

Name _____

St Blend Story Answer Key

1. Ben and Tess
2. A list of things they need
3. At the top of the hill
4. A nest
5. She thinks it is the most fun they have had all week

Teacher's Guide

- Preview key **-st** words by reading them aloud as a group so students recognize the blend in connected text.
- Encourage students to point under each word as they read to support tracking and accuracy.
- Provide support by echo-reading the first sentence or chunking the story into short parts for emerging readers.
- For extension, invite students to underline all **-st** words in the story or write a new sentence telling what Ben and Tess might do next.