

Phonics at Home Phase 2

Phonics with Alphablocks














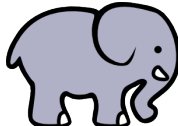




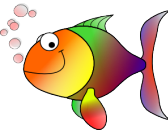






Who are the Alphablocks?

The Alphablocks are a television programme that is shown on the BBC. Each grapheme is represented and personified by a character. Each character has their own sound or phoneme. We have chosen the Alphablocks resource because they demonstrate good pronunciation and they are fun to watch.



Phase 2 Graphemes and Phonemes

s  sock	a  ant	t  tomato	p  penguin	i  igloo	n  nest	m  mouse	d  dog
g  grape	o  orange	c  cat	k  key	ck  clock	e  elephant	u  umbrella	r  rainbow
h  hat	b  balloon	f  fish	ff  muffin	l  lion	ll  bell	ss  grass	

Enunciation and Pronunciation

The shape of our mouths and the sounds that we make when 'sounding out' in phonics is essential. The way we say each individual phoneme or letter sound is important. It is not always easy; it takes a lot of practise and even teachers can get this wrong! When we talk, we do not tend to open our mouths very wide. Initially, try to over emphasise the sound or phoneme and open your mouth a little wider than usual. If the sound or phoneme is spoken correctly then the child will not be able to blend or segment.

To check the correct the pronunciation of the phonemes please visit our Walter Tube channel. Mr Lee has made a video with each sound and a flash card.

https://youtu.be/XLbVOQUe_9k

Phase 2 Flash Cards

The children should practise their pronunciation and phonemes regularly. To help with this we have designed flash cards for Phase 2 on our Walter Tube Channel.

