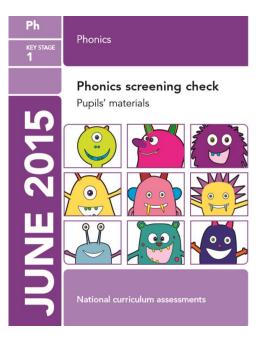
Year 1 Phonics Screening 2019







Aims for the meeting:

Phonics

- ✓ What is it?
- ✓ How do we teach it?

Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

✓ Suggest ways you can help your child at home with phonics

Answer any questions you may have

What is Phonics?

- ✓ Phonics is the understanding of how letters and sounds combine to make words.
- ✓ It is also a tool to help children break down words in order to spell and write them (segmenting and blending).
- They are taught to read and write through use of segmenting and blending words.
- The children are taught new phonemes and graphemes each week.

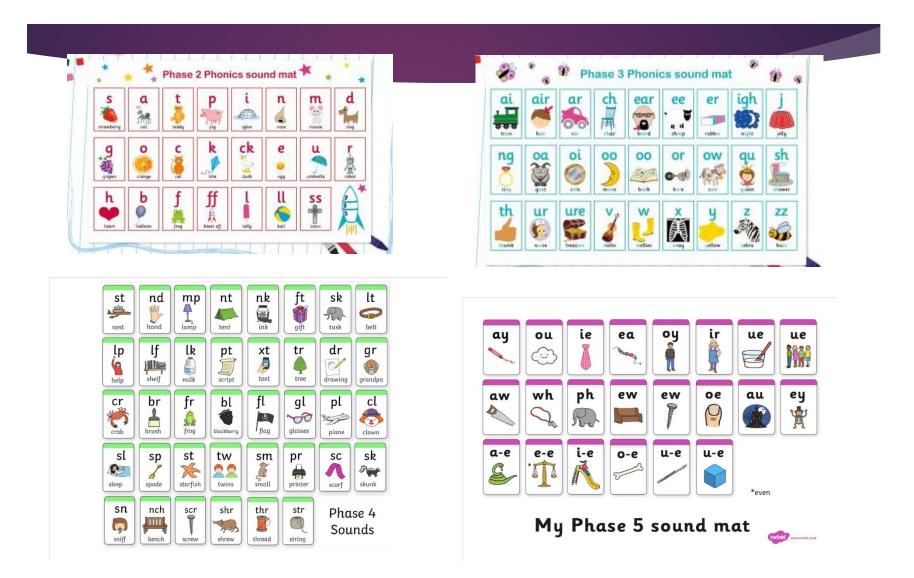
How do we teach it?

- ✓ It is taught for 20 minutes every day through a mixture of whole class & ability groups.
- ✓ Through a mixture of games, activities, songs, rhymes and actions using the 'Sounds-Write' and 'Letters and Sounds' synthetic phonics programmes.
- There are 'phases' which the children will work through.

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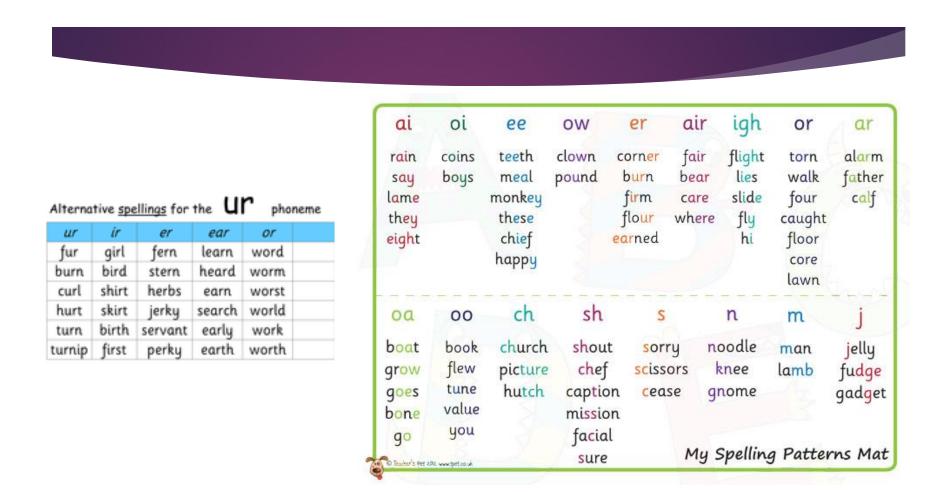
Below are the sounds that we have been and will be focusing on throughout Year 1.

At home you could try word building and looking out for these sounds when reading with your child!



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Alternative spellings of the same sound (phoneme) are also taught in Year 1.



Year 1 Phonics Screening

- ✓ All children in Year 1 across England take part in a Phonics Screening assessment in June.
- ✓ This takes the form of a short reading test —containing 40 words (both real and alien) for the children to read.
- ✓ Pass mark in recent years has been 32 out of 40.
- ✓ Those children who do not achieve the pass mark at the end of Year 1 will resit the Phonics Screening assessment in Year 2.

How do we administer the screening?

YOUR CHILD WILL SIT WITH THEIR TEACHER AND BE ASKED TO READ 40 WORDS ALOUD

THE CHECK WILL TAKE APPROXIMATELY 10 MINUTES TO COMPLETE

Examples

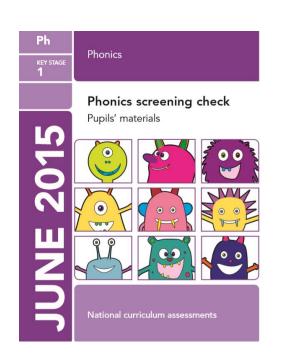
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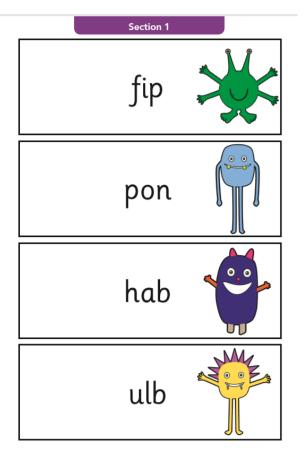
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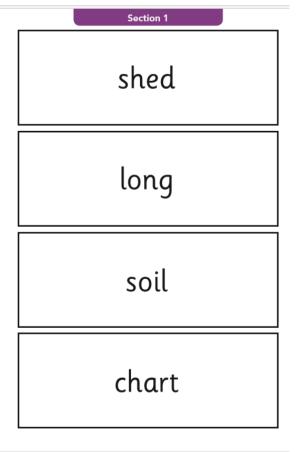
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What your child will see...







When is it?

✓ This year, phonics screening will take place during:

w.c. 10th June 2019

What can you do to help?

✓ Please ensure that your child arrives at school on time in order to ensure that they do not miss their phonics lessons.

What can you do to help?

There are a number of things that you can do at home to support early reading development:

- ✓ Let your child see you enjoy reading yourself. They are influenced by you and what you do!
- ✓ Immerse your child in a love of reading
- ✓ Read as much as possible to and with your child encourage your child to 'sound out' when listening to your child read.
- ✓ www.mrthornedoesphonics
- ✓ www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- ✓ www.lettersandsounds.com

Any questions?

Thank you for coming!