

**/k/** as in cat

Open and close your hand like a crocodile: c, c, c!

**1** Read each word. Say the /k/ sound clearly.

cat

cap

cup

cab

cot

2 Circle the words with c.

red

sun

cot

cat

cup

big

can

cap

top

cold

pig

cake

3 Trace the c and the C. Say /k/ as you write.

c

c

c

c

c

c

C

C

C

C

C

C

**FOR THE GROWN-UP**

The hard /k/ sound, like in cat. Note: c also says /s/ before e, i, y (cent, city, cycle). Teach the hard sound first — soft c comes later.