

The Magic of Sounds

Vidya: Come Alok, there is going to be a magic show in school today.

Alok: Hey, that is nice!

Vidya: Do you know who is going to perform the

magic tricks/jaadu?

Alok: No!

Vidya: Jagga, the Jadugar!



Vidya, Alok, and Magic Potli are sitting in the front row and watching the magic show.

Jagga Jadugar: Hello children! Today I am going to show you the 'Magic of Sounds'.

He picks up Vidya's magic potli, puts his hand inside and pulls out the Letter Ss.

Jagga Jadugar: We have the Letter Ss, it says /s/. Who can tell me a word starting with /s/?





Alok: (excitedly) Sun! Sand!

Vidya: Sandwich!

Jagga Jadugar: Excellent!

Jagga Jadugar: Hmm, I'm hungry. Let's get

something to eat out of this potli.

He pulls out Letter Aa.

Jagga Jadugar: Letter Aa says /a/, can anyone tell me what I can eat that starts with /a/?

Vidya: Apple!

Jagga Jadugar: Yes! Try more words with /a/.

Vidya: Ant! Astronaut!

Jagga Jadugar: Great!





Jagga Jadugar calls out the Letter Tt.

Jagga Jadugar: (pointing out to Alok) Can you tell me what sound does the Letter Tt make?

Alok: /t/.



Jagga Jadugar: Correct! Now tell me words starting with /t/.

Alok: Train, tap, and table.

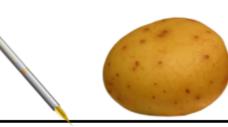


Jagga Jadugar: You are doing great! Now, let's try with Letter Pp. What sound does Letter Pp make?

Vidya: P says /p/ Parrot! Pen! Potato!







Jagga Jadugar moves his magic wand over the hat and a parrot flies

out.



Jagga Jadugar: Alok, If the Letter Ii says /i/, tell me a word starting with the sound /i/.

Alok: (thinking) India! Idli!







Jagga Jadugar: Good! What about Letter Nn that says /n/?

Vidya: (gleefully) Nose, nest, and net.

Jagga Jadugar: Lovely! Now, let me show you some more magic.

He then says /a/ and /t/, and they come dancing. The two sounds blend together to form 'at'.

AT

Vidya: Wow!

Jagga Jadugar: Yes, when two or more sounds combine they form a new word. Ok! Now let us create three-letter words with 'at' by adding another sound to it. (asking the sound) /s/stand before /at/. What do they make?



Vidya: It's Sat!



Jagga Jadugar: Two more sounds please, /i/ and /n/ come dancing and combine to form 'in'. If you put a P in front, it becomes?

Alok: Pin!

Jagga Jadugar: That's right. What a lovely audience. Let's end today's show with some eating and dancing.

Vidya and Alok: Yay! Let's dance to the music!

