


















Phonics at Home



Below are some ideas to help your child with phonics at home.

<p>Sing songs and rhymes</p>  	 <p>Hunt for words containing same sound/phoneme around the room; on the way to school.</p>	<p>Hunt for sounds/phonemes in words e.g. /i/</p>  <p>b i n</p>  <p>i n k</p>
<p>Rhyming words. Think of a word that rhymes with....</p> <p>dog </p> <p>frog  log </p>	<p>Say the sounds in a word - "b - e - d "</p> <p>Can your child guess what it is?</p> 	<p>Match sounds to pictures or objects</p> <p>'c' -  cat</p> <p>'r' -  robot</p>
<p>Play 'I spy....' e.g. "something beginning with b"</p> <p>ball?  bag? </p> <p>bat? </p>	<p>Play snap and pairs games with words containing the same sound 'e'</p> <p> elephant</p> <p> eggs</p>	<p>Have a go at writing letters to go with phonemes and simple words</p> <p> box </p>
 <p>Play Kim's game with letters, words or objects starting with the same sound. Take one away. Which one is missing?</p>  	<p>Make words - using plastic letters; cut out letters from a newspaper</p> <p> =</p> <p>rib</p>	<p>Make a bingo game using phonemes/sounds or words being covered.</p> 
<p>Cut words up into their phonemes/sounds. Place in an envelope. Can your child re-arrange them?</p> <p>e.g. h-a-t  Can they tell you a sentence with the word in?</p>	<p>Play letter hunts.</p>  <p>Ask your child to collect letters hidden around the house or garden. What sound does it make?</p>	<p>Hunt for sounds/phonemes and tricky words in books.</p> 

Phonics in Reception



The children will learn up to 4 new phonemes/letter sounds a week. They will also be taught tricky words at each phase that **cannot** be sounded out/decoded.

Phase 2 phonemes/letter sounds:

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

Phase 2 tricky words - *the; to; no; go; I; into*

Phase 3 phonemes/letter sounds:

By the end of Phase 3 the children will know ***one way*** of writing down each of the 44 phonemes/letter sounds.

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

Phase 3 tricky words - *you; they; all; are; my; her; he; she; we; me; be; was*

Useful Websites



- ❖ www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- ❖ www.teachyourmonstertoread.com
- ❖ www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies
- ❖ oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/reading-owl/expert-help/phonics-made-easy
- ❖ www.familylearning.org.uk/phonics_games
- ❖ readingeggs.co.uk/apps/eggy-phonics/
- ❖ jollylearning.co.uk
- ❖ Mr Thorne does phonics - You tube
- ❖ You tube - pure sounds