**Dan’s Pet** by Alma Flor Ada



Dan held a small baby chick.

It was soft in his hands.

Can I have her as a ***pet***?

Yes, Dan. ***Said*** mama

I'll ***call*** her Jen.

Dan helped with Jen.

Dan ***fed*** Jen and all the hens.

Dan ***fed*** Jen everyday.

Jen got very big.

One day, Dan didn't see Jen.

Jen! Jen! Dan ***called.***

Jen isn't here. ***Said*** Mama.

Look at her eggs.

Oh my! ***said*** Dan.

Now I will have lots of ***pets***!

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| Phonics Skill | Comprehension Skill | High-Frequency words |
| Short Vowel /e/ *e* | Main Idea | Call/called  Fed  Pet/Pets  Said |
| Genre: Realistic Fiction | | |
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