



# Phonics Workshop for Parents

Welcome!

## Aims of the workshop today...

Explain what the letters and sounds programme is.

Provide you with strategies for supporting your child whilst they are reading and writing at home.

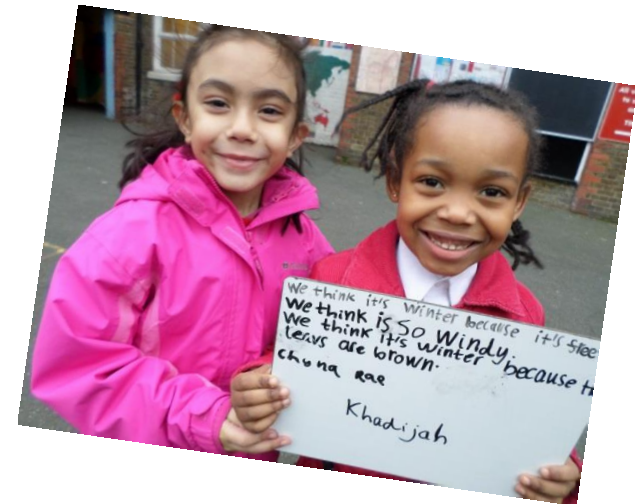
Help you to feel confident using phonics strategies and ideas for 'playing' with phonics such as games etc.

Provide you with a pack of resources (which will be on loan to you) to take away from the session and use with your child when you read and write with them for homework.

About phonics...

a b c d e f g h  
i j k l m n o p q  
r s t u v w x y z

# Learning to read, write and spell.





# Phonics Test Year 1 and Year 2

real words and phake words  
pseudo/nonsense/alien words

# Key Skills Children Develop

Segmenting and Blending

# How do we say the sounds?

Letters are 'sounded out' in their purest form.

No additional vowel or 'er' sounds should be added when saying the sounds! cerreat =





# Tricky Words

no

she

go

the

Tricky words cannot be 'decoded' just by using phonics.

What can you do to  
support your child?

1. Practice speed sounds

2. Make words using the sound cards. Even better, link them to objects around the house etc. Remember to segment and blend.

3. Use the sound cards and sound mat when reading with your child to remind and support them.

4. Use the sound mat when your child is spelling and writing. Use the green exercise book for this to record as you go.

5. Practice 'sight' reading and spelling the tricky words in phases.

Every other day (3 times per week)

Make up nonsense words and decode (sound out). Write them down and read them out loud.



Please return your packs by  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2016.

Any issues, come and speak with us

