

Home Learning ideas to support the teaching of Phonics

Revisiting sounds	Play your favourite music and when the music stops hold up the sound card for the child to read.	Hide the sounds around the room – child is to run to the sound.	Child is to say the sound on the screen as quick as they can. Could you time it? Speedsound PowerPoint	Adult to say a sound then the child is to either use a counter or circle the sound on the sound mat using a white pen.
Tricky Words	Tricky word trucks – phonics play https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/tricky-word-trucks Phonics Play support video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lew5QO10h_c	Adult to say a tricky word and child is to either point or circle the tricky word on the sound mat.	Watch and join in with the tricky word song https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TvMyssfAUx0	Jump the river – you place a cloth on the floor and child has to read tricky word and if it's correct then they can jump the cloth (river). Challenge - can they say the tricky word in a sentence?
Writing	Get a big piece of paper and different coloured pens for the child to write their sounds and words containing the sounds.	Writing letters with chalk outside and CVC words containing the sounds we have learnt so far in phonics e.g. c a t. 	Sensory writing – forming letters in a tray filled with either sand, shaving foam, seeds etc. You can use a variety of writing tools – finger, pencil, paintbrush, stick, feather. 	Phoneme game – say the word and write the sound you hear in each box.  Phoneme frames
Reading	Pick phase 1& 2 words. Read the word and match to the picture https://www.phonicsbloom.com/uk/game/match-cards?phase=2	Bounce Blending – lay out three hoops. Place a sound next to each hoop. A child then jumps into each hoop, shouting out the sounds. when they bounce out of the final hoop, they blend the word aloud! 	Name all the pictures then select the pictures on the PowerPoint that begin with the sound shown. Initial sound Powerpoint	Use your Fred arm to sound out and blend the green words on the PowerPoint. Green word PowerPoint

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