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## Short Story

**Directions:** Have your child read the story below. If your child can't read, read the story and then ask your child questions. Don't forget to practice "ch" with each response.

### Hatcher's Party

The Hatchers are having a big party. Mrs. Hatcher went to the grocery store to fetch some ketchup, sandwiches, cheese, potato chips, peaches, chocolate bars, and cherry juice.

As Mrs. Hatcher was reaching for a bottle of ketchup, her watch got caught on a jar of peaches. The jar fell to the ground and broke. There was peach juice and glass everywhere! Her clothes were covered in peach juice and she had to be careful not to touch the glass. The store owner quickly cleaned it up and told Mr. Hatcher that it was okay. Then, Mrs. Hatcher bought the groceries and went home.

At home, Mrs. Hatcher quickly changed out of her clothes and went back to the kitchen to make lunch. She set all the food out on the kitchen counter and added the finishing touches. The rest of the Hatcher family finished all of the other chores.

The Hatcher family was ready for the party to begin!

Notes To Parents: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes To Speech Therapist: \_\_\_\_\_