

The RC RC Friends

JASON: *Hi, I'm Jason from Challenger Elementary School. I'm in first grade. I would like to introduce all of you to my good friends Roshanda and Cammie.*

ROSHANDA: *Hello, everyone here in Mrs. Hurley's first grade class at Enterprise Elementary!! I'm Roshanda. You all have a beautiful school. I met the principal, Mrs. Lee on the way to your class. She is really nice. I like to go on field trips with my 2 best friends - Jason and Cammie.*

CAMMIE: *Hi everyone, I'm Cammie. We came to your class to tell all of you about the fun way that we study our spelling words and math facts. By the way, we will be having our spelling test when we get back to Challenger today. We aren't worried though. We all learned how to study for our spelling tests and they are a "piece of cake".*

JASON: *Cake????Did I hear cake????*

ROSHANDA: *Jason, all you think about is food!!*

CAMMIE: *Hey, you two, we need to tell our new friends here at Enterprise about RC RC. Everyone look up on the board and see the poster that we brought.*

JASON: *Are we going to talk about RC Cola. I'm thirsty too!*

CAMMIE: *No, Jason - remember the study helper that our teacher told us about. It is called RC RC - not RC Cola.*

ROSHANDA: *The first R stands for read. You read the word or math fact. Next you cover the word or math fact with your hand - that's the first C. The first RC stands for read and cover.*

CAMMIE: *The second R stands for recite. Recite means to say the word again. You read the word or math fact, cover it up, then say it again for practice. Next you check it - that's the second C. Now we can put it together. RC RC stands for read, cover, recite and check.*

JASON: *I've been listening to you girls and I'm getting thirsty. You are constantly repeating RC - RC!!!*

ROSHANDA: *Oh, Jason! You are so silly - but you were right, too. We did say RC RC. That stands for read, cover, recite and check. I like to use*

my RC RC hand to cover the words when I am studying for my spelling tests.

I read a word like cat (spell it) c a t . Next, I cover it, spell it - c a t - and lift my RC RC hand to check and see if I was correct.

JASON: *Were you right?*

ROSHANDA: *Of course!!!!*

CAMMIE: *I like to use RC RC for my math facts. I read 2 plus 2 equals 4. I cover up the problem. I say "2 plus 2 equals 4", then I check when I lift up my hand to see if it is correct. We can use RC RC to study for tests or memorize important facts at school or at home.*

ROSHANDA: *Yes, Cammie, I use RC RC almost every day at school. It really helps me to study. I even use it at home when I am studying for my spelling test or for my math tests on that Mrs. Reed gives us on Fridays.*

JASON: *I like to use that RC RC hand to swat flies.*

CAMMIE AND ROSHANDA: *OH Jaaaaasoooooooooon!!!!!!!!!!!!!!*

JASON: *I was just kidding. I use RC RC to study my spelling words and math facts too. My family thinks that I can study by myself sometimes now. I read the spelling word then I cover it with my hand. I say the word then I lift my hand to check it. I know that I will get a 100% today on my spelling test!!!*

Well, Cammie and Roshanda are we going to sing our RC RC song for our new friends?

CAMMIE AND ROSHANDA: *We thought you would never ask!!!!
Ready Gang!!!*

ALL HUM BEFORE STARTING:

RC RC IS SO SWELL

TEACHES YOU TO LEARN TO SPELL

READ THE WORD YOU WANT TO KNOW

COVER IT UP SO IT WON'T SHOW

RECITE IT NOW WITH ALL YOUR HEART

CHECK YOURSELF - YOU'RE REALLY SMART

YOU CAN LEARN YOUR MATH FACTS TOO

RC RC REALLY HELPS YOU

RC RC IS THE BEST

IT WILL HELP YOU PASS ALL YOUR TESTS!

JASON: That was great fun singing! I think we better get back to school real soon. It's almost lunch time you know!!!!

CAMMIE: Wait just a minute - Mr. All You Think About Is Food!!!!!! - Roshanda and I have a couple of questions for you first. We want to make sure that you know all about RC RC.

JASON: All right - but make it quick!!

CAMMIE Tell us why you would use RC RC.

JASON: Well, I can use RC RC because it helps me to study my spelling words, math facts and other stuff that I want to keep in my brain. All I have to do is read, cover, recite and check to see if I am correct.

ROSHANDA: When would you use RC RC - Jason?

JASON: *Oh, I could use RC RC at school when Mrs. Reed tells us to study our spelling words or I could use RC RC at home when I am studying almost anything. This handy dandy fly swatter - Oh - I mean RC RC hand works really well or I could use my own hand or a piece of paper for covering what I am studying. I would just read, cover, recite or say it, then check my answer. I really know how to do this RC RC stuff now. Can we go back to Challenger and eat now please? My stomach is growling!*

CAMMIE AND ROSHANDA: *Jaaaaaaaaasooooooooon!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Be polite!!!*

ROSHANDA: *Well, everyone, thanks for letting us come to visit your class and tell you about RC RC. Hope it helps you with your studying too!*

JASON, CAMMIE AND ROSHANDA: *Bye!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!*

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