

## Decodable Texts: Silent E (O-E)

"This mystery uses long O words with o-e, like 'globe' and 'note.' Let's read and find out what Sage discovers hidden at home!"



### A Note in the Globe

While cleaning the home, Sage found a globe.

It was old and made of stone.

Inside the globe was a rolled-up note.

The note had one line: "Look under the rose."

Sage ran outside and dug near the rose bush.

There was a box with a gold rope and a photo inside.

Sage gave a smile. "This is a gift from long ago."

Now the globe sat on the shelf, holding the secret no more.

After reading the story, have your child point to and slowly sound out each practice word.

globe

note

rope

rose

stone



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## A Note in the Globe

1. What did Sage find inside the globe?

- A. A coin and a string
- B. A rolled-up note
- C. A photo and a pen
- D. A flower and a bone

2. What did the note say?

- A. Look inside the globe
- B. Look inside the box
- C. Look under the rose
- D. Look at the stone

3. Fill in the blank:

Sage found a box with a gold \_\_\_\_\_ and a photo inside.

4. How did Sage solve the mystery in this story?

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5. What do you think the photo might show, and why is it important?

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# Coaching Guide

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**Target Skill:** o-e Silent E Words

**Genre:** Fiction – Mystery

**High-Frequency Words:** found, was, from, gave, now

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## Before Reading

1. Tell your child this story includes o-e words that reveal clues.
  2. Have you ever found something hidden at home?
  3. What might someone leave in a globe or a box?
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## During Reading

1. **Sounding Out Support:** For words like “note” or “rope,” guide your child to spot the long O made by the silent E.
  2. Watch for o-e words that guide Sage through the mystery
  3. What does Sage do after reading the note?
  4. Read the final line with a tone of wonder and surprise
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## After Reading

1. Retell the clues Sage followed to find the box
  2. Why do you think someone hid a note and photo inside the globe?
  3. If you were Sage, what would you do with the box?
  4. Skill Check: Find and highlight six o-e words in the passage
  5. **Fluency Tip:** Try reading it again like you're sharing a real discovery with a friend!
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## Activity Idea

Draw the globe and what Sage found inside. Label parts using o-e words like “note,” “rope,” and “home.” Write a sentence about what Sage might do next.

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## Coaching Tip

Support your reader’s love of mystery—reading stories with clues helps sharpen both phonics and comprehension skills!

