

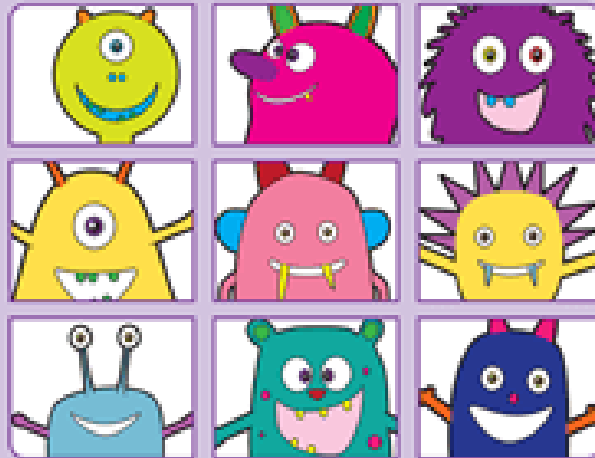
# Key Stage 1 Phonics Screener

2019 national curriculum assessments

## Key stage 1

### Phonics screening check

Pupils' materials



# What?

- The KS1 Phonics Check is a statutory assessment that children complete in year 1.
- It asks the children to read 20 real words and 20 alien words. These increase in difficulty over the course of the check.
- The check includes words with the phase 2, 3, 5 sounds and the phase 4 consonant blends.



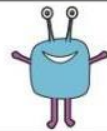

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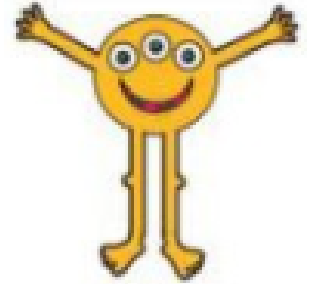
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# Why?



- It is felt that children who pass the check in year 1 have the strong decoding skills needed to continue to build fluency of reading in year 2.
- The pass mark has been 32/40 for the past few years. This is always subject to change.
- If your child does not pass this year, they will resit the check in Y2.
- The children LOVE alien words!



# How?



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- Year 1 children have a phonics lesson every day. This lesson includes reading real words and alien words using their phonics.
- Each term we complete a mock screener to track the children's progress and to tailor our teaching sequence.
- Where adult capacity allows, we put in additional groups where some children need additional input.

# When?

- The screener will take place at the beginning of June.
- If your children are well, please ensure that they're in school!

JUNE 2022						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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# How can I help?

- When the children complete the screener, we ask them to use sound buttons to spot the sounds before they read the word.



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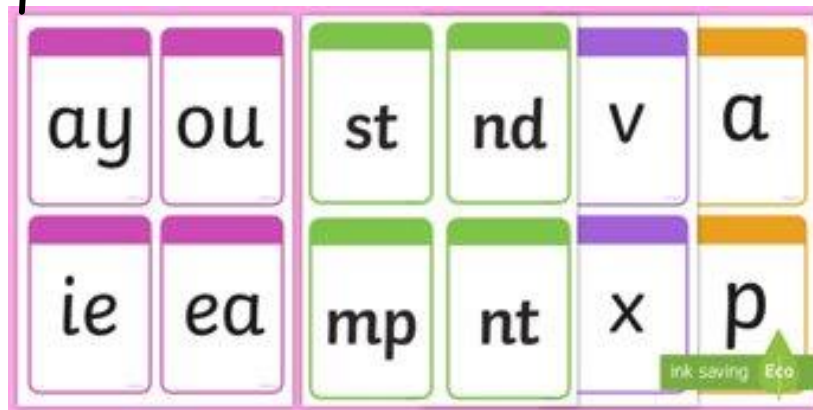
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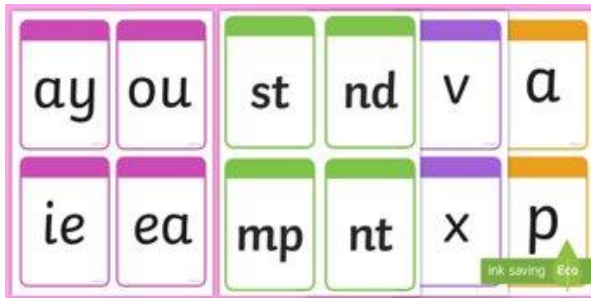
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# How can I help?

- Is your child secure with the phase 2, 3, 5 sounds?
- The more your child is able to practise flashcards at home, they more fluent they will be!
- Please support them with any practise materials we send home.



Which resources can I use?







*Please take a pack for  
the holidays!*

*Thank you! Any  
questions?*