


## Phonics and Reading activities to do at home

<p><b>1 Alpha blocks</b> Snuggle up and enjoy watching the Alpha blocks. <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/alphablocks">www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/alphablocks</a></p> <p>You will need a TV licence to watch them on the iPlayer.</p>	<p><b>2 Fred talk</b> Help Fred to sound out words and blend them together to read the word. E.g. Fred's turn ch i p. What's his word? chip</p>	<p><b>3 Word games</b> Start off using just the speech sounds and then immediately say the word. E.g. 'At the shop I will buy a m/a/p - map.' Then try saying just the sounds. Can you work out the word?</p>	
<p><b>4 Phonics play</b> <a href="http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk">www.phonicsplay.co.uk</a> Play games within phase 2 and phase 3 Buried treasure - are they real or 'alien' words?  Pick a picture - read the word and match the picture</p>	<p><b>5 Green Word Bingo</b> These are words that can be sounded out. Write out a selection of green words. Read a word out. Look for the word on your grid by reading the words and cover it up when you find it.</p>	<p><b>6 Rhyming games</b> Into the pot goes a bat, a hat, a cat, a mat. Can you build these words using the individual sounds? Add a word that doesn't rhyme. Can you find the odd one out?</p>	<p><b>7 Sound substitution</b> Play around with words. Can you start with a word and change a sound to create a new word? sheep (change ee for i) ship (change p for n) shin (change sh for th) thin</p>
<p><b>8 Word building</b> Think of a word and find the correct sounds to build the word.</p>	<p><b>9 Playdough</b> Make letters out of playdough and use them to build words.</p>	<p><b>10 Red Word Bingo</b> These are words that can not be sounded out. Write out a selection of red words. Read a word out. Look for the word on your grid by reading the words and cover it up when you find it.</p>	<p><b>11 Word hunt</b> Hide your red words around the house. How many can you find and read. Who will find and read the most?</p>
<p><b>12 Roll and Read</b> Can be played with decodable green words or red words. Create a grid with numbers to 6 in the first column. Write words in all the other sections of the grid. Roll a dice and read a word in the next box by the number you rolled. Cover it up once you have read it. If all the boxes are covered for the number you rolled then roll again.</p>  <p style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Roll and Read Mat</p>	<p><b>13 Read to a grown up</b> Build your fluency by re-reading the same book at least 3 times. If you get stuck on a word sound it out and blend it. If it is still tricky ask your grown up to tell you the word and keep reading on.</p>	<p><b>14 Bug club</b> Log in and read your colour level books. Read each book at least 3 times to help build confidence in reading and fluency. Your teacher will check in to see if you need any new books assigned. (There is a limited number of books for each level)</p>	

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<p><b>15 Find out about something new</b> What would you most like to learn about? Can you find out more about it from books or the internet with a grown up.</p>	<p><b>16 Listen to a grown up read</b> Snuggle up and enjoy a story together. Watch Mrs Dorne read stories on youtube. Michael Rosen reads his own work on youtube.</p>	<p><b>17 Read a recipe</b> Read a recipe together and cook.</p>	
<p><b>18 Online resources</b> Twinkl have a selection of games and are offering free access during school closures <a href="http://www.twinkl.co.uk">www.twinkl.co.uk</a></p> <p><b>Oxford owl</b> <a href="http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk">www.oxfordowl.co.uk</a> (free to register) contains an eBook library</p>			