

Read Write Inc. Phonics **Year 1 Phonics Assessment**

Guidance

The *Read Write Inc. Phonics* Year 1 Phonics Assessment focuses on the sounds children must know to meet the requirements of the Phonic Screening Check. It also checks their ability to read the same sounds in nonsense words (real words have been omitted).

We recommend that Year 1 class teachers use this assessment to check their pupils' knowledge in November, February and April. Please note: This assessment does not replace the half-termly assessments used to group the children to read the Storybooks.

By completing this assessment, the class teacher will be able to identify:

- sounds that need teaching or reviewing in class time
- children who need more practice and/or one-to-one tutoring
- Speed Sound cards to send home for practice.

To administer the assessment, you will need the **Reading Sheet** for children to read and an **Individual Assessment** for each child. Tick the relevant column each time you assess the children.

The assessment should be completed as follows:

1. Ask the child to read the sounds from the Reading Sheet. Tick correct responses on the Individual Assessment.
2. Ask the child to read the nonsense words from the Reading Sheet, first in Fred Talk, and then the whole word. Tick correct responses on the Individual Assessment. The child must read the whole word for it to be considered a correct response.

Each sound corresponds with a nonsense word. If a child cannot read the sound, do not ask them to read the corresponding word.

Year 1 Phonics Assessment

Individual Assessment: sounds and nonsense words

Ask child to read the sounds before the words.

		November	February	April
1	sh			
2	ch			
3	th			
4	qu			
5	ng			
6	nk			
7	ck			
8	ay			
9	ee			
10	igh			
11	ow			
12	oo			
13	oo			
14	ar			
15	or			
16	air			
17	ir			
18	ou			
19	oy			
20	ea			
21	oi			
22	a-e			
23	i-e			
24	o-e			
25	u-e			
26	aw			
27	are			
28	ur			
29	er			
30	ai			
31	oa			
32	ew			
33	ire			
34	ear			
35	ure			
36	au*			
37	e-e*			
38	ue*			
39	ie*			
40	ph*			
41	wh*			
42	kn*			

		November	February	April
1	sheck			
2	chab			
3	thep			
4	quek			
5	glipping			
6	henk			
7	shrock			
8	glay			
9	pleent			
10	pight			
11	sprow			
12	stroob			
13	throok			
14	clarp			
15	florb			
16	fairm			
17	clir			
18	wout			
19	thoy			
20	theap			
21	floin			
22	smale			
23	gribe			
24	klome			
25	knupe			
26	graw			
27	zare			
28	nurt			
29	splotter			
30	phlain			
31	whoat			
32	slewp			
33	clire			
34	flear			
35	plure			
36	thaunt			
37	screve			
38	swue			
39	blies			
40	phip			
41	whook			
42	knurp			

* Additional Phonics Screening Check sounds

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Reading Sheet: sounds

Ask child to read down each column.

sh

ch

th

qu

ng

nk

ck

ay

ee

igh

ow

oo

oo

ar

or

air

ir

ou

oy

ea

oi

a-e

i-e

o-e

u-e

aw

are

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Reading Sheet: nonsense words



Ask child to read down each column.

sheck

chab

thep

quek

glipping

henk

shrock

glay

pleent

pight

sprow

stroob

throok

clarp

florb

fairm

clir

wout

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gribe

klome

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graw

zare

nurt

splotter

phlain

whoat

slewp

clire

flear

plure

thaunt

screve

swue

blies

phip

whook

knurp

sheck

chab

thep

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