



Talk to Me, Phonics!

Week 4 - Spring 2

This week in phonics, your child has been recapping previously taught sounds. We have been focusing on sound spotting within words and accurately adding sound buttons to real and alien words.

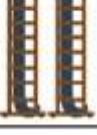
This week your child will bring home a set of Phase 3 and 5 flashcards. These can be cut up and used at home to recap and practise phonics. Some ideas of games you could play with the flashcards:

- **Flashcard Bean Bag Toss:** Lay cards on the floor. Children throw a bean bag (or something similar) and must say the sound/word it lands on.
- **Sound Scavenger Hunt:** Hide flashcards around the room. Children find them and say the sounds aloud.
- **Stepping Stones:** Create a path of flashcards. Children read each card before stepping on it to cross the "river".
- **Digraph Swat:** Place flashcards on the table. When a sound is called, children "swat" the correct card.
- **Memory/Pairs:** Place cards face down and take turns flipping two over to find sound families (digraphs that make the same sound but are made with different letters)
- **What's Missing?:** Place three or four cards down, have children close their eyes, remove one, and ask them to identify the missing card.
- **Secret Password:** Tape a flashcard to the door. Children must read the "password" to enter the room.
- **Speed Sounds:** Two players have cards; they flip them over and the first to read the card aloud wins their opponents card.



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w	x	ie	ea



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