Phonics - Reading and Spelling Pack One

This pack is a revision and learning pack, designed so that over a five day week, you can recap ten sounds with their different spellings. Some spellings may be new to you but it is important that you know them. Sound spotters have been included to support reading of the sound and word lists are provided to support spelling practise. There are ten sounds in a pack so please try to do two sounds each week day, this will help you to be ready for packs 2 and 3. Use your phonics families and your skills in sound talking to spell the words. Don't worry if you do not choose the right member of the family in your word- just make sure you are using the right sound. For example: If I were trying to write the word coughing and I wrote coffing, that would be ok... It is not the right spelling but it is phonetically correct and I have heard five sounds c-o-ff-i-n-g. We do not expect you to know how to spell every word- you wouldn't be learning if you already knew everything. What we would like is for you to play with different phonic spellings. Top tip: Patterns don't exist for all sounds but for some sounds (e.g. oi, oy) you might notice a pattern with where the sound is used in words.

Instructions:

Step One- Look at the family picture. How many can you remember? Either have a copy of the family in view or write down each spelling of the sound so you have it in front of you.

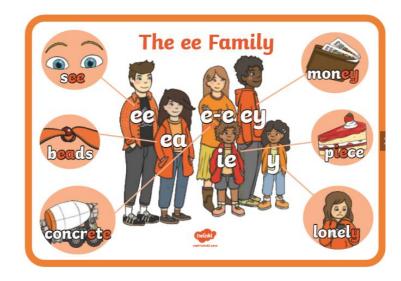
Step Two- If the sound has a sound-spotter sheet, see if you can spot the sound-remember it is not the spelling you are looking for, it is the sound e.g. if you were looking for the sound 'ee', you could notice 'ea' in the word beach but not in the word great.

Step Three- you've seen lots of examples, so it's time to try spelling. Ask your grown up to read a word from the list. You should then sound talk the word

Step Four- write the sounds you hear

You get a point for hearing the right amount of different sounds and a bonus point if you've got the right spelling. How many points can you get? Extension: Step Three- for words that don't look quite right try out different spellings (your grown up can help you find the right one)

ea ee ey y e ie e_e



Word write:

beach sleep monkey evening sunny seat chief piece steam thief tea carry happy these sea complete field hurry clean see frequent keep queen treat sweet read niece week weak neat

Featuring additional spelling(s) for sound: we she be me

Phoneme spotter- The party

/ee/

It was the evening of Steve's fancy dress party. Three people were invited: Ellie, Pete and Jerry.

Steve was very happy with his stripy yellow and black bee outfit. Ellie came as a queen, Pete came as a sheep and Jerry came as a priest.

"These outfits look great," said Steve. "We all look so funny."

His friends had brought presents for him: sweets and money from Ellie, a hockey stick from Pete and, best of all, a cuddly monkey from Jerry. "This is a real treat," said Steve. "What lovely gifts to receive."

The first game they played was pin the tail on the donkey. Then they played sleeping lions and hunt the penny. After that it was time for tea.

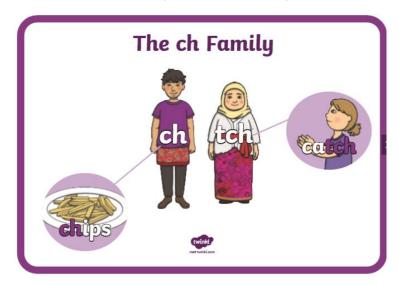
"Take a seat," said Steve to his guests. "Who would like jelly and ice cream to eat?"

"Me!" they all shouted.

"Not so loud you greedy lot," joked Steve. "There's no need to shriek."

After tea there was time for a brief game of musical bumps before, sadly, it was time to leave. They all took a piece of Steve's tasty birthday cake to eat later. The party had been a complete success and they all went home to sleep and dream of their lovely evening.

ch tch (with schwa: ture)



Word write:

chip fetch kitchen catch lunch witch which church

Similar but not quite the same and with a schwa (ture):

mixture future creature adventure picture

Phoneme Spotter: Church Adventure

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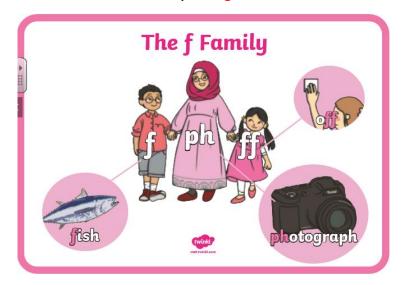
After a quick game of hop-scotch, I went into the kitchen where Mum was cooking some chops for lunch. They were making such a delicious smell. I love chops very much, especially the chunky ones.

After lunch we decided to go on an adventure. We had seen a picture of a little church in a nearby village. It looked really interesting. We caught a coach but by the time we had arrived it was nearly dark. Fortunately Mum had brought a torch so she switched it on. I felt a mixture of fear and excitement.

In the dim light we lurched towards the church door. As we opened the latch I head a strange sound.

"Watch out!" cried Mum as a cockroach scuttled away under the pews. I began to itch at the thought of touching one. Mum gave me a lecture and told me to be more mature. The cockroach was definitely more frightened of us.

f ph ff gh



Word write:

fan dolphin sniff phone left offer cliff photo fork finish alphabet graph scruffy drift phoneme toffee elephant toffee

Featuring additional spelling(s) for sound:

rough cough laugh enough tough

Phoneme spotter- Shipwrecked!

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Far out across the ocean there was an island. It was surrounded by rough seas. Fluffy puffins lived in the tough rocky cliffs and they stayed out of the draughty winds.

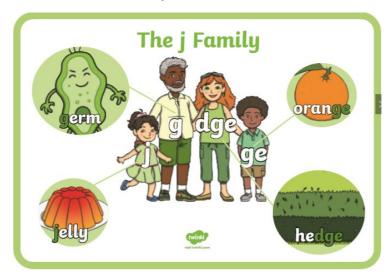
The island was also the home of an old man and his nephew, Philip. A ship they had been travelling on had crashed and they had been left to drift on a raft. Philip's parents had been lost at sea and he now lived as an orphan, shipwrecked on the island with his uncle.

They both loved the island. On fine days they would lie on the beach eating fruit as sweet as toffee and this was more than enough to fill them up. Sometimes they would watch puffs of clouds float across the sky in the shapes of elephants, flamingos and giraffes.

The boy had one photo of his family. When he looked at it he would begin to sniff and cough, trying not to cry because he missed them so much.

Fortunately, their luck was about to change. On a fine, fair day, as they were sitting on a beach, they saw a dolphin's fin bobbing in and out of the water. Following it was a small boat full of familiar faces. It was their family coming to save them.

j g dge ge



Word write:

hedge badge message magic jug page ginger bridge change energy huge

The magic fridge

/j/

Jess lived in a little cottage in the middle of a small village. One day, just last week, Jess opened the fridge to get out a jug of milk and something very strange happened. A giant hand reached out from the fridge and grabbed Jess, pulling her inside. The fridge had become huge and Jess sat on the edge of a shelf next to the milk jug, clinging on to the ledge near the eggs and a sausage.

The fridge had a magic energy and it whisked Jess out of her kitchen, into the garden, through the hedge and away over the countryside across a bridge. It went very fast, just managing to dodge houses as it went, like a large cage hurtling through the sky.

Things got even stranger when the giant hand ruffled Jess's ginger hair and then handed her some fudge.

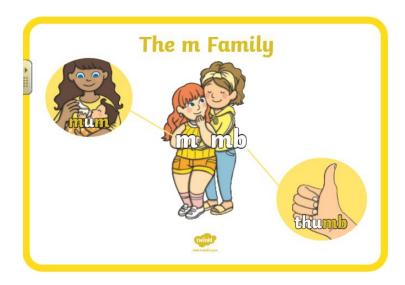
"Take me back home!" shouted Jess in a rage.

The fridge nudged forward and then headed off and landed back in Jess's kitchen.

Jess told her mum what had happened.

"What a jolly joke," said Jess's mum. "You deserve a badge for your amazing imagination."

m mm mb mn



Word write:

jumper lamb climb remember thumb comb Featuring additional spelling(s) for sound:

autumn hymn hammer simmer mummy comma

Phoneme spotter- Mammoths and Lambs

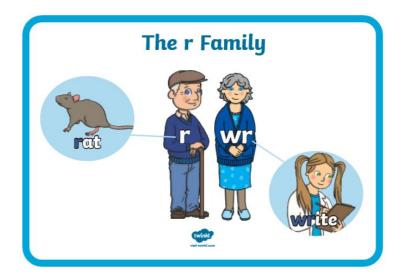
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In the summer, a mammoth met a lamb on the summit of a massive mountain.

"That was a big climb," he complained miserably.

"What do you get if you cross a sheep with a kangaroo?" joked the lamb to cheer him up. "A woolly jumper. HA HA!"

"That's just dumb. Please try to be a bit more solemn," said the mammoth. "Let's try to get down this mountain before autumn arrives. I recommend walking carefully and slowly."



Word write:

red write wrinkle rope rubber wrote wriggle rapper right wreck wrist wrong wrestle

Extension- featuring additional spelling(s) for sound:

carrot parrot sorrow marry lorry arrive cherry rhino rhyme rhubarb rhythm

Phoneme Spotter-Robert the Writer

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Robert was a writer. He was trying to write a children's story but his wrist ached and he kept going wrong.

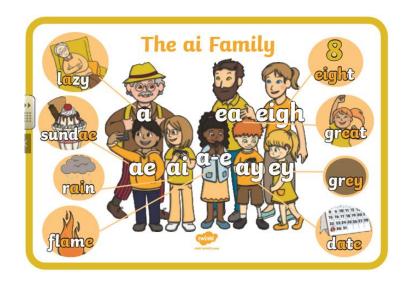
He reminded himself that the story he wrote last week was really good. It was a rhyming story about a rat and a rhino who drive a red lorry.

Today he felt wretched. He hadn't slept very well and he felt a wreck.

"This story is rubbish," he said in sorrow. It was about a parrot who liked to eat carrots and rhubarb but it just sounded ridiculous. Poor Robert felt horrid, but he wriggled his wrist and returned to his writing.

Finally the story was written. In the end the parrot met a wren he wanted to marry. They wrapped their wings around each other and lived happily ever after.

a ai ae ea ay ey a_e eigh aigh



Word write:

table name today paint snail areat game spray afraid crayon stay baby pray spade prey paper steak great today pain cake eight clay they escape rain obey bacon sprain sway afraid sleigh make wait great grate break hay train baby sundae able weigh lady stay

Featuring additional spelling(s) for sound: straight

Phoneme Spotter: A day on Skates

/ai/

"Hooray!" said Kate. "It's Saturday. No school today so we can go and skate down by the lake."

"Great!" said Ray. "If we take some lunch with us we can stay until late."

They packed some ham, apricots and cake.

"Wait while I get our coats," said Kate. "The sky looks a bit grey. It might rain."

They got to the lake at midday. The sun was shining and they put on their skates straight away.

"Let's play a game of chase," said Kate. They raced after each other on their skates.

After a while Ray said, "I think its time for a break."

"Yes," said Kate. "Let's have lunch in the shade."

After lunch they played chase again. "Hey! Slow down," said Ray. "Don't go crazy." But Kate went faster and she fell over.

"Help me!" she called. "I'm in such pain. Can you carry me? I can't walk." "Sorry," said Ray. "I'm afraid you weigh too much."

Ray helped Kate up and they came home.

"I can just about walk," said Kate, "but only at a snail's pace."

Ray helped Kate all the way. It was eight o'clock when they got home. Mum helped Kate to the table and helped her to sit down. She looked at Kate's leg to see if there was a break, but it looked okay.

Kate promised to play safely next time. She felt much better when she saw what was for tea. It was bacon bagels, her favourite.



Word write:

high tie shine by reply mile night prize pie light die bright dry inside slight cry my tonight

Featuring additional spelling(s) for sound:

mind tiger kind behind silent child

Phoneme Spotter: Shy me

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"Oh!" I sigh. "Why am I so shy? I have been shy all my life. I try not to cry but try as I might I cannot deny that I am. There are so many times I just don't know what to say and I feel all shaky inside.

"It feels alright if I think about riding my bike for miles or flying my kite in the sky, but I don't really like to be by myself.

"I like being in the library where it is quiet, even silent at times. I try to find books about brave knights and lions and tigers.

"Perhaps I could invite some friends to a party and I might be fine. It would be nice to play games and to offer some prizes. We could eat cherry pie and lime cheesecake and I will wear a new tie.

"At night, I turn off the light and close my eyes tightly. In the morning I will write to my friends. I hope the sun shines and it is dry.

"Goodbye."

Please note- there are two sounds here /oo/ as in $t\underline{oo}$ and /yoo/ as in $val\underline{ue}$

oo ui ew ue u_e u_e ew



Word write

gloom (1) soon jewel clue knew fruit true through crew lose cruise prune (2) tune cube music value huge queue few duty usual unicorn

Phoneme Spotter (1) Captain Cruel and the Jewels

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The pirate crew were sailing through the waves to a far away island hoping to find some jewels. It was a cool night but the moon was shining brightly and it had been a long cruise. The captain was feeling gloomy. As a rule he found his way easily but now he was lost.

"I hope we find it soon," he thought. "How did we manage to lose our way?"

Suddenly, two parrots flew by carrying pieces of fruit (prunes). "That's a clue," said the First Mate. "The island is called Prune Island so we must be on the right route. Let's get a move on." Luckily they soon found the island and more jewels than they had ever seen.

"I'm not such a fool after all," said Captain Cruel.

"You were right," shouted the First Mate. "You're a true pirate through and through."

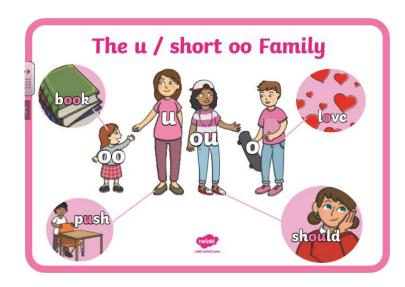
Phoneme Spotter (2) Concert in the future

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Many years in the future, in a universe far away, a concert was held at a huge venue. There was a long queue as thousands came to hear the unusual music played by a few unicorns on tubas with huge musical computers. A duke stood by a statue taking tickets as the audience arrived and soon everyone was seated. Nobody knew quite what to expect.

"Today it is our duty to amuse you with our new tunes," said a unicorn. "We assume you have paid a lot for your tickets and we hope you think it is good value. The music will start shortly," said the unicorn. "The human conductor will cue us in and our wonderful tunes will begin. Use your imaginations as you listen and enjoy the music."

oo ou u



Word write-

cushion could took foot book look pull push hook pudding put would wood should good soot push crook full bull shook cook butcher hood wool

Mr. Wood was feeling very tired. He looked around and put down his book. There was so much work to do.

Phoneme spotter: Mr Wood

"I suppose I should cook a pudding for dinner," he thought, but he didn't feel like cooking. "What else could I do?" he wondered. "The fire place really needs cleaning," he thought. "I could do that. Just look at all that soot. I suppose I should mend that coat hook behind the door, too. The bin is full, so I really should put out the rubbish and I could go to the butcher to get some meat for tomorrow's supper."

Mr Wood knew he should do some work. "I did promise Mrs Wood I would get things done today, but she is a bit of a bully," he thought. "I should not push myself too hard, otherwise I could hurt my back, or maybe injure my foot."

So he lay back on his cushion, shook his head and took out his book again. He would do those jobs another time. For now he would have a well-earned rest.

WOW! Excellent Work! You've finished this pack. You have collected all of these families!







