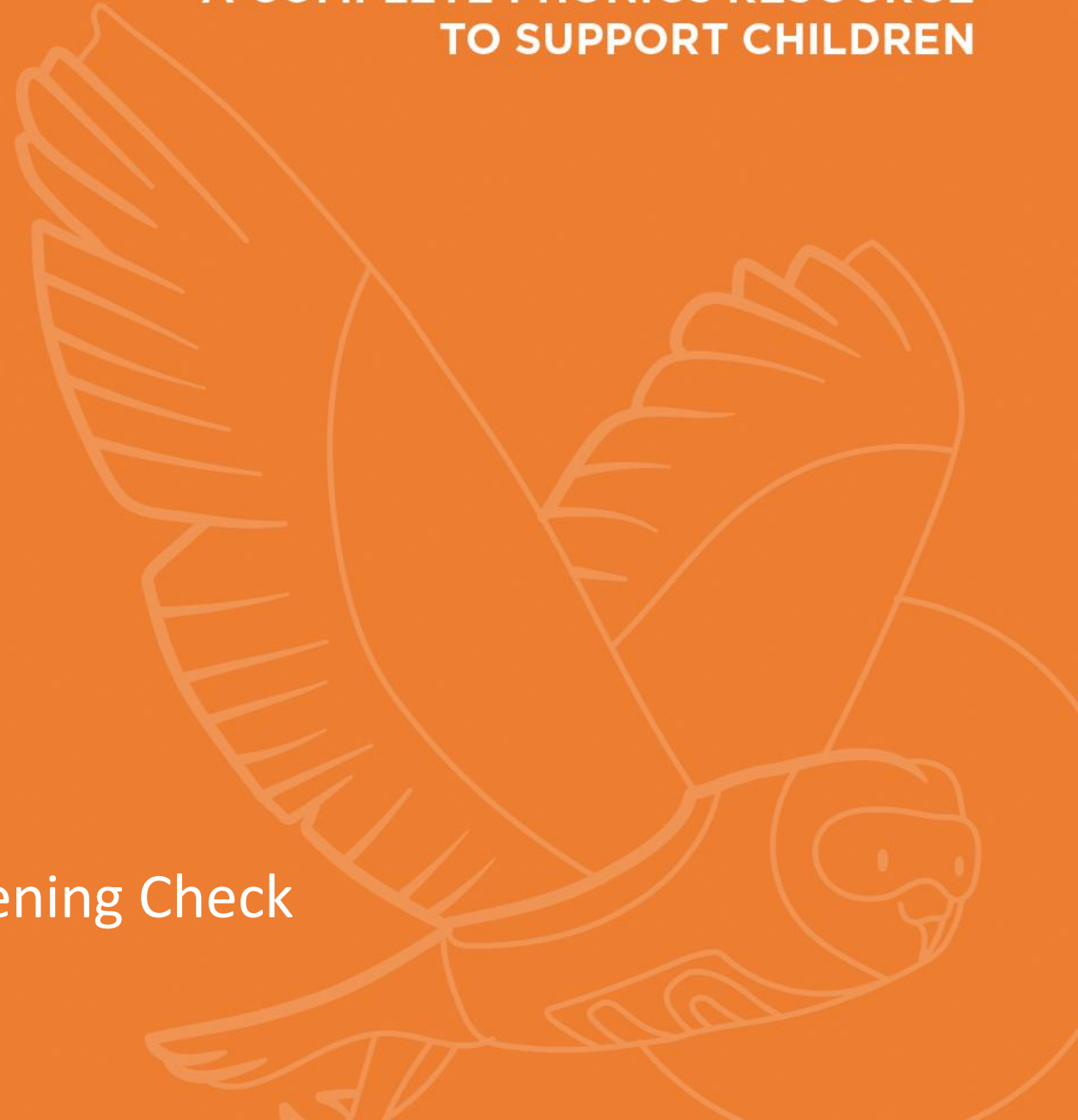




**A COMPLETE PHONICS RESOURCE
TO SUPPORT CHILDREN**

Teach reading: change lives

Parent workshop: Year 1 Phonics Screening Check





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

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

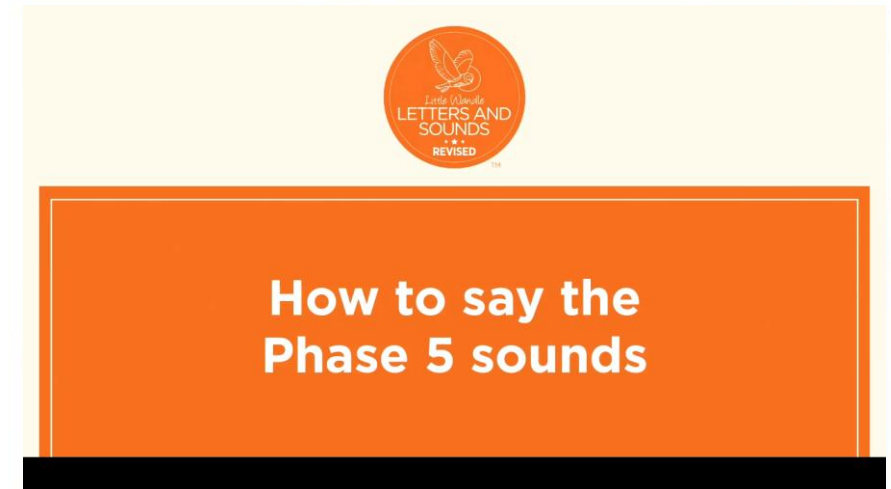
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Phonics

What your child been taught so far

Your child has already learnt Phase 2, Phase 3 and Phase 4 Phonics. They are now working on Phase 5 which is the last phase.

They will keep learning Phonics next year at the start of Year 2. Then when they have finished Phonics, they will move on to Little Wandle Spelling.



How we teach Phase 5



Phonics Screening Check

This term we are preparing for the Phonics Screening Check

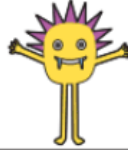
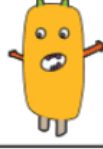


What is the Phonics Screening Check?

- It is a quick check of your child's phonics knowledge.
- It is **not** designed to create any stress or anxiety for your child.
- It assesses decoding skills using phonics.
- It consists of 40 words (20 real words, 20 'alien words').

If children do not achieve the required score in Year 1, they will retake the screening at the end of Year 2.

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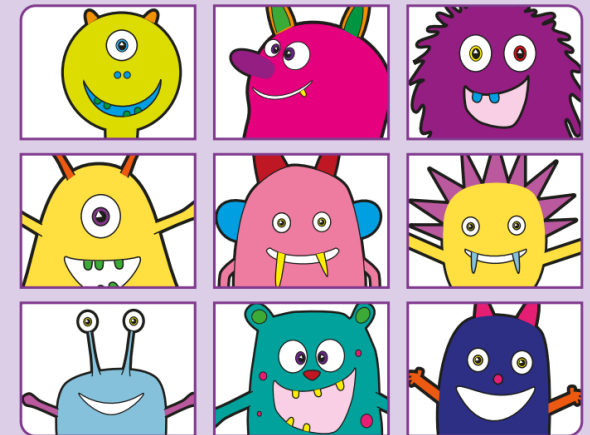
- Your child will sit with a member of staff that they know.
- They will be asked to read 40 words aloud.
- This takes just a few minutes to complete, but there is no time limit.
- If your child is struggling, the teacher will stop.
- It has been carefully designed not to be stressful for your child.

2023 national curriculum assessments

Key stage 1

Phonics screening check

Pupils' materials



What are 'alien words'?



**Why we teach alien words
for Phonics Screening Check**

A quick guide to alien words

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'Alien words' recap



- The check will contain 20 'alien words'.
- The children will be familiar with alien words and will start to read them this term.
- Alien words assess children's decoding skills and are used in lessons for the purpose of preparing for the Phonics Screening Check **only**.
- Children cannot read these words by using their memory or known vocabulary, so they have to use their decoding skills. This is a fair way to assess their ability to decode.
- The Phonics Screening Check will be administered in June.

Reading words

When trying to read a new word, we ask children to sound talk and blend. This means say all the sounds out loud first, then blend them together to say the word.

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Practise with flashcards and alien words at home



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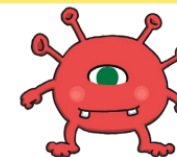
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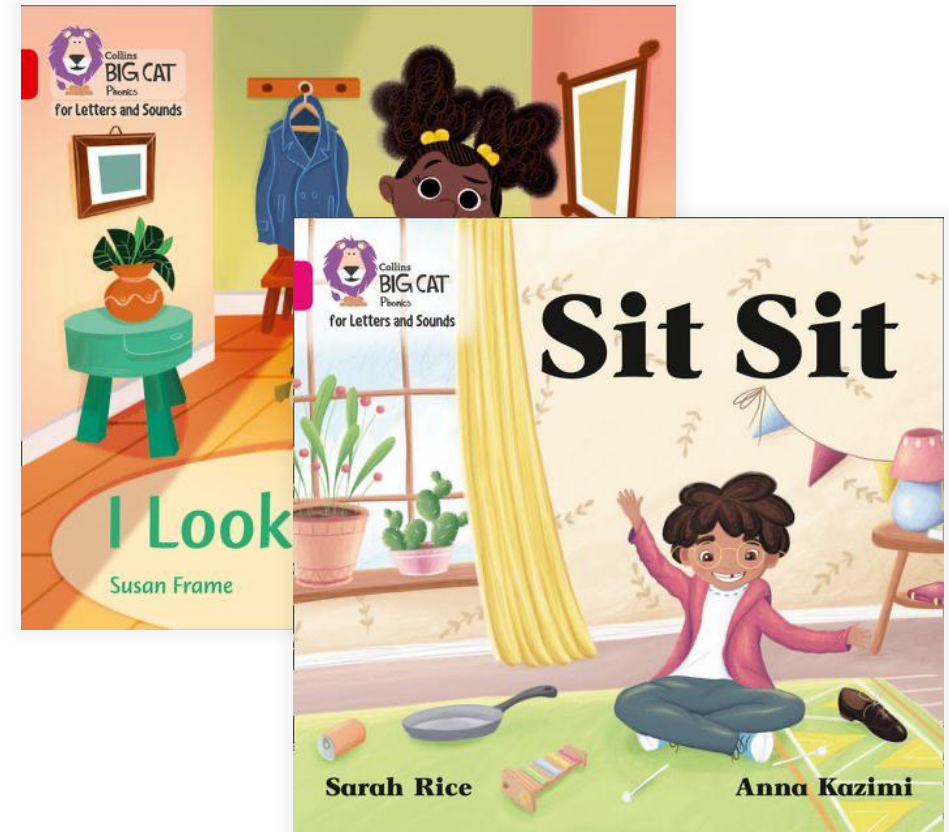




Reading at home

Listening to your child read their phonics book

- Your child should be able to read their book without your help.
- If they can't read a word read it to them.
- Talk about the book and celebrate their success.



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



**Thank you for coming.
Please take your resources
pack!**

**Please ask me or Mrs Albkri
if you have any questions 😊**



