FAMILY PHONICS WORKSHOP



AIMS FOR THE SESSION

Progression of phonics from Reception to Year 1

Phonics screening assessment end of Year 1

* Resources for you to use at home





WHAT IS PHONICS?



- Children are taught to read by breaking down words into separate sounds or 'phonemes'. They are then taught how to blend these sounds together to read and write the whole word.
- Children have a 20 minute phonics lesson each day and they are encouraged to use these strategies to read and write in other lessons.
- We use a synthetic scheme called 'Letters and Sounds' as our teaching resource.



Reading and Writing

Phonics from the very beginning



Terminology

What is?

- * CVC
- * Segmenting and blending
- * Decoding and encoding
- * Digraph
- * Trigraph
- Split digraph
- ❖ Phoneme
- * Grapheme
- Tricky bit words





<u>Letters and sounds</u> Phonic Phases- EYFS + Year 1

Phase 1 – environmental, instrumental, body percussion and rhyme

Phase 2 – phonemes plus words

Phase 3 - phonemes, digraphs and words

Phase 4 – recap phase 2 and 3 with additional words

Phase 5 - split digraphs and alternative sounds and graphemes



Remember moving forward children need

Reading and Writing

- Pure sound
- High Frequency Words
- Tricky bit words
- Alternative digraphs/trigraphs
- Reading and spelling of two syllable words
- Punctuation and letter joining

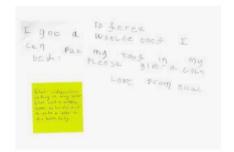


ELG and ELG+

Writing ELG

Children use their phonic knowledge to write words in ways which match their spoken sounds. They also write some irregular common words. They write sentences which can be read by themselves and others. Some words are spelt correctly and others are phonetically plausible.





Writing ELG+

Writing: Children can spell phonically regular words of more than one syllable as well as many irregular but high frequency words. They use key features of narrative in their own writing.



How is phonics taught in EYFS?

Phoneme Spots

Phoneme Frame



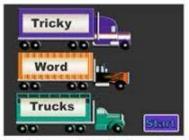
Supporting Materials











A tricky word (and other HFW) flashcards game Great for: Practising reading tricky words





Year 1 Phonics - Phase 4 and Phase 5

Recapping Phase 4 and moving into Phase 5:

During Phase 5:

- *Learn new graphemes
- Introduced to split diagraphs
- *Alternative pronunciations





Phase 5: New

Graphemes

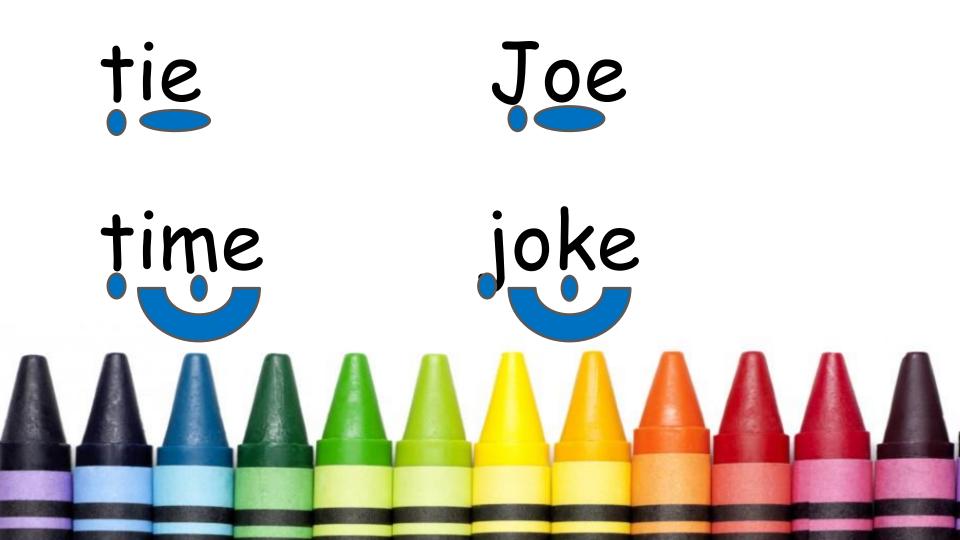
The children are introduced to 1 new grapheme everyday during Autumn term.





Phase 5

What is a split digraph?



Phase 5

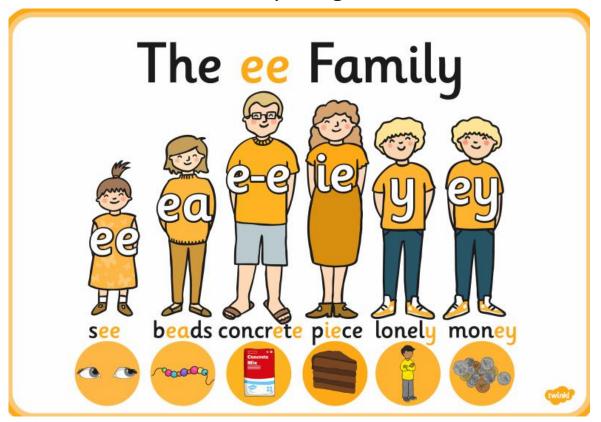
Alternative spellings of graphemes.





Phase 5

Word Families - alternative spellings.

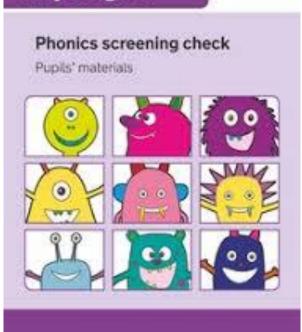


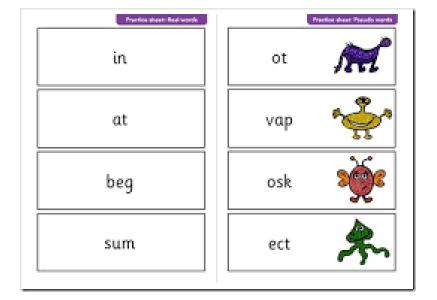


KS1 Phonics Check



Key stage 1







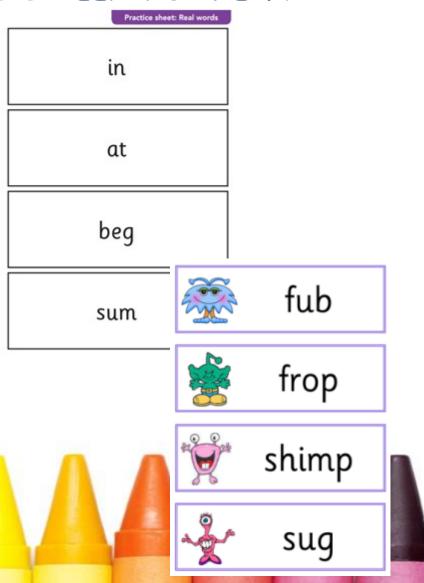
WHY DO THE CHILDREN COMPLETE THE SCREENING?

- The aim of the check is to ensure that all children are able to read by the end of year two.
- This 'midpoint check' will ensure that we have a clear understanding of what the children need to learn in year 2 to ensure they do not fall behind.



WHAT IS IN THE PHONICS SCREENING CHECK?

- There will be two sections in this 40-word check and it will assess their phonics skills and knowledge.
- There will be 8 practice words at the start.
- Your child will read up to four words per page to their teacher. There will be 20 real words and 20 'alien words'



WHO WILL COMPLETE THE CHECK?

*The children will complete the check one at a time in a quiet area of school.

- Miss Palmer will conduct all of the screening tests with the children.
- We will make it as low-key as possible the children will not be informed it's a "test" - it only takes 5/10 minutes.



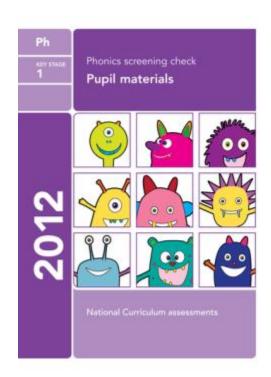


WHEN WILL THE SCREENING TAKE PLACE?

❖ The phonics screening will take place during the week commencing 15th June.

❖ If your child does not pass the phonics screening, they will be given extra Phonics support in school and re-checked in Year 2.





Here is a video showing what children can expect to experience.



HOW TO SAY THE SOUNDS

This is a helpful video showing all 44 phonemes https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BqhXUW_v-1s



WHAT CAN I DO TO HELP MY CHILD?

Useful Websites to use at home:

http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk go to Free Phonicsplay Parents page and access games and information to help you and your child.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcqqtfr

Dinosaurs Eggs-

https://www.ictgames.com/dinosaurEggs_phonics/mobile/

Phonics Apps
*Read with phonic
games
*Hairy letters
(additional cost)
*AGO Phonics
Sound pad

Spooky Spellings-https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/spookySpellings/index.html



Phonics Play Example





RESOURCES TO USE AT HOME

- Phonic Family Games
- * Reading Suitcase
- * Reading for 5 minutes a day





Family Phonics Sessions

We will be holding two Family Phonics Sessions in school next week to give you the opportunity to experience a phonics lesson with your child.

- Wednesday 4th March
- Thursday 5th March

Please sign up to <u>the one</u> session you would like to attend to secure your place (one adult per child).



QUESTIONS?





Please feel free to take any extra resources from the tables, sign out a phonics game, sign up to a phonics session or ask us any questions.

Remember our door is always open!

