

Gran Has a Plan





Gran has a plan.
She is in the yard.
She wets the
plants. Pip jumps up
and cheers. He is
glad to help Gran.

Pip hops from plant to plant in the lush
yard. Get big, plants! Get big and fat!
Gran grins at him and lets him hop.



Gran sits on a lift
in the big tree. Pip
grips the crank
and spins it hard.
The lift hoists her
up, up, up! It is a
hard job, but Pip
keeps at it.





Gran sets the
coconuts on the
plank. Bam! Thud!
The coconuts shoot
to the ground and
land with a thunk. Pip
counts the fat
coconuts. A big, big
lot!

The husk is thick
and hard. Gran
hacks at it with her
tool.

Pip grabs a coconut
and tugs. He tugs
and tugs, but it is
stuck fast.





Pip is spent. He
creeps out for
a rest. But Gran
spots him. Back
you come, Pip!
The job is not
at an end yet.

Crack! Gran splits the
coconut with her tool.
Drips splash out fast.

Pip grips the dish
and catches them all.
Got it! Not a drop
slips past him.





Pip cranks the red tool and digs out the flesh. He grits his teeth and cranks and cranks.

It is a big job, but he keeps at it. Gran pats his back.

Gran cooks the coconut in a hot pan and mixes it up. Pip lifts his chin. Yum, yum! It is very sweet and very good!



Gran tips the
coconut into a tin
and pats it flat.
Pip sits with his
chin in his hands
and looks on. Not
long, Pip, not long!



Gran brings the crisp coconut bars on a dish. Pip packs the bits into a jar and pops the lid on. At last! The big job is at an end.





Pip grabs a coconut
bar and lifts it up.

Got it! Crunch! It is
sweet and crisp, the
best snack ever.

Gran munches a bit
too. A big, hard job,
and big fun too!



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Gran has a big plan: grow the best coconuts and turn them into bars. Pip helps water the plants and hops from tree to tree, cheering them on. When it's time to harvest, Pip cranks a lift high into the branches while Gran gathers the fat coconuts above. But the tough husks won't budge without a real fight. Will Pip stick with the job long enough to taste the reward? Written for Jolly Phonics classrooms (Step 2, Unit 2: short vowels), this book practices words like 'plan', 'hop', 'grips', 'thunk', 'snack'.

Phonics Focus: <short> <vowels>

an, and, at, back, bam, best, big, bit, bits, but, chin, crank, crisp, digs, dish, drop, end, fat, flat, flesh, from, fun, glad, grabs, grins, grips, grits, hacks, hands, has, help, him, hop, hops, hot, husk, in, is, it, job, jumps, land, lets, lid, lift, long, lot, lush, mixes, munches, not, on, packs, pan, plan, plank, plant, plants, pops, red, rest, sets, sits, slips, snack, spent, spins, splash, splits, spots, stuck, thick, thunk, tin, tips, tugs, up, wets, yet, yum

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