

# st

/s/ + /t/

as in star

*Say both sounds together, fast.*

1 Circle the words that start with st.

top

cat

still

stay

red

pig

stop

star

mop

storm

step

story

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

star

stop

step

stay

stand



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

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#### FOR THE GROWN-UP

The most common blend in English. /s/ stretches into a quick /t/: sss-t-ar. Very common at the start AND end of words: star, stop, fast, last.