



# Phonics Workshop

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# Phonics at Scott Primary



- In school, we follow the Letters and Sounds programme. Letters and Sounds is a phonics resource published by the Department for Education which consists of six phases.
- We also use the actions and rhymes from Jolly Phonics.
- Phonics is taught everyday at 8.55am for 20 mins
- After children have passed their Phonic screening assessment then children go on to SPAG – Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

# Terminology



- Phoneme – the sound a letter makes
- Grapheme – how a sound is written
- Segmenting and blending – segmenting for writing, blending for reading
- Digraph – two letters that make one sound – ch, th, oa
- Trigraph – three letters that make one sound – tch, igh
- Split digraph – a digraph that has a letter splitting it – a-e, i-e



## Phase 1

Phase One of 'Letters and Sounds' concentrates on developing children's speaking and listening skills and lays the foundations for the phonic work which starts in Phase 2. The emphasis during Phase 1 is to get children attuned to the sounds around them and ready to begin developing oral blending and segmenting skills.

# Phase 2



Pure sounds – 42 speech sounds –

<https://www.phonicbooks.co.uk/2011/03/13/how-to-say-the-sounds-of-letters-in-synthetic-phonics/>

Letter names and sounds/ phonemes

- **Set 1:** s, a, t, p
- **Set 2:** i, n, m, d
- **Set 3:** g, o, c, k
- **Set 4:** ck, e, u, r
- **Set 5:** h, b, f, ff, l, ll, ss

# Phase 3



- **Set 6:** j, v, w, x
- **Set 7:** y, z, zz, qu
- **Consonant digraphs:** ch, sh, th, ng
- **Vowel digraphs:** ai, ee, igh, oa, oo, ar, or, ur, ow, oi, ear, air, ure, er

# Phase 4



- This phase consolidates all the children have learnt in the previous phases.
- Plus constant clusters – bl, pl, sl, sp, fr, (not digraphs)

# Phase 5



- Children will be taught new graphemes and alternative pronunciations for these graphemes.
- **Vowel digraphs:** wh, ph, ay, ou, ie, ea, oy, ir, ue, aw, ew, oe, au
- **Split digraphs:** a\_e, e\_e, i\_e, o\_e, u\_e



# Phase 6



- The focus is on learning spelling rules for suffixes.

**-s      -es      -ing      -ed**  
**-er      -est      -y      -en**  
**-ful    -ly      -ment    -ness**

There are also tricky words to learn in each phase!

# Blending



Building words from phonemes to read.

c a t      q u e e n

cat      queen

# Segmenting



Segmenting phonemes from words to spell

cat

queen

c a t

Q u e e n

# Digraphs and trigraphs



church

light

near

ladder

hair

cake

play

glue

toe

bird

# What does a Phonics lesson look like?



Revisit/review	Flashcards to practice phonemes learnt so far.
Teach	Teach new phoneme air
Practice	Buried treasure Air, zair, fair, hair, lair, pair, vair, sair, thair
Apply	Read captions: The fair was in town. The pair of girls had long hair.

# Year 1 Phonics Screening



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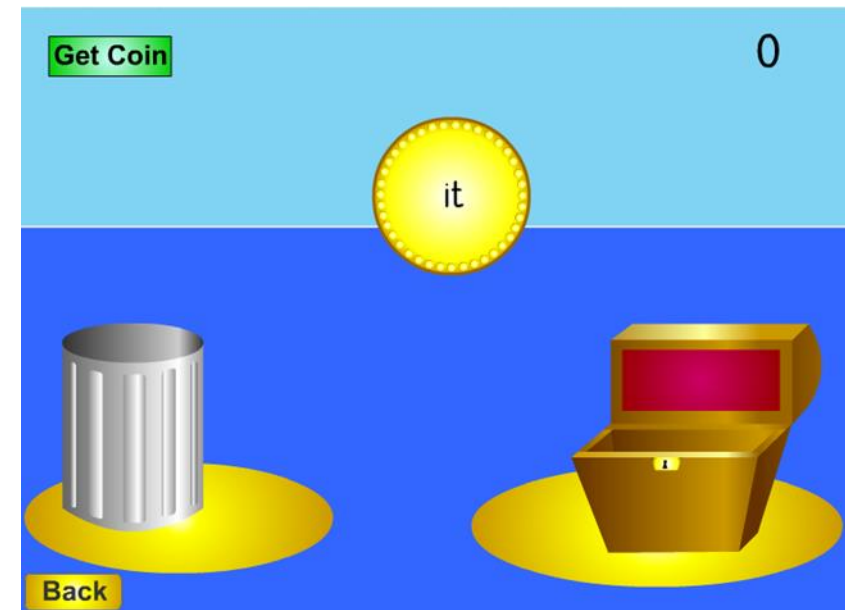
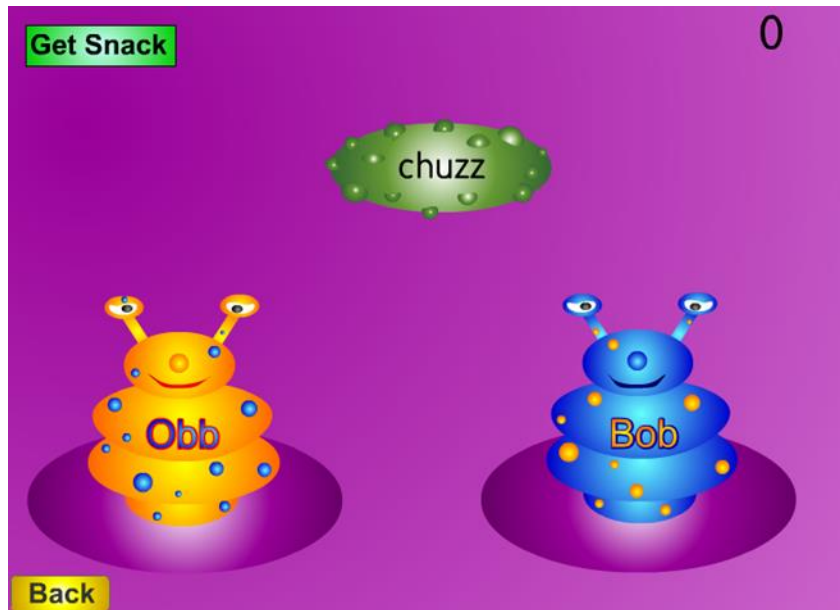
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# Resources



- <http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk>





Any questions???

Thank you for coming!