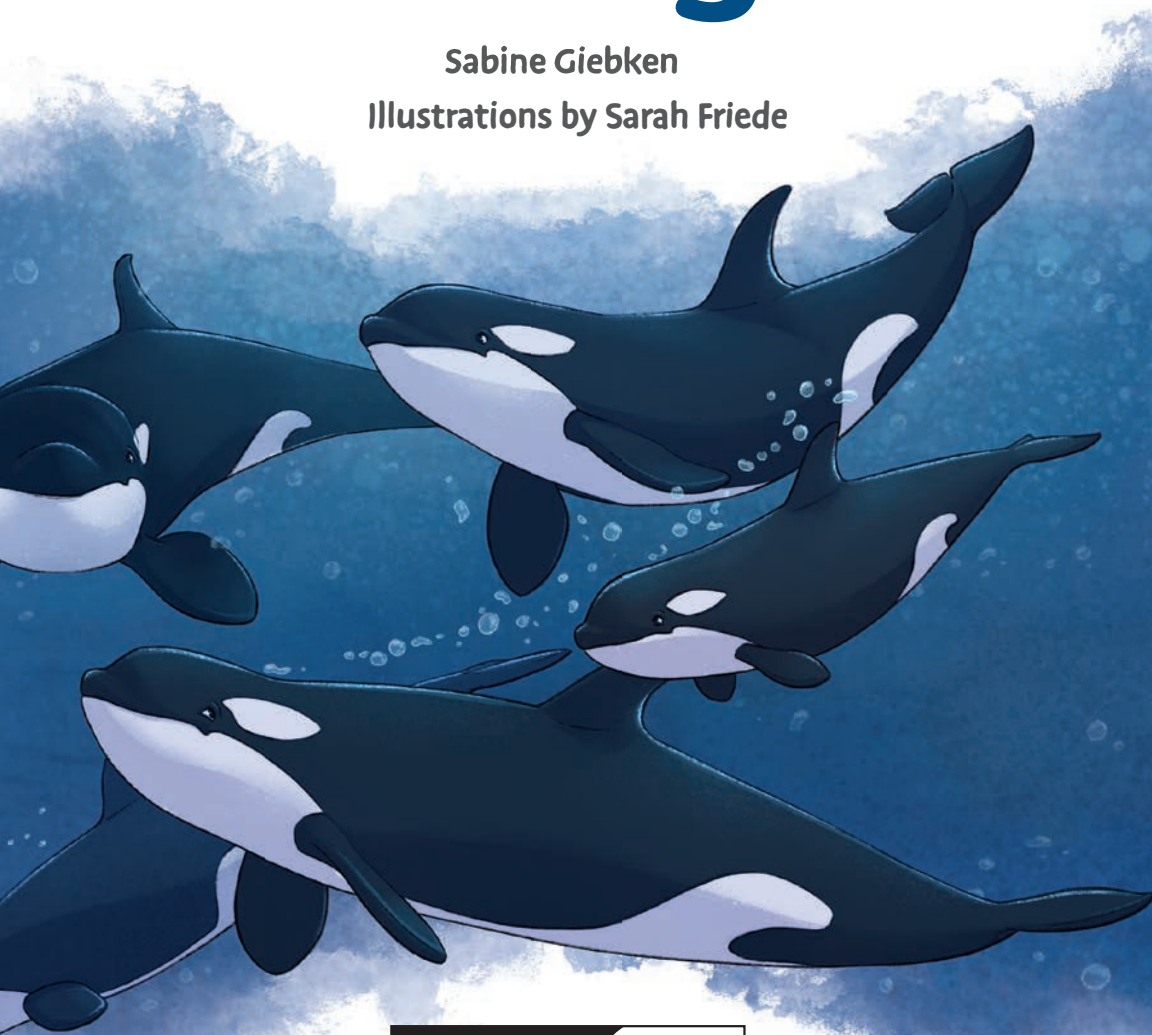
**Codes use dashes between syllables (*SIH-luh-buls*),
and stressed syllables have capital letters.**

For more Code Reader sound keys, see pages 56 and 57.

Orcas *(OR-kuz)* in Danger

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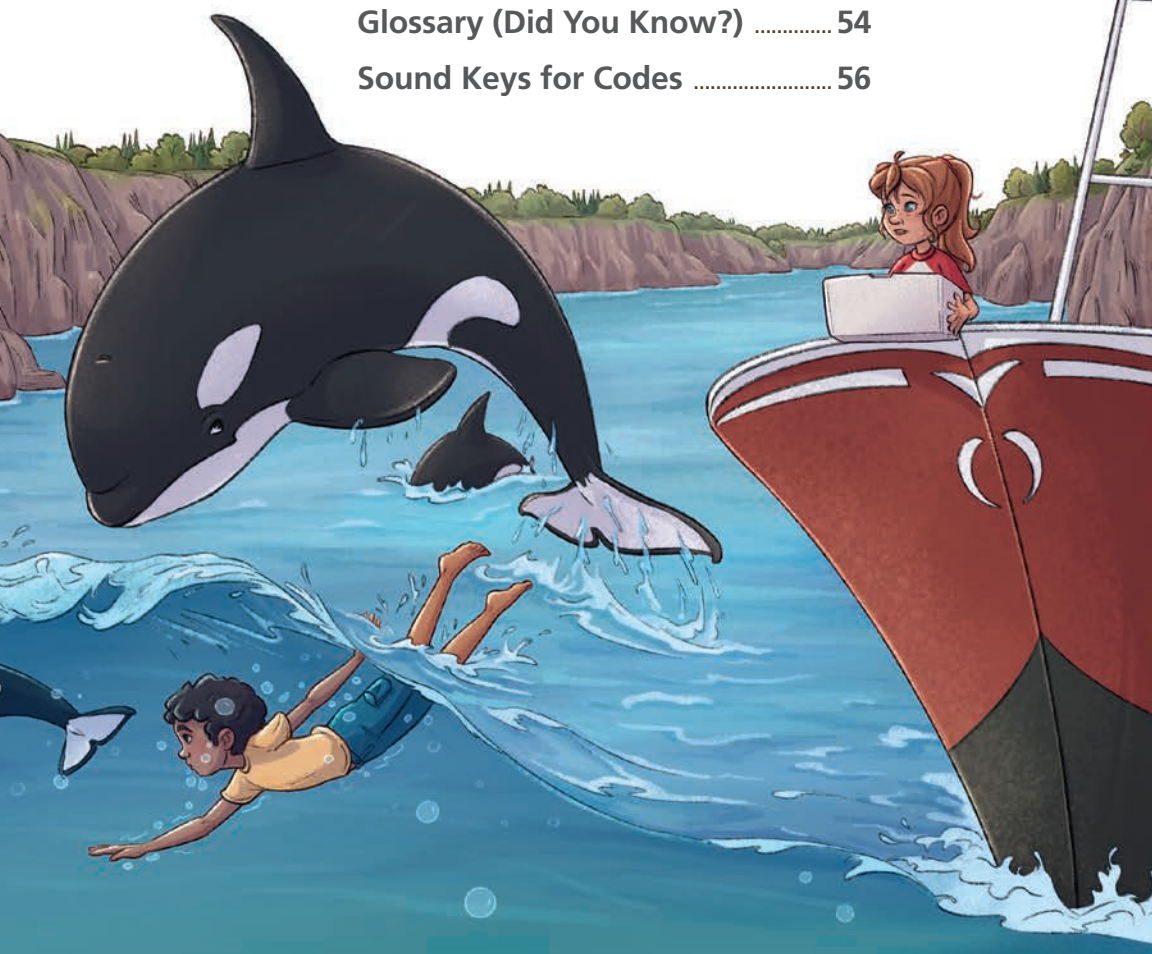
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Black-and-White Friends



Julia (*JOO-lee-uh*) was so excited! She had not seen her cousin (*CUZ-in*), Tim, in such a long time! He and his family moved (*moovd*) last year and now she had to travel by plane to visit them.

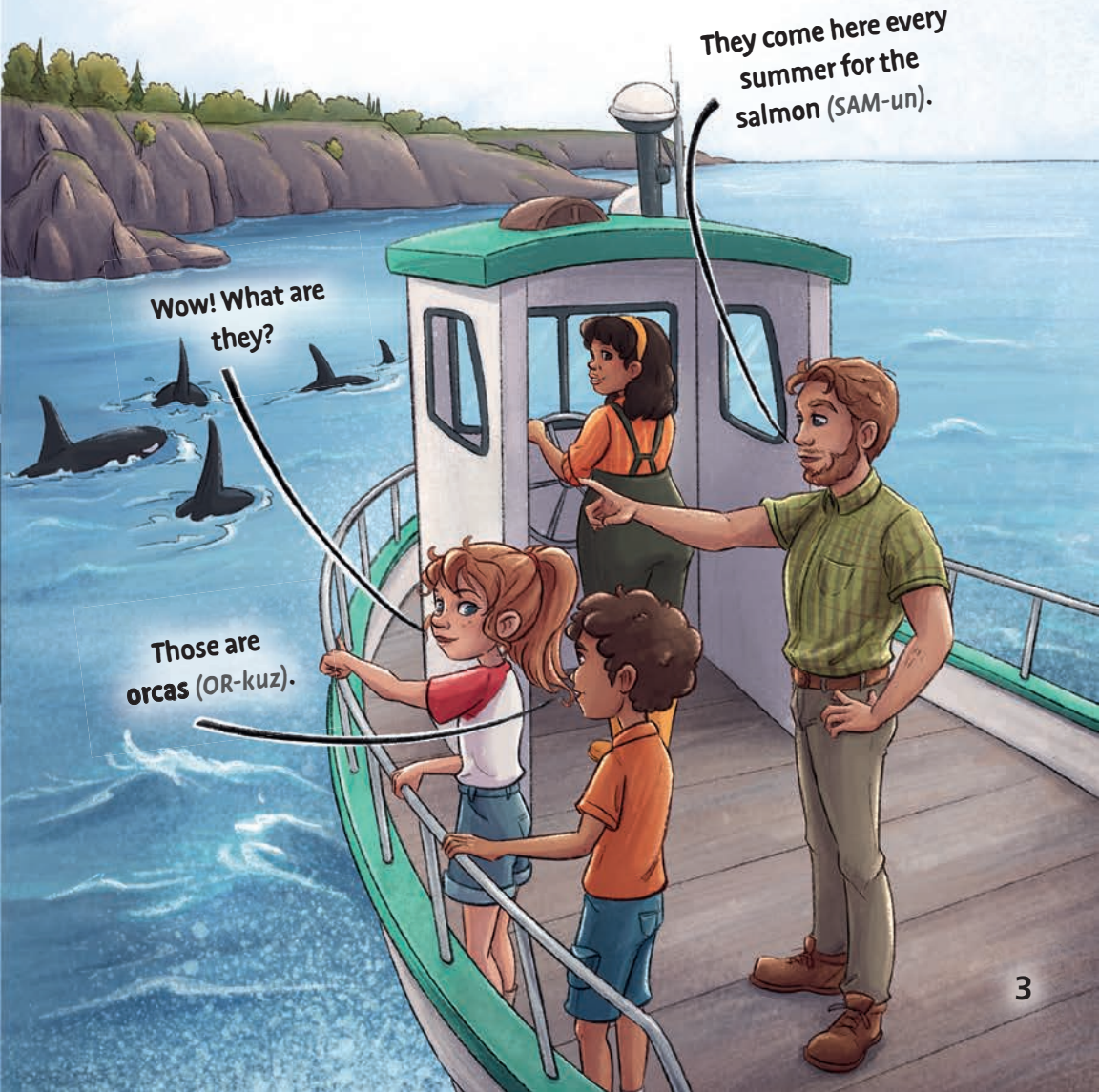


Julia! Over here!

Tim! It's so great to see you!

Tim's family did not have a car. They lived (*livd*) by a harbor and traveled by boat.

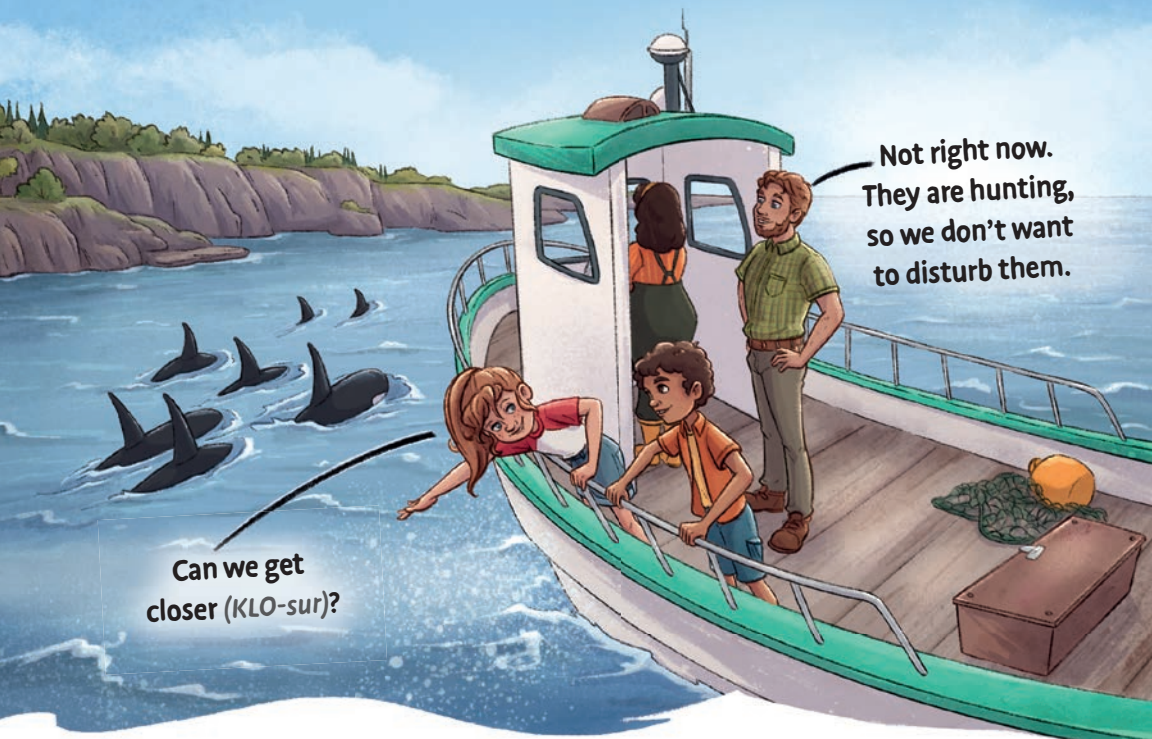
As they made their way home across the water, Julia saw a dark **dorsal** (*DOR-sul*) fin pop up. At first, she thought (*thawt*) it was a shark! Then more fins popped up.



Wow! What are they?

Those are orcas (*OR-kuz*).

They come here every summer for the salmon (*SAM-un*).



Tim's house was small, so Julia would have to sleep on the floor (*flor*) in Tim's room. But she didn't mind. It's fun to have someone (*SUM-wun*) to talk to at night!





Tim and Julia went past the harbor to a path that led between some rocks.

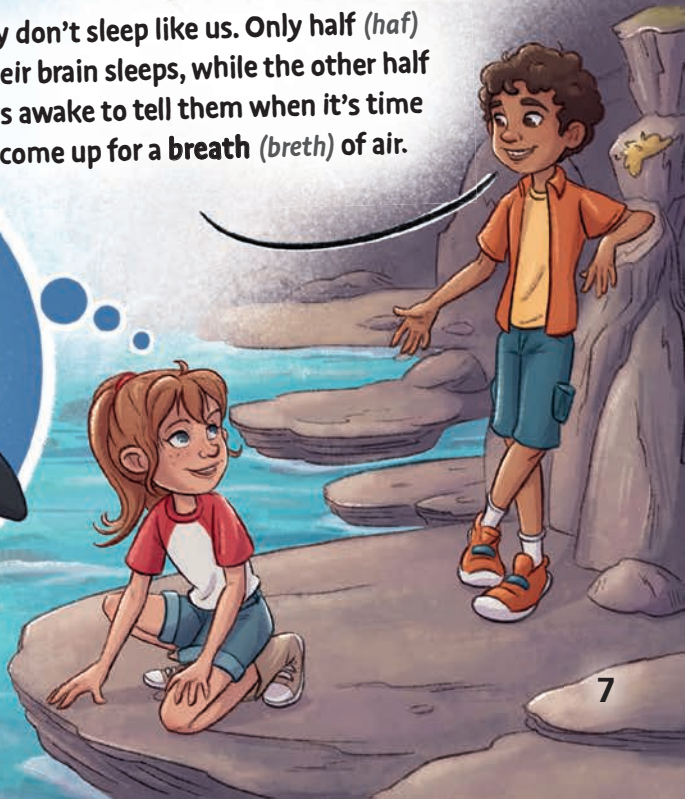


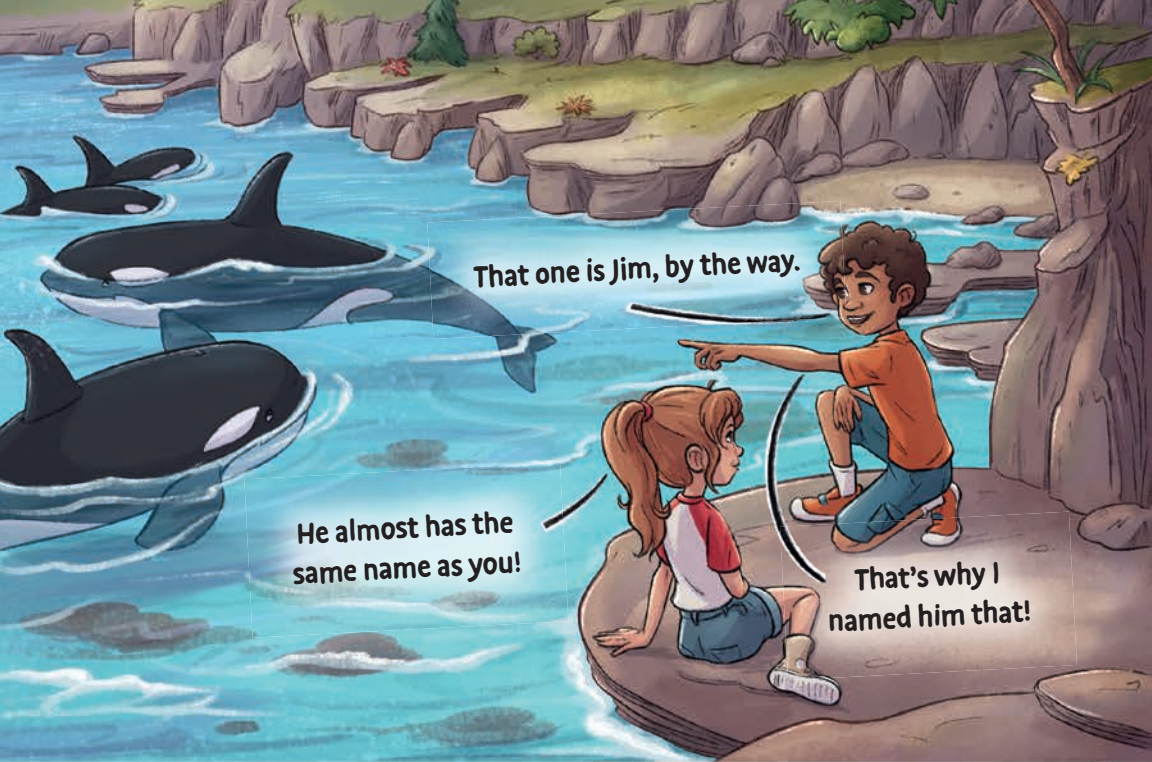
Rock cliffs towered (*TOW-urd*) above a wide path that led to a hidden bay. The water in the bay was so clear that Julia could see the bottom. Splashing about in the water were several enormous (*ee-NOR-mus*), black-and-white orcas!





They don't sleep like us. Only half (*haf*) of their brain sleeps, while the other half stays awake to tell them when it's time to come up for a **breath** (*breth*) of air.





That one is Jim, by the way.

He almost has the same name as you!

That's why I named him that!

Tim gazed at the orca and the orca gazed back at him. It seemed magical (*MAJ-ih-kul*).

Jim and I are friends. I come here to visit him all the time! And one day, I'm going to swim with him in the ocean (*OH-shun*).

You wouldn't (*WÖÖD-int*) dare!

Wanna bet?