

Phase 2 Phonics for Nursery

We are following the Read Write Inc. program to teach phase 2 Phonics to children who may be going to school in September or are ready to do so. Some children who are developing their speech and language skills will do Phase 2 later on and are doing Phase 1 to develop their listening skills.

The focus is on sound discrimination in words e.g.

What sound can you hear at the beginning of a word?

What sounds can you hear in your name or any word?

The children are taught to read words through play and hands-on activities in small groups.

The pace is slow as the children are very young and need a lot of repetition. We need parents' support to reinforce the learning.

First, your child will learn to read:

- Set 1 Speed Sounds: these are sounds written with one letter:
- Set 1 sounds written with two letters ('special friends').
- Simple words containing these sounds, by sound-blending.

We also teach them to form the letters correctly following the rhymes with each letter.



Maisie, mountain, mountain



Around the apple and down the leaf



Slither down the snake



Around the dinosaurs bottom and up to his neck



Down the tower, across the tower



Down the insects body and a dot for his head.



Down Nobby and over his net



Down the pirates plait and around the pirates face



Round the girls face, down her hair and give her a curl



All around the orange



Curl around the caterpillar



Down the kangaroo's body curl his tail and leg



Down and under the umbrella, up to the top and down to the puddle



Down the laces, over the toe and to the heel



Down the stem and draw the leaves



Slice into the egg, go over the top, then under the egg.



Down the long leg



Down the horses head to his hooves and over his back.



sh says the horse to the hissing snake



Down his back then curl over his arm



Down his body curl and dot



Down the wing up the wing



Down a horn, up a horn and under the yak's head



Down up, down up



The princess in the tower is saved by the horse, thank you!



Zig, zag, zig



The horse sneezes when the caterpillars hairs get up his nose
chur-chur



The queen never goes out without her umbrella



Down the arm and leg, repeat the other side



Thing on a string



I think I stink

Reading: Read with your child every day and ask lots of questions. Encourage them to retell the story and find the sounds they have learned.

Set 1	
Sound	Rhyme
m	Down Maisie then over the two mountains. Maisie, mountain, mountain.
a	Round the apple, down the leaf.
s	Slither down the snake
d	Round the dinosaur's back, up his neck and down to his feet.
t	Down the tower, across the tower,
i	Down the insect's body, dot for the head.
n	Down Nobby and over the net.
p	Down the plait, up and over the pirates face.
g	Round the girls face, down her hair and give her a curl
o	All around the orange
c	Curl around the caterpillar

k	Down the kangaroos body, tail and leg
u	Down and under the umbrella, up to the top and down to the puddle
b	Down the laces, over the toe and touch the heel
f	Down the stem and draw the leaves
e	Slice into the egg, go over the top, then under the egg
l	Down the long leg
h	Down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back
sh	Slither down the snake, then down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back
r	Down the robot's back, then up and curl
j	Down his body, curl and dot
v	Down a wing, up a wing
y	Down a horn, up a horn and under the yak's head.
w	Down, up, down, up the worm.
th	Down the tower, across the tower, then down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back
z	Zig-zag-zig, down the zip.
ch	Curl around the caterpillar, , then down the horse's head to the hooves and over his back
qu	Round the queen's head, up to her crown, down her hair and curl
x	Cross down the arm and leg and cross the other way
ng	A thing on a string
nk	I think I stink

Read Write Inc. Green Words, Set 1

Word Time 1	Read	Spell	Word Time 2	Read	Spell	Word Time 3	Read	Spell	Word Time 4	Read	Spell	Word Time 5	Read	Spell	Word Time 6	Read	Spell	Word Time 7	Read	Spell	
at			an			bad			fan			jam			bang				bell		
dad			and			bin			fat			jet			box				best		
mad			dog			can			fish			jog			chat				blob		
mat			dig			cat			fun			rat			chin				blip		
sad			gap			cot			had			red			chop				brat		
sat			got			cup			hen			run			fox				clip		
			in			kit			hit			sock			flx				dress		
			it			mud			let			vet			quit				drip		
			on			up			lip			web			quiz				drop		
			pan			back			log			wet			sing				flag		
			pin			kick			met			win			six				flop		
			sit			lock			sack			wish			thick				frog		
			tip						set			yap			thin				from		
			top						ship			yes			thing				gran		
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