Snip, Snip, Ouch!

Jen gets a pic **out** and lifts it up. In the pic, Mum has short hair, and Jen has a wish.

Snip, snip! Jen cuts at the hair with the red tool. Bits flip **out,** all **about** the room.

Jen lifts the **round** mirror up and peeks in it. She looks, and she blinks.

Ouch! Jen lets **out** a **loud, loud** wail.

The hair is all clumps, and it looks bad.

Jen gets the food **out** and tips the dish on top.

It drips, and she **pouts** at the mirror.

Jen hangs green pods on top as long hair. Mum and Dad and Sis come in, and **out** come **loud** snorts.

Jen sets green bits on top and checks the mirror with a **pout.** Dad and Mum and Sis snort **out loud.**

Jen **crouches** and hides at the big red **couch.** Mum looks **about** the room and spots Jen.

On the **couch,**

Mum slips a red

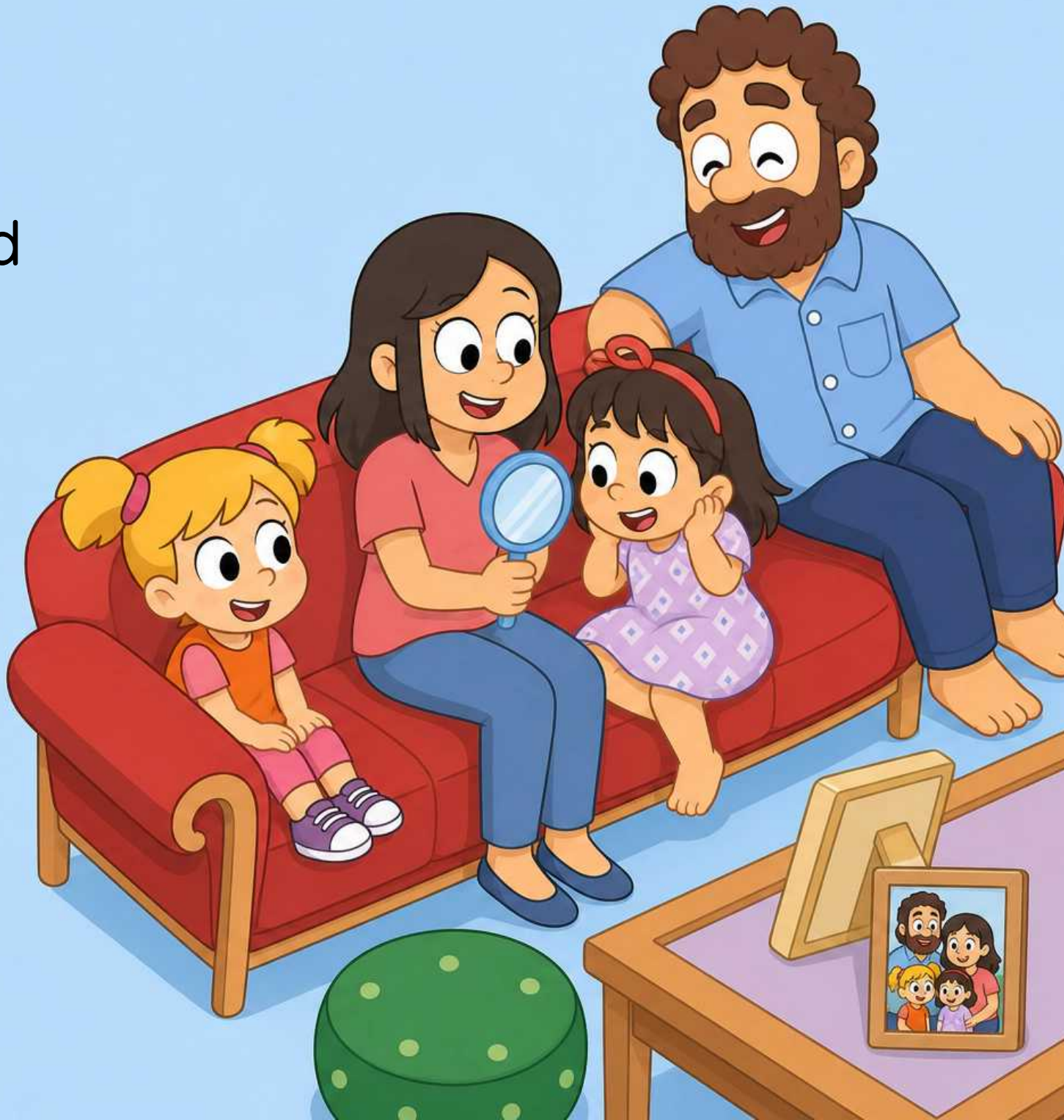
band on Jen.

Jen peeks in

the **round**

mirror, and a

grin **sprouts.**



Jen grins a big grin.

Short hair and a red band. Jen is a **proud, proud** kid. **Outstanding!**

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Snip, Snip, Ouch!

Allie finds an old photo of Mum with short, pretty hair and decides she wants the same. She grabs the craft scissors and starts snipping away at her own hair. But when she finally looks in the mirror, will she love what she sees? Written for Jolly Phonics classrooms (Group 7: ou /ou/), this book practises words like 'proud', 'round', 'ouch', 'outstanding', 'pouts'.

Phonics Focus: <OU>

about, couch, crouches, loud, ouch, out, outstanding, pout, pouts, proud, round, sprouts

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