

# The Check-Up



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### Level 2, Unit 4, Book 10

**Sounds:** **ch** th; -zz, -ll, -ff, -ss; -ck; all consonants;  
all short vowels

**Sight words:** is, the, no, a, and, have, love, so, to,  
of, I, be, for, me, was, we, she, are,  
you, want, said, go, see(s), began, give,  
your, good, put(s), all, by, her, they,  
there, how, from, hi **saw**

**Contractions:** **don't** let's

**Summary:** Jack and Mack have fun playing as they draw red dots on each other. When Mom sees them, she believes they are sick. Find out what Doc Chez does to help “cure” Jack and Mack of their dots.

**Special vocabulary:** check, check-up

### Reading comprehension questions:

1. What do Jack and Mack do to make a mess?
2. Why does Mom take the kids to Doc Chez?
3. Why was it important for Mack and Jack to tell Mom the truth?



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"This is such fun!" yell Mack and Jack. Jack puts red dots on Mack's chin. Mack puts red dots by Jack's chin.



The kids go back to the mess for chips. Yum! Yum! The chips are so good. Then Mack and Jack toss all the chips.