### Letterland Blends & Digraphs Songs – Lyrics

**Track 1**

**The Letterland Bells**

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Ing! Ang! Ong! Ung! Ing! Ang! Ong! Ung! Ung! Ing! Ang! Ong! Ung! Ing! Ang! Ong! Ang! Ung!

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### Track 2

**Sammy Snake and the Hat Man**

‘Sssssssssssssssssssssssssssssssssss...’

Sammy Snake loves to hiss,
so he hisses a lot,
hisses a lot, hisses a lot.
Sammy Snake loves to hiss,
so he hisses a lot.
There aren’t many hisses he misses.
But the Hat Man hates noise
and hushes him up.
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and hushes him up.
The Hat Man says ‘sh’
as he hushes.
‘Sh, sh, sh!’

### Track 3

**Clever Cat and the Hat Man**

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He lets her go where she pleases.
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she almost always sneezes.
‘Ch, ch, ch!’

### Track 4

**Thunder Song**

What’s happened to Tess and the Hat Man,
beneath that thundering cloud?
Are they both frightened of thunder?
No, they just think the thunder’s too loud!

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### Track 5

**Bouncy Ben and Lucy Lamp Light**

Bouncy Ben saw a yellow light blazing in the black, black night.
‘Help!’ he blinked, ‘I cannot see! Lucy, you are blinding me!’

‘Oh,’ cried Lucy, ‘that won’t do!
Hold on while I change to blue.’
Now kind Lucy shines blue light whenever Bouncy Ben’s in sight.

### Track 6

**Clever Cat and Lucy Lamp Light**

When Clever Cat climbs up a tree,
Lucy says, ‘How cleverly you clinging, Clever Cat, to anything.
Let’s see you clinging to me. Ouch!’

‘Oh, Clever Cat, don’t climb up me!
Clearly you do have clever paws,
but when you climb up on me,
I do not like your claws!’

### Track 7

**Firefighter Fred and Lucy Lamp Light**

When flickering flames flare up in a fire
and the wind fans the flames higher and higher,
Lucy shouts, ‘Don’t let it spread.
The man we need is Firefighter Fred!’

Fred flings on his coat and flies down the street,
straight to the fire with wings on his feet.
He turns on his hose and quickly aims,
floods the fire and flattens the flames.
Track 8

Golden Girl and Lucy Lamp Light

What a glow! What a glare! It’s Golden Girl’s gleaming hair, and Lucy Lamp Light’s glowing face. How her smile lights up the place!

In the glare they need sunglasses! So will everyone who passes! What a glow! What a glare! What a glow! What a glare!

Track 9

Peter Puppy and Lucy Lamp Light

Peter Puppy is lonely, he wants to play. Who’ll play with him and his plane today?

He plods along ‘til, who’s in sight? The pleasing face of Lucy Lamp Light!

‘Please will you play?’ he asks with a smile. ‘With your plastic plane? Yes, for a while.’

So they play with the plane on a pleasant hilltop till the plane takes a plunge in a pond. Splash! KER-PLONK!

Track 10

Sammy Snake and Lucy Lamp Light

It’s slow climbing up the slippery slope, but Sam and Lucy don’t mind. They love sliding down at a dangerous slant, with the wind blowing hard from behind.

They’re slightly less keen when the snow turns to sleet, and the sleet turns to slush on the slope, while they’re slithering down at a sloshing great speed, and Lucy lets go of the rope!

Track 11

Bouncy Ben and Red Robot

Bouncy Ben caused a stir, because he had bright blue fur. Bouncy Ben caused a stir, because he had bright blue fur.

But Red Robot took a brush to Ben and brushed right down him there and then. ‘Oh, no!’ cried Ben, on looking down, ‘He’s painted my fur bright brown!’

Track 12

Clever Cat and Red Robot

Why is Clever Cat about to crawl away and cry? Is she crying or just cross? Can anyone see why?

’I’m very cross’, cries Clever Cat, ‘So cross I’d like to scream. That crazy robot, rushing past, has cracked my bowl of cream!’

Track 13

Dippy Duck and Red Robot

Drip, drop, drip, drop. Now it seems the rain won’t stop. Drip, drop, drip, drop. Now it seems the rain won’t stop.

It’s driving down in Letterland and Dippy Duck thinks that’s just grand. She knows that Red Robot will get dripping, dripping, drip, drip, dripping wet.

Drip, drop, drip, drop. Now it seems the rain won’t stop. Drip, drop, drip, drop. Now it seems the rain won’t stop.

While Dippy Duck will stay quite dry no matter how the rain drops fly. ‘You see it’s just my kind of luck, because I am a drip, drip, drip-dry duck!’

Track 14

Firefighter Fred and Red Robot

Firefighter Fred is fond of frogs, but Red Robot is not. He frankly hates the frisky things and leaps back on the spot.

‘Mind that friendly frog,’ laughs Fred, but Red Robot takes fright. He’s so afraid of frogs, you see, he turns from red to white!
Track 15

Golden Girl and Red Robot

Have you seen the great big grapes on Golden Girl’s green vines? She grows them near her garden swing in lovely long, green lines.

Yes, we’ve seen the great big grapes on Golden Girl’s green vines. She grows them near her garden swing in lovely long, green lines.

But Red Robot is a greedy guy, greedy, grabbing, growling, sly; so greedy that he grabs her grapes, turns and grins, and then escapes!

Track 16

Peter Puppy and Red Robot

Red Robot is prowling after paw prints on the ground, looking for Peter Puppy who is nowhere to be found.

He races to the park and taking Peter by surprise, proudly tells the pup he’s won a popularity prize!

Track 17

Talking Tess and Red Robot

Red Robot is in trouble again, so he tries to escape down the track. But luckily Tess is as tall as a tree, and sees what he has in his sack.

She tries a trick that will stop Red Robot and make him give everything back. Tess puts out a foot as the Robot runs past and trips him right up on the track!

Track 18

Sammy Snake and Clever Cat

Sammy Snake and Clever Cat scrambled on their scooter, made a flag from Sammy’s scarf and tied it to the hooter.

They set off at a scorching pace, holding very tight. ‘Are you scared?’ cried Clever Cat, as Sammy screamed with fright.

They scattered children everywhere, scooting into school. ‘Scallywags!’ the teacher cried, ‘No scooters! That’s the rule.’

Track 19

Sammy Snake and Kicking King

Who’s that skiing skilfully? It looks like Sammy Snake. He’s being careful not to skid onto the frozen lake.

He has seen Kicking King skimming along on skates, who shows he’s just as skilful at putting on his brakes!

Track 20

Sammy Snake and Peter Puppy

When Sammy Snake and Peter Puppy were playing ‘I Spy’, they spied a spotted spider suspended in the sky.

He waved around his spindly legs and spanned the empty space, and spun a special spiral web to decorate the place.

Then they watched the spider waiting for an unsuspecting fly who might not know exactly how a spider plays ‘I Spy’!

Track 21

Sammy Snake and Talking Tess

‘Stop standing there and staring at each stupid little star. Who wants to stare at pin pricks in the dark, and off so far?’

‘Look Sammy, stars aren’t silly pins just stuck up in the sky. They really are enormous stones which glow and spin and fly.

Start studying the stars yourself. It’s stunning what you’ll see. And now, stay still, for heaven’s sake. You keep disturbing me!’
Track 22

**Sammy Snake and Munching Mike**

Sammy smells smoke round the monster.
There are puffs of smoke, but they’re small.
‘It’s all right, old Sam,’ says the monster.
‘It comes from my breathing, that’s all.’

‘But look, now we’re smothered in smoke clouds.’
‘No, Sam, it’s not smoke, it’s fog!’
‘Wait – look! It’s both smoky and foggy.
That means (cough, cough) it must be smog!’

Track 23

**Sammy Snake and Noisy Nick**

Sammy Snake sat down with a snack one day.
Noisy Nick sneaked up to snatch it away.

‘Don’t snatch,’ snarled Sammy.
‘There’s enough for you.’
And kindly snipped the snack in two.

Track 24

**Sammy Snake and Walter Walrus**

Swish, swash, swoosh!
Can Sammy swat the fly?
He swings and swats again,
but then he hears a cry.
He’s swatted Walter in the eye!

Sam swears, ‘I didn’t mean to!’
I know you won’t believe me,
but I swear it’s really true!’

Track 25

**Sammy Snake, Clever Cat and Red Robot**

Clever Cat had made a nice scrapbook full of photos and drawings she’d done.
Sammy Snake was invited to have a good look and admire all the hard work and fun.

But suddenly Clever Cat started to scream.
Red Robot had been scribbling all through it.
Then she woke up: it was only a dream.
Thank goodness she needn’t re-do it!

Track 26

**Sammy Snake, Peter Puppy and Lucy Lamp Light**

Splish, splash, splosh.
Sammy and Peter and Lucy decided they needed a wash.
So into the water they went with a splish, and a splash and a splosh!
Splish, splash, splosh.

Track 27

**Sammy Snake, Peter Puppy and Red Robot**

Sammy Snake, Peter Puppy and Red Robot set out on a spree in the spring.
Sammy and Peter want to go to the sea,
Red Robot sprints ahead saying, ‘Follow me.’

As they sprawl on the sand they have to agree, there’s really no better place to be...
when you’re out on a spree in the spring!

Track 28

**Sammy Snake, Talking Tess and Red Robot**

Look! Sammy and Tess and the Robot are struggling out in the street.
Someone has strung them together.
They can’t stand straight on their feet!

How will they get free, tied together at the knee?
That string is a very strong string.
The Letterland folk all know it’s a joke.
The string is a stretchable string!

Track 29

**Magic e Song**

Draw your wand.
Shoot every spark.
Jump back one letter to land on the mark.

It’s always the same.
The Vowel Man says his name.
Whenever the magic lands on him, the Vowel Man says his name.

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the Vowel Man says his name.
Track 32

**Eddy Elephant and Walter Walrus**

I knew the Walrus had in mind a few new splashing tricks.
I knew I had to stop him or I’d be in a fix.

With this in view I also knew the shrewdest thing to do: just squirt at him – and that is why he cries, ‘ôô, you, ôô, you!’

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Track 33

**The Apple Stealer’s Song**

Who’s that robot with the radar car?
Oh no! It looks like Arthur Ar!

Arthur Ar thinks he’s very smart, but we know where he got those apples in his tarts!

Catch him, catch him, before he goes too far.
Catch Arthur Ar in his radar car!

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Track 34

**The Orange Stealer’s Song**

The Orange Stealer is called Orvil Or.
He keeps his get-away boat by the shore.
He steals scores of oranges, and then runs for more.

Report him, or corner him, before he steals some more!

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Track 35

**Oscar Orange and Walter Walrus**

There are some things that aren’t allowed like teasing different vowels, but Walter Walrus breaks the rules. He’s breaking one right now!

The splashing walrus showers me.
My eyes are stinging now.
But look, he’s slipped and bumped his chin, so now we both howl, ‘Ow!’
Track 36

Oscar Orange and Uppy Umbrella
I need to watch out, I have found when Walter Walrus is around. If he turns up unexpectedly, a great big splash is what you’ll see, and you’re bound to hear a very loud sound: Ou, ouch, ou!

Track 37

Roy and the Yo-yo Man
Oy, oy, oy.
Enjoy playing the OY game.
Oy, oy, oy.
Enjoy saying, oy!

What’ you doing boy?
Oy, oy, oy!
What’ you doing boy?

Don’t get annoyed.
Enjoy playing the OY game.
Don’t get annoyed.
Enjoy saying, oy!

Oi oi, oi!
What’ you doing boy?
Oi oi, oi!
What’ you doing boy?

Enjoy playing the OI game.
Oi oi, oi.
Enjoy saying, oi!

Track 38

Ernest Er in Person
I’m Ernest Er, the Elephant Stealer.
I love to run to the ends of words. I’m quicker, faster and much stronger than both my other robber brothers!

I’m Ernest Er, the Elephant Stealer.
I love to run to the ends of words. I’m faster – why? My legs are longer than both my other robber brothers!

Track 39

Urgent Ur in Person
When umbrellas vanish (and this will occur), the burglar in question will be me, Urgent Ur!

On Thursdays and Saturdays watch me, Urgent Ur, come plodding along in my boots of curly fur. I always steal umbrellas and if you wonder why, surprise, surprise, the purpose is to keep my fur boots dry!

Track 40

Irving Ir in person
You’ll recognise me, Irving Ir, by my dirty shirt, with lots of spots of ink on it, and this is not my first dirty shirt, nor my second, nor my third, nor my thirteenth, nor my thirtieth, nor my thirty-first.

I hate to have to tell you this but it’s my thirty-third dirty shirt!

Track 41

Why Irving Ir Needs Ink
Irving Ir, the Ink Stealer, steals ink and lots of pens. He has to share the money out between his robber friends.

Irving Ir, the Ink Stealer, needs ink to do his sums. He has to share the money out between his robber chums!
Track 42

The Er Brother’s Song

We three brothers are the Er Brothers.
We take turns at saying er/ur/ir.
We three brothers are the Er Brothers.
We take turns at saying er/ur/ir in many words.

Of course we each prefer a different spelling for er/ur/ir which may seem absurd at first, or purposeless or worse.

But we three Brothers think we’re perfect! Be alert and observe us, we are perfect!
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Track 43

Giant All

Giant All is so tall, that he makes me feel small.
Giant All is so tall he can reach almost all of the apples on hand, here in Letterland.

But if Giant All were to fall with a THUD off the wall, then he might not be quite so tall after all!

Track 44

Friends to the Rescue (Magic ing)

Annie Apple:
Keep your eyes peeled in the Reading Direction. Single vowels like me often need protection!

Ing:
We are a Magic Ending. Today we have come here to shoot our sparks right on to you, and make you disappear!

Annie Apple:
Help! Help! I’m going to disappear! Come quickly to the rescue!

Track 45

Peter Puppy & Harry Hat Man

When Peter Puppy is feeling sad and you want to make him laugh, ask the Harry Hat Man to take his photograph. CLICK!

I’m Peter Puppy, I’m feeling sad. will somebody make me laugh? Ask the Harry Hat Man to take my photograph. CLICK!

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Track 46

Walter Walrus & Harry Hat Man

“I splash Harry Hat Man’s hat off when I can, which makes the poor Hat Man an unhappy man. I splash him in when and in which and in why; I splash him in what and in where. And while I like to tease him and call it a joke, the Hat Man cries “Stop! It’s not fair!”

“I splash Harry Hat Man’s hat off when I can, which makes the poor Hat Man an unhappy man. Just who do you think that you are?” he shouts out. For who is the one little word, where he splashes me back, and the joke is on me. So it’s me who’s not going to be heard!

Track 47

Walter Walrus & Red Robot

The Walrus is a trouble-maker. Red Robot is too. So when they both meet in a word, well what a big to-do!

The Robot can’t afford to let the Walrus get him wet. “You won’t splash me,” he gives a shout. “Your luck has just run out!”

“If you thought I would really let you splash and get me wet, then think again, think hard and long. You’re wrong, you’re wrong, you’re WRONG!”