

# sl

/s/ + /l/

as in **slide**

*Say both sounds together, fast.*

1 Circle the words that start with sl.

sled

slug

red

slip

slim

pig

sun

slide

sleep

slow

cat

top

2 Read each word. Blend /s/ + /l/ together.

slide

slip

slug

slap

sled



3 Trace the sl. Say both sounds as you write.

**sl**

sl

sl

sl

sl

sl

#### FOR THE GROWN-UP

Both /s/ and /l/ are stretchy — sss-l-l-l-ide. Easy to stretch slowly and hear both sounds, then say faster to blend them.