Phonics Screening Check

Parent Workshop



What is the Phonics Screening Check?

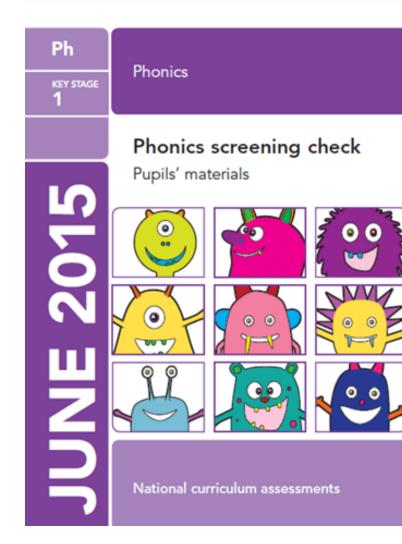
- It is a statutory reading check that all Year 1 children take in June
- The check is designed to assess if a child has reached the age appropriate standard of decoding by the end of Year 1

How is the check administered?

- It is completed on a 1:1 basis with a teacher
- There is no time limit
- The children have worked on similar activities in their phonics lessons and are familiar with the format

What does the check consist of?

- The test contains 40 words
- 20 real words and 20 pseudo words ('nonsense words')
- The pseudo words are presented with an alien picture ('alien' words)
- The words gradually get more difficult



Phonics 2015

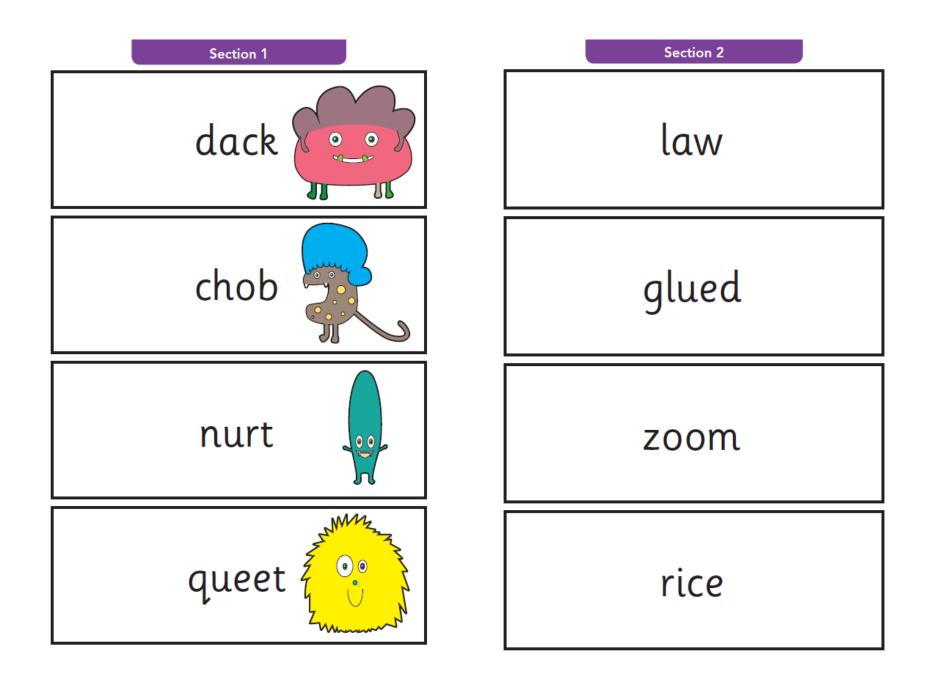
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Why use pseudo words?

 It allows the teacher to be sure that the child is able to decode unfamiliar words and is not just reading words from memory

What is the expectation?

- For the past few years, the expected standard has been set at 32 out of 40 words correctly read
- This could change...the Department for Education do not release the pass mark until the tests are completed!

Do all children complete the check?

- It is expected that all children complete the check unless they have no understanding of the way sounds link to letters
- If a teacher feels a child is really struggling, they may choose to end the check before the end
- There is no time limit and teachers can edit the size of the text or 'chunk' the check

What happens if a child does not meet the expected standard?

- Children who do not meet the expected standard in Year 1 complete the check again in Year 2
- School is required to provide extra support for

What happens to the data?

- You will be informed of your child's results (End of Year Reports)
- The data legally has to be submitted to the Department for Education
- The data is used within school to provide assessment support/targets



Phase 5 Phonemes





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Phase 2 to 5 Sounds

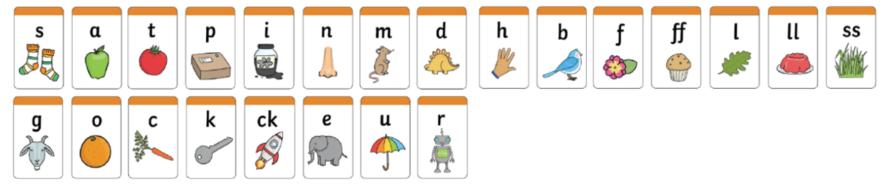
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Reception Coverage

Phase 2 Phonemes



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tan	nip	tin	dip	pot
cut	pet	hat	fit	fun
hot	sock	duck	hill	kiss
puff	full	bell	pass	kick

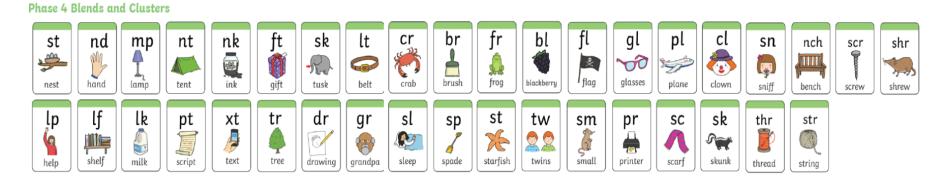
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Phase 3 Phonemes



jam	visit	wax	cobweb	quiz
zigzag	ring	moth	shock	letter
chill	rain	deep	light	toad
rooftop	wood	bark	torn	surf
town	soil	dear	fair	sure

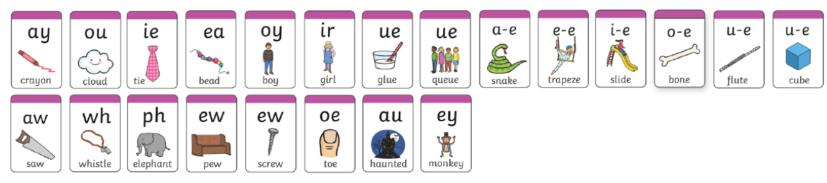
Year 1 Coverage



lamp	gift	milk	chimp	bench
paint	sandpit	melting	step	frog
drop	train	spoil	brush	sport
stamp	blend	thank	graft	street

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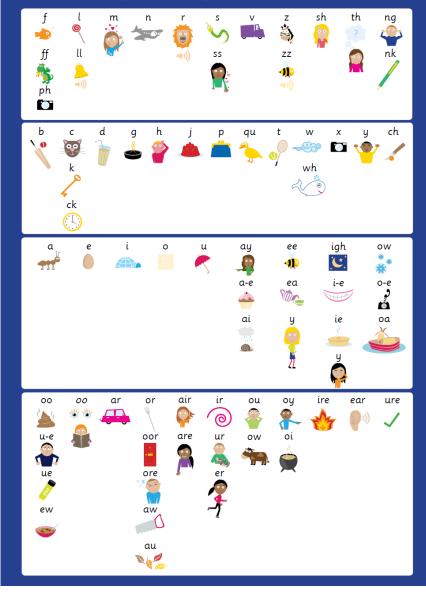
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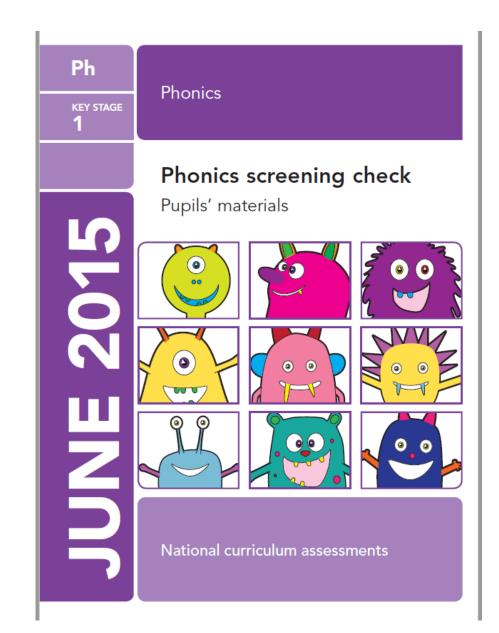
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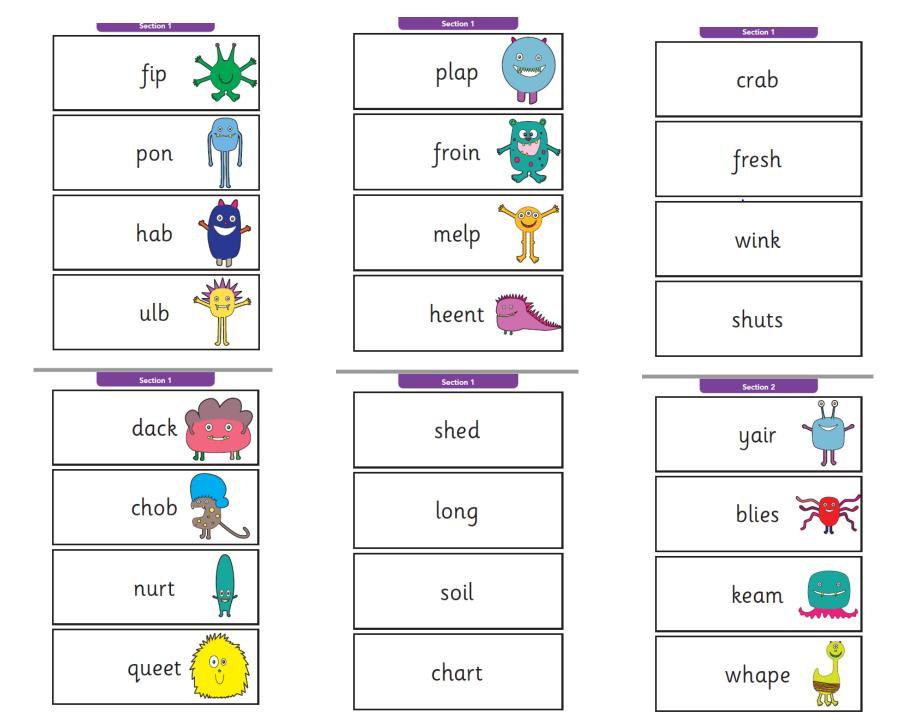
Funky Phonics

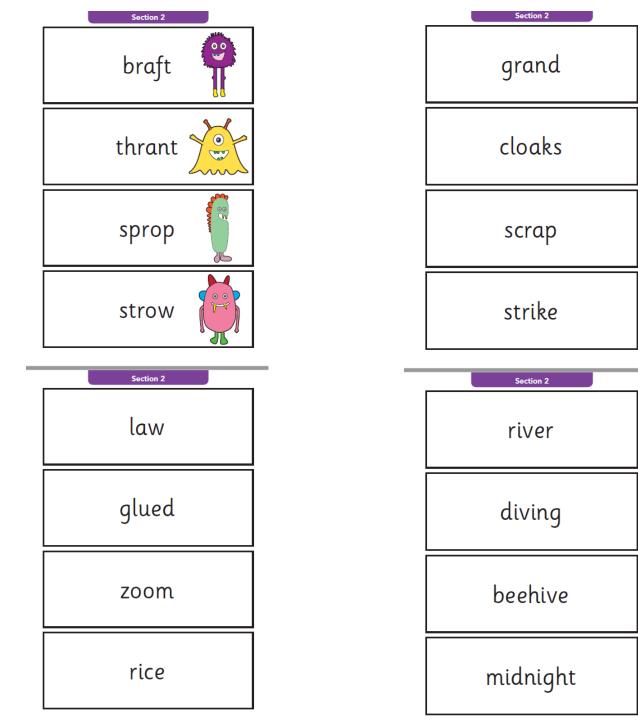
Complex Speed Sounds



An example of a test....







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YouTube <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BqhXUW</u> <u>v-1s</u>	Support on pronouncing the phonemes (sounds)	
		813,159 views
Phonics Play	Phonics activities and games	PhonicsPlay.co.uk
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	children should be Phase 3	Free resources
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