

Curriculum and Coffee Session 1

9th September 2025

A COMPLETE PHONICS RESOURCE
TO SUPPORT CHILDREN

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LETTERS AND
SOUNDS
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Teach reading: change lives

Parent workshop: Phonics and early reading in Reception, Phase 2

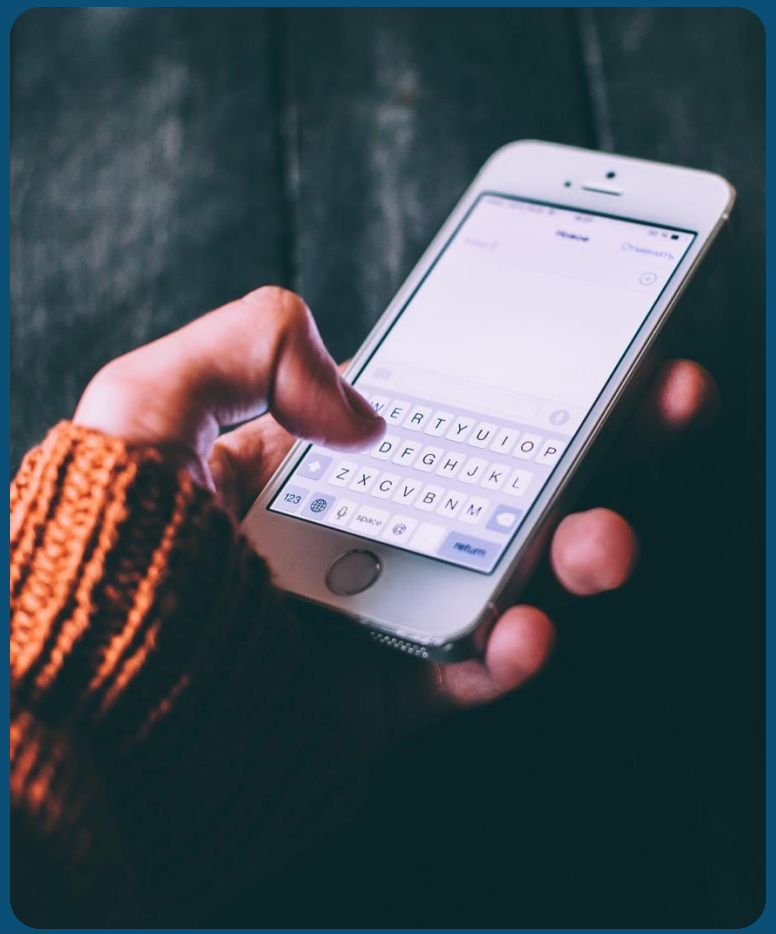
(Autumn 1)

A love of reading is the biggest indicator of future academic success.

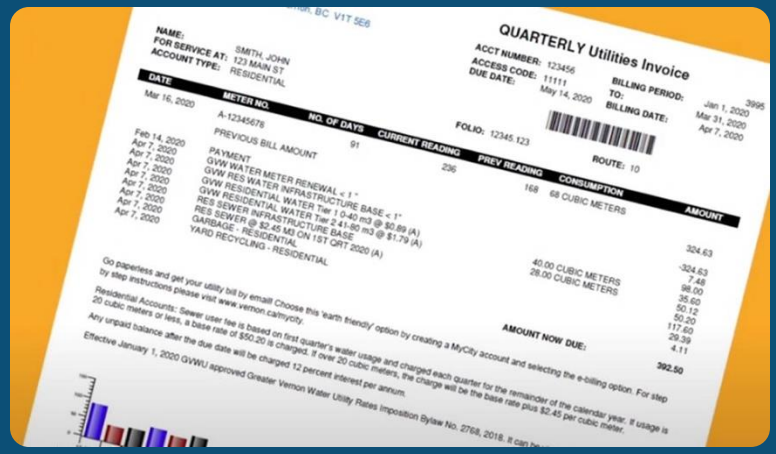
OECD (The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development)

How many times have you already read today?









Phonics

Phonics is:

making connections between the sounds of our spoken words and the letters that are used to write them down.

Terminology

Phoneme

Grapheme

Digraph

Trigraph

Blend

Segment

This term we are teaching Phase 2



Let’s say the Phase 2 sounds

 s ss	 t tt	 p pp	 n nn	 m mm	 d dd	 g gg	 c k ck cc	 r rr
 h	 b bb	f ff	 l ll	j	 v vv	 w	 x	 y
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Phase 2 sounds taught in Reception Autumn 1

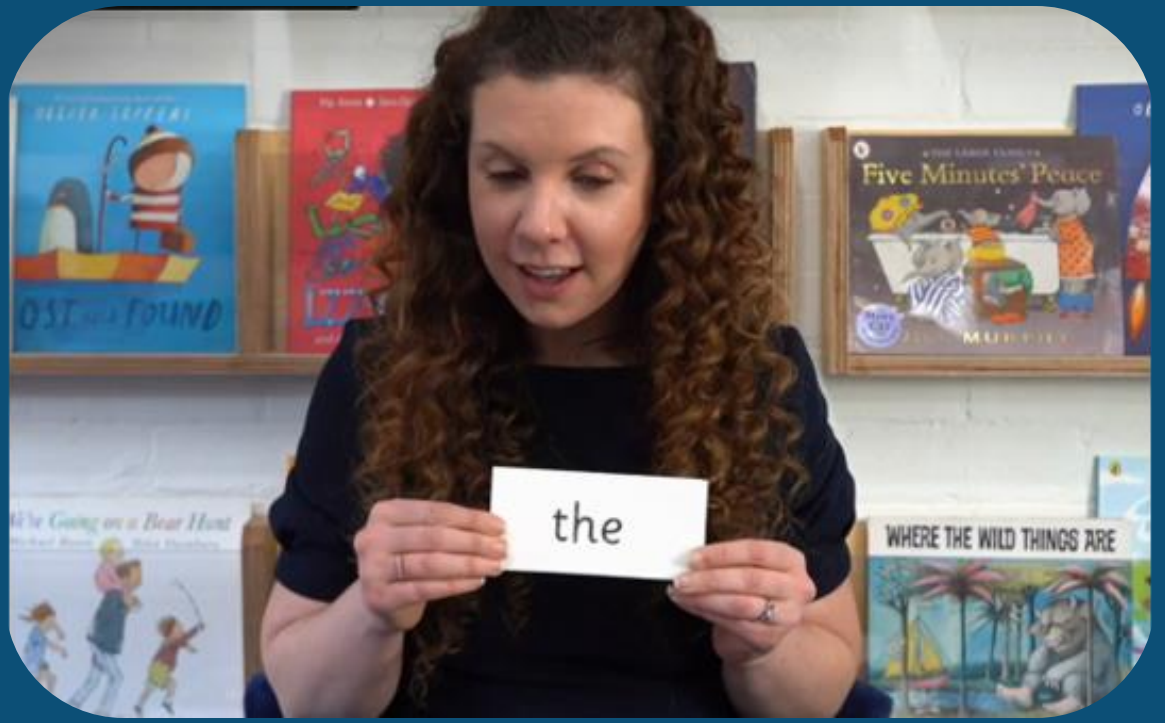


Phase 2 sounds taught in Reception Autumn 2

We teach blending so your child learns to read



Tricky words

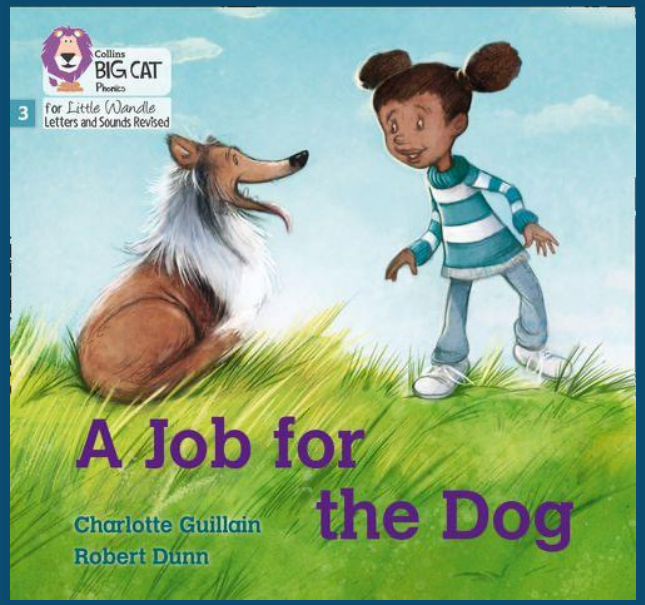


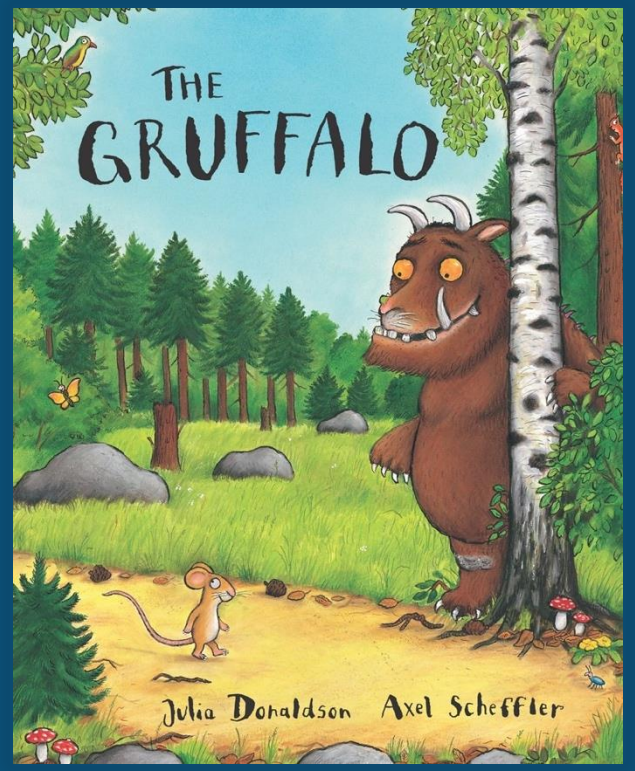
How we make learning stick



Reading at home

Books going home





Reading a wordless books



Read to your child



The most important thing you can do is read with your child



Parental involvement in the development of children's reading skills: A five-year longitudinal study (2002) Senechal, M. and Lefvre, J

One of the greatest gifts adults can give is to read to children

Carl Sagan