Phonics

Read Write Inc. Phonics Information

At Coverack our children follow the Read Write Inc. programme in phonics.

How it works?

The children are assessed and grouped according to their ability. They work in small groups with a teacher or a teaching assistant to learn the sounds that they need to know. At the end of each half term, the children will be assessed again to check they have made progress and will be grouped again.

Reading:

Through RWI, the children will learn to read effortlessly so that they can put all their energy in to understanding what they are reading.

The children will learn 44 sounds and the corresponding letter/letter groups using simple picture prompts. The children learn to read real and 'nonsense' words by blending sounds together. These sounds can be stretchy sounds or bouncy sounds.

Blending:

Children learn to read words by blending the letter/sounds that are in the Speed Sound sets. You can help your child to read words by sound-blending (Fred Talk) e.g.

c-a-t= cat. In RWI we use pure sounds. This means removing the 'uh' from the sounds. There is also a 'Parent Tutorial Sound Blending Video' that may be helpful for you to look at:



https://youtu.be/MNyFikwNQTg

https://youtu.be/VQgizwwvqNk

Set 1 Sounds



Maisie, mountain, mountain



Down the insects body and a dot for his head.



Curl around the caterpillar



Around the apple and down the leaf



Down Nobby and over his net



Down the kangaroo's body curl his tail and leg



Slither down the snake



Down the pirates plait and around the pirates face



Down and under the umbrella, up to the top and down to the puddle



Around the dinosaurs bottom and up to his neck



Round the girls face, down her hair and give her a curl



Down the laces, over the toe and to the heel



Down the tower, across the tower



All around the orange



Down the stem and draw the leaves



Slice into the egg, go over the top, then under the egg.









Down the wing up the wing



Down the horses head to his hooves and over his back



Down a horn, up a horn and under the yak's head



sh says the horse to the hissing snake



Down up, down up



Down his back then curl over his arm



The princess in the tower is saved by the horse, thank you!



Zig, zag, zig



The horse sneezes when the caterpillars hairs get up his nose ch.ch.choo







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I think I stink



Down the arm and leg, repeat

the other side



Thing on a string



Set 2 Sounds



May I play?



Poo at the zoo



That's not fair



What can you see?



Look at a book



Whirl and twirl





Blow the snow



Fly high





Start the car



Shout it out





Toy from a boy

Set 3 Sounds



Spelling:

Fred talk helps children learn to spell as well! Children convert words into sounds. They press the sounds they hear on to their fingers... We call this Fred Fingers



If you require any further information about the Read Write Inc programme in our school, please feel free to contact your child's class

Red Words:

We cannot Fred a red word! Red words need to be learnt by sight recognition. You cannot sound them out using Fred Talk.

