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Read for Speed

Read the paragraph below, and have your teacher count the seconds. Write your time in the blank below.

Try to read it in **30 seconds**! If you can't read in 30 seconds, read two more times, and write your times on the blanks below.

Jack sat in a van, and a rat ran in the van.

“Oh no!” said Jack.

Jack's cat ran in the van, and the rat ran out. The cat sat on Jack's lap. Jack had ham for the cat. “Good cat,” said Jack.

Time 1: _____

Time 2: _____

Time 3: _____



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