

Phonics

Year 1

Term by Term Coverage



Autumn 1

Can you read words containing phase 4 phonics sounds?

By the end of this term, children should:

- revise and secure Phase 3 sound knowledge.
- say phase 4 sounds
- apply their phase 4 sound knowledge to read words containing them and other sounds they know
- read cvcc, ccvc and ccvcc words containing known sounds

Vocabulary

Digraph—2 letters making 1 sound e.g. 'sh'

Trigraph—3 letters making 1 sound e.g. 'igh'

Vowel—a, e, i, o, u

Consonant -= the other letters in the alphabet

CVCC—consonant, vowel, consonant, consonant words e.g park

CCVC—consonant, consonant, vowel, consonant words e.g ship

CCVCC—consonant, consonant, vowel, consonant, consonant words e.g. chick

Autumn 2

Can you read words containing phase 5 phonics sounds?

By the end of this term, children should:

- start to learn phase 5 digraphs—ay, au, ie, oy, ir, ue, aw, wh, ph, ew, oe, ey.
- apply their knowledge to read words containing these digraphs and other sounds they know e.g. 'say'.

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Spring 1

Can you read words containing phase 5 phonics sounds?

By the end of this term, children should:

- revise and secure their knowledge of phase 5 sounds they have already been taught
- start to learn phase 5 split digraphs—a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e, u-e
- apply their phonics knowledge to read words containing these sounds and other sounds they know

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Split digraph—2 letters which are split between a consonant. These are usually (but not always) found at the end of a word e.g. bike.

Spring 2

Can you read words containing phase 5 phonics sounds and alternative pro- nunciations?

By the end of this term, children should:

- be able to apply their phonics knowledge to read words containing phase 5 sounds
- start to learn phase 5 alternative pronunciations e.g. cow and snow
- apply their knowledge and correctly read words containing phase 5 alternative pronunciations

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Alternative pronunciation—a different way to say a digraph e.g. cow and snow.

Summer

Can you read and write words containing phase 5 sounds?

By the end of the year, children should:

- be able to independently read words containing sounds from phase 2, 3, 4 and 5
- be able to apply their phonics knowledge to write words containing the sounds they know
- read the Year 1 Common Exception words
- undertake and pass the Phonics Screening Test

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