Phonics and Reading for Year One Parents

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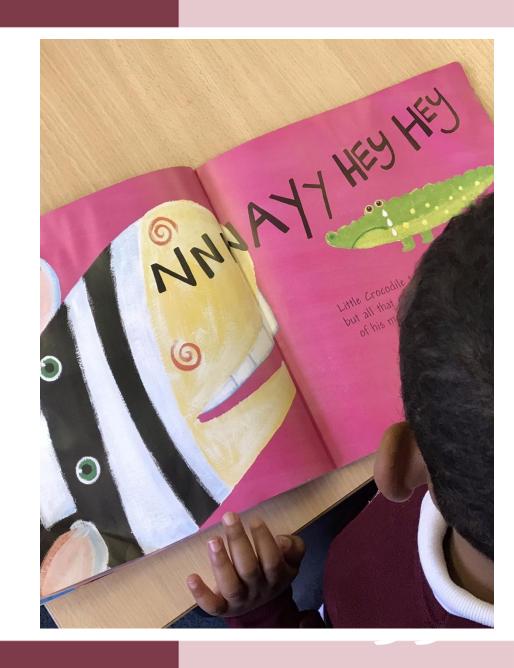
- What is Phonics?
- · Phonics in Year 1
- · Reading in Year 1
- How can you support your child?





A love of reading is the biggest indicator of future academic success.

OECD (The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development)



How many times have you read today?



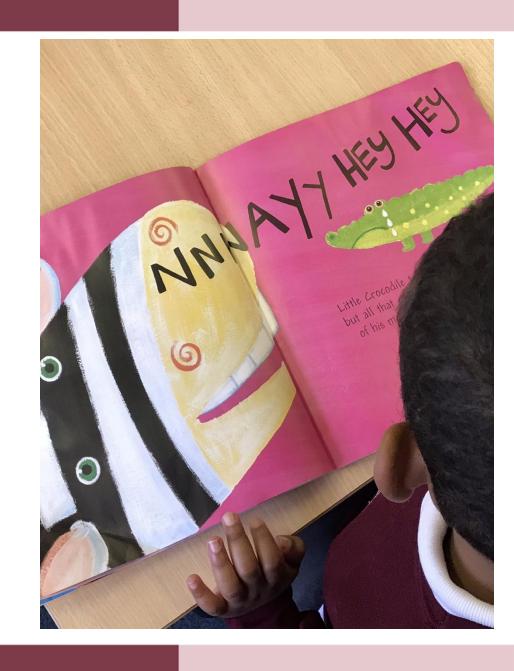






Successful Readers who Enjoy Reading

Successful Writers who Enjoy Writing



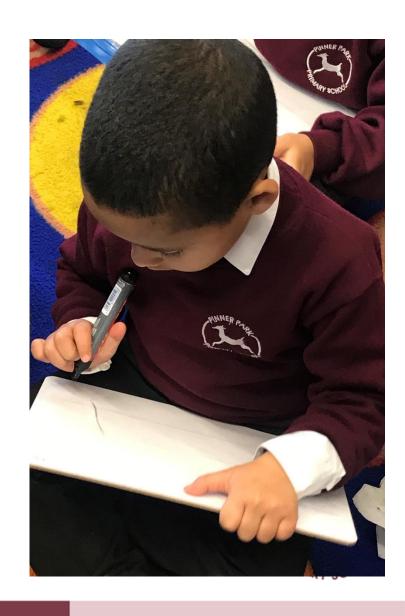
The Simple View of Reading

Grapheme-Phoneme
 Correspondence (GPCs)

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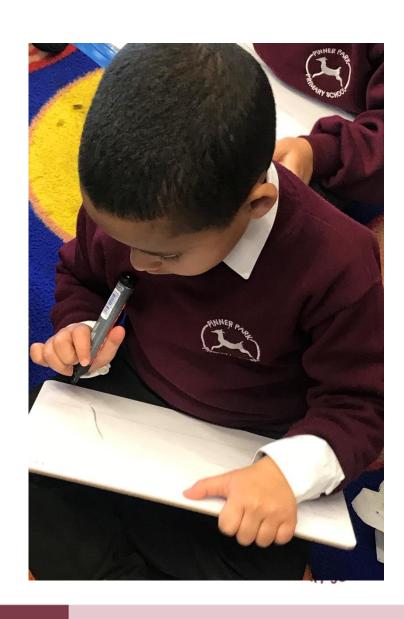
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The Simple View of Reading

Word Recognition



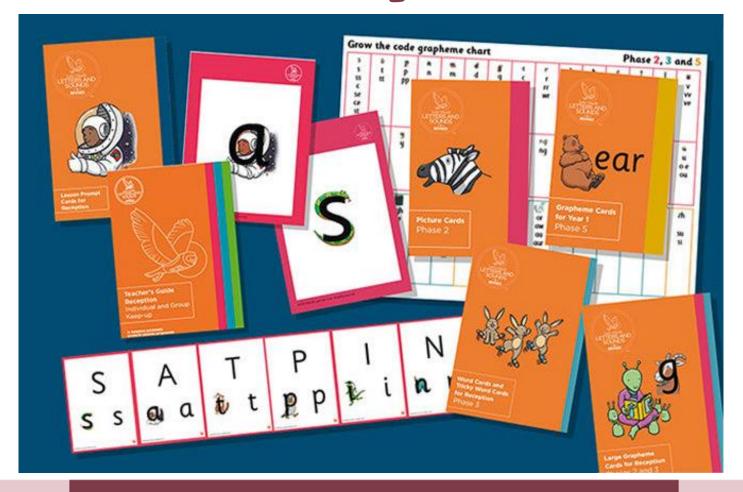
The Simple View of Reading

· Language comprehension





What is phonics?









Phonics is:

making connections between the sounds of our spoken words and the letters that are used to write them down.



Quiz time!





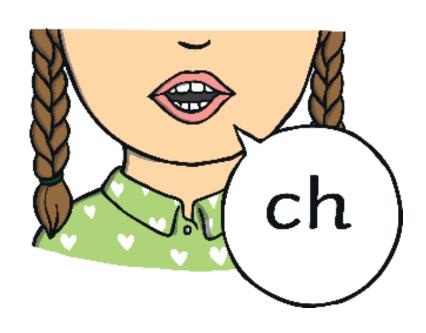
How many letters are there in the English alphabet?

abcdef ghijklm nopqrst UVWXYZ





How many sounds are there in the English language?



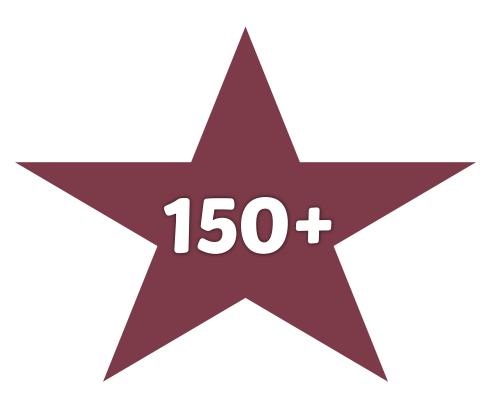




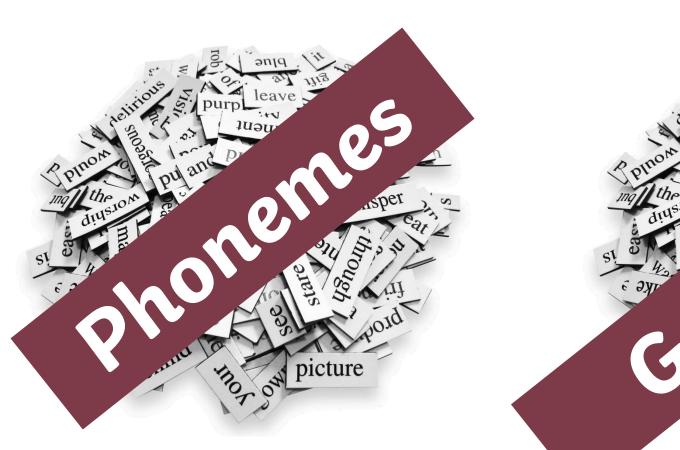
How many ways are there to write those

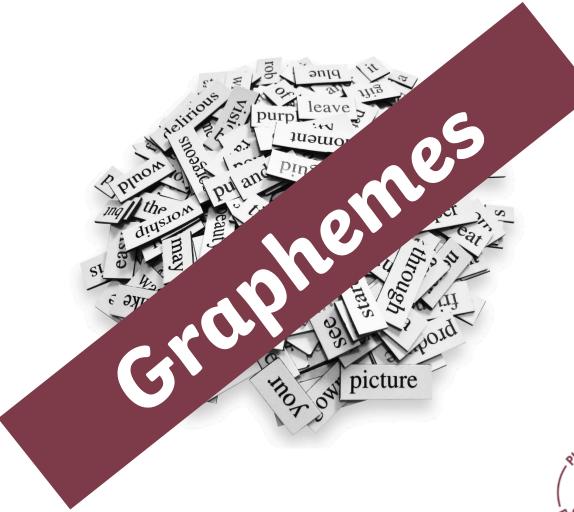
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Understanding Phonics

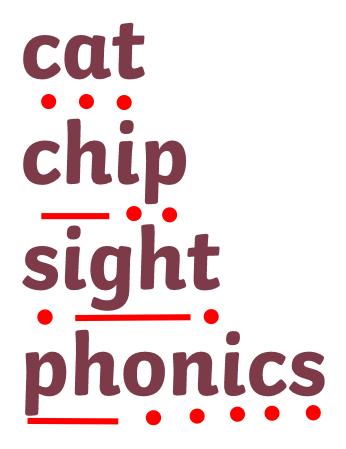
All words are made up of sounds (phonemes)

cat chip sight phonics



Understanding Phonics

Each phoneme is represented by letters - graphemes.





v sh igh



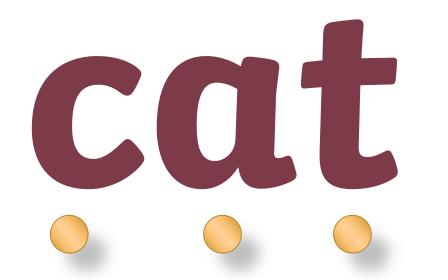
Understanding Phonics

Blending for reading



Segmenting for spelling and writing







sheep



light



The correct articulation of the sounds (phonemes)

Pure Sounds



The Teaching Sequence

- Every day
- 20 minutes
- Little Wandle Letters and Sounds Revised
- Review and Revisit
- Teach and Practice
- Practice and Apply



In Reception – the simple code

- s, a, t, p
- i, n, m, d
- g, o, c, k
- c/k/ck, e, u, r
- h, b, l/ll
- f/ff, ss

- j, v, w, x
- y, z, zz, qu
- · ch, sh, th, ng
- · ai, ee, igh, oa, oo
- · ar, or, ur, ow, oi,
- · ear, air, er

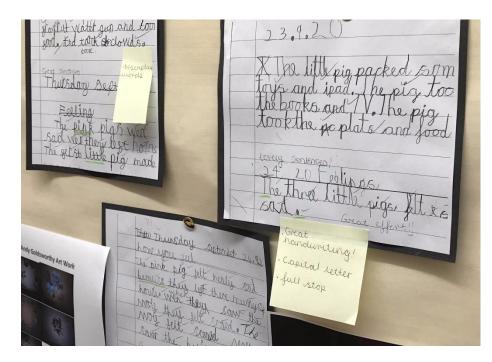


Reception - The Simple Code

code = c-oa-d = coad

kite = k-igh-t = kight

play = p-l-ai = plai





Reading Tricky Words

put

the

SO

said

when

do



Phonics in Year 1

Phase 5 – the entire year!



each /ee/ head /e/ break /ai/



Over 150 ways to spell the 44 sounds



New graphemes

ay (day)
ou (out)
ie (tie)
ea (eat)
ey (honey)

oy (boy)
ir (girl)
ue (blue)
aw (saw)
au (Paul)

wh (when)
ph (photo)
ew (new)
oe (toe)



New graphemes

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a-e (make)
i-e (like)
u-e (rule)
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e-e (these) o-e (home)



Specific Issue – split digraph!

rat rate code cod made mad kite kit them theme



Alternative pronunciations

u: but unit pull

a: ?



Alternative pronunciations

u: but unit pull a: hat acorn fast was



Alternative spellings

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/k/: c k ck qu ch (cat kit lock unique chaos)
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/sh/: sh ch t ss s c (cash chef station pressure sure, ocean)







S

SS

se

C

ce



sat dress SS horse se circle piece CE



One new phoneme!

/zh/ vision leisure Asia



New tricky words

their oh people Mr looked Mrs

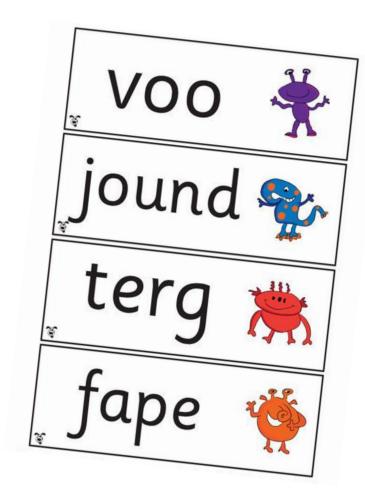


The Phonics Screening Check

- All Year 1 children in England
- June 2023
- 40 words
- 5 10 minutes
- · Real and Pseudo words all decodable

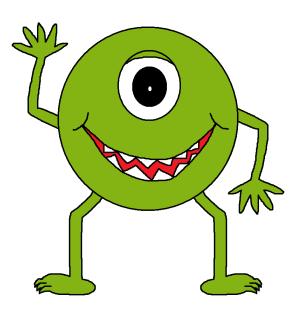


Pseudo - Alien words



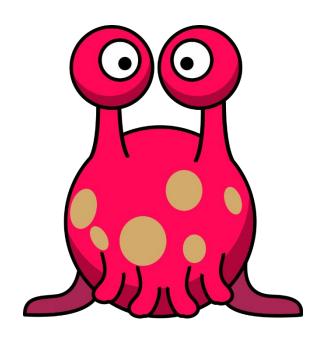


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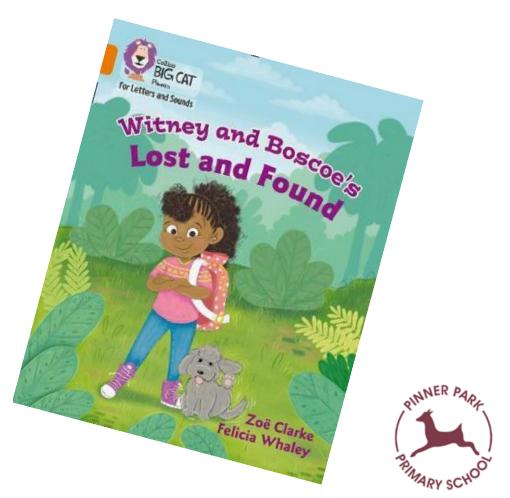
Reading in Year 1

- Daily Phonics sessions
- Reading practice sessions 3 times a week
- Shared reading and story times



Reading practice sessions

- Decoding
- Prosody
- Comprehension



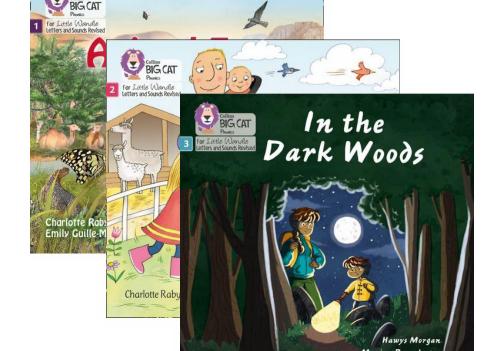
Carefully matched texts

Little Wandle Letters and Sounds Revised Reception Child assessment

Autumn 1

m	a	р	С	0
S	g	k	u	h
i	t	n	r	f
d	ck	е	b	l

sat man hug red pe<u>ck</u>





Carefully matched texts

- 90 95% fluency
- Know all the sounds and tricky words in their phonics book well
- Read many of the words by silent blending (in their head) – their reading will be automatic
- Only need to stop and sound out about 5% of the words by the time they bring the book home but they should be able to do this on their own.



Comprehension

Last night after closty, my flimers and I went downtown to the shillybog. It was late and my other flimers were already there. Some of them were trogging and others were lutzing to the blane. I'm not a very good lutzer, but I love to listen to the blane. My friends nelled me a few trogs and pretty soon I was lutzing, too!



How can you support your child?





Read!



Reading a book and chatting had a positive impact a year later on children's ability to...

- understand words and sentences
- use a wide range of vocabulary
- develop listening comprehension skills.

The amount of books children were exposed to by age 6 was a positive predictor of their reading ability two years later.



Books from school

Reading practice book

- Your child should be able to read their book without your help.
- If they can't read a word read it to them.
- Talk about the book and celebrate their success.





Sharing Books with Children



Make the story sound as exciting as you can by changing your voice.

Talk with your child as much as you can:

- Introduce new and exciting language
- Encourage your child to use new vocabulary
- Make up sentences together
- Find different words to use
- Describe things you see.



Reading for Enjoyment

- Libraries
- Little Local Book Hub Pinner/Eastcote
- The Book Trust







Homework

- Reading
- Phonics revisiting the week's learning.
- Make it fun!



Independent Writing

The children need to know:

- What they want to say
- Say the word.
- Segment the sounds.
- Count the sounds.
- Write them down.

The children's spelling will not be accurate, but their work can be read.





Handwriting

Phase 2 grapheme information sheet

Autumn 1

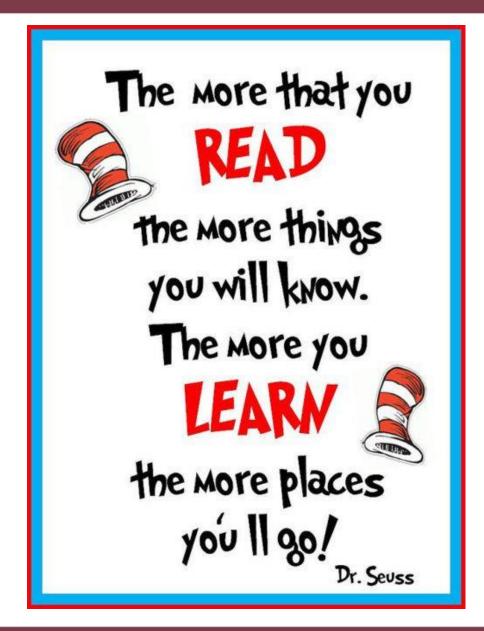
Grapheme and mnemonic	Picture card	Pronunciation phrase	Formation phrase
S S	snake	Show your teeth and and let the s hiss out ssssss ssssss	Under the snake's chin, slide down and round its tail.
a	astronaut	Open your mouth wide and make the ' a ' sound at the back of your mouth a a a	Around the astronaut's helmet, and down into space.
t	tiger	Open your lips; put the tip of your tongue behind your teeth and press ttt	From the tiger's nose to its tail, then follow the stripe across the tiger.
p	penguin	Bring your lips together and push them open and say p p p	Down the penguin's back, up and round its head.
i	iguana	pull your lips back and make the 't' sound at the back of your mouth iii	Down the iguana's body, then draw a dot [on the leaf] at the top.
h n		Open your lips a bit,put your tongue behind your teeth and make the nnnn sound nnnn	Down the stick, up and over the net.

Phase 2 grapheme information sheet

Autumn 2

Grapheme and mnemonic	Picture card	Pronunciation phrase	Formation phrase
j	jellyfish	Pucker your lips and show your teeth use your tongue as you say j j j	All the way down the jellyfish. Dot on its head.
V	volcano	Put your teeth against your bottom lip and make a buzzing vvvv vvvv	Down to the bottom of the volcano, and back up to the top.
W V	wave	Pucker your lips and keep them small as you say w w w	From the top of the wave to the bottom, up the wave, down the wave, then up again.
X	box	Mouth open then push the cs/x sound through as you close your mouth cs cs cs (x x x)	Start at the top, then across to the bottom of the box. Start at the top, then across to the bottom of the box.
		Smile, tongue to the top of	Down and round the yo-yo,







Questions and Answers

