| spelling/ <br> sound | Statutory <br> requirements | Rules and guidance (non-statutory) | Examples |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| $\bullet$ All letters of the alphabet and the sounds which they most commonly represent. |  |  |  |
| - Consonant diagraphs and the sounds which they represent |  |  |  |
| - Vowel diagraphs and the sounds which they represent |  |  |  |
| - The process of segmenting words into sounds before choosing graphemes to represent the sound |  |  |  |
| - Words with adjacent consonants |  |  |  |
| - Rules and guidelines which have been taught |  |  |  |


| Sounds |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| m | Masiey: Maisey, mountain, mountain. |  |
| a | Apple: round the apple, down the leaf. |  |
| S | Snake: slither down the snake. |  |
| d | Dinosaur: round his bottom, up his tall neck, down his feet. |  |
| t | Tower: down the tower, across the tower. |  |
| \| | I: down the body, dot for the head. |  |
| n | Nobby: down Nobby and over his net. |  |
| p | Pirate: down the plait, up and around his face. |  |
| g | Girl: round her face, down her hair and give her a curl. |  |
| 0 | Orange: all around the orange. |  |
| c | Caterpillar: curl around the caterpillar. |  |
| k | Kangaroo: down the kangaroo's body, around his tail and down his leg. |  |
| u | Umbrella: down and under, up to the top and draw the puddle. |  |
| b | Boot: down the laces to the heel, up and around the toe. |  |
| f | Flower: down the stem and draw the leaves. |  |
| e | Egg: lift off the top and scope out the egg. |  |
| I | Leg: down the long leg, don't forget the foot. |  |
| h | Horse: down his head to his hooves, up and over his back. |  |
| sh | Snake: slither down the snake. |  |
| r | Robot: down his back, up and curl over his arm. |  |
| I | J: down his body, curl and dot. |  |
| v | Vulture: down a wing, up a wing. |  |
| y | Yak: down a horn, up a horn, down and under his head. |  |
| w | W: down, up, down, up. |  |
| th | T: down the tower, across the tower, then down the horse's head to his hooves, up and over his back. |  |
| z | Zig Zag: zig-zag-zig. |  |
| ch | CH: curl around the caterpillar, then down the horse's head to his hooves, up and over his back. |  |

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| q |  | Queen: round her head, up past her ears, down |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| x |  | $X$ : down the arm and leg, repeat the other side. |  |
| ng |  | -ng: thing on a string. |  |
| nk |  | -nk: I think I stink. |  |
| Red Words |  |  | the to I no go into he she we me be was you they all are my her one two |
| HFW |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | speed sounds | green / red words | Ditties |
| a cat | ctaherdf | cat red fat in hat | a cat in a hat <br> a fat cat in a hat <br> a fat cat in a red hat |
| bad dog | bdpogyunaisrc | dog bad yap rip dig can | bad dog can yap bad dog can rip bad dog can dig |
| sit | niptahglosm | mat on sit hat pin | sit on a mat sit on a hat sit on a pin |
| get a hat | nepatghc | pen cat hen hat get | get a hat get a hen get a cat get a pen |
| a dog and a log | glompujdnacs | not can jump <br> plurals: dog dogs log logs | dogs can jump a log logs can jump a dog |
| sick | II pdbmteains | fed am up bed in is ill I | I am in bed tum is ill I am fed up |
| run and hop | shcrautnop | can run hop stop and I | I can run I can hop I can stop I can run and stop and hop |
| hot | aurhdfotnmi | red hot run am if I | I am hot I am red if I run |
| cat | etamcnwli | in am cat wet let I me | I am a cat I am wet let me in |
| sip | Ikcpoiuams | mud milk cup pop sip of | sip a cup of milk sip a cup of pop sip a cup of mud |

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| get up | ntmgauepdsi | dad mum get up sun Sam is the | mum get up dad get up Sam get up the sun is up |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| the shop | ch sh <br> npohtirmfsac | hot pop can shop from plurals: chip chips the | hot chips from the shop a can of pop from the shop hot chips and pop mmmmmm |
| a list to shop with | marvsoecdt ss ck | hat red vest dress mac plurals: sock socks | a red hat <br> a red vest <br> a red dress red socks <br> a red mac |
| on a bench | th ch unoebthsia | bench sit on sun hat sand my lthe head | I sit on a bench in the sun on the sand a hat on my head |
| wet and fed up | ck prodicmahwevs | vest wet hat mac drip drop plurals: sock socks | wet socks - drip drip wet hat - drop drop wet vest - drip drip wet mac - drip drop |
| mud | ck skmutndrig | kick mud run sit grin the | kick the mud run in the mud sit in the mud grin in the mud |
| in my box | $\frac{\text { nk }}{\text { stfionabgdrcpx }}$ | sit fat thin big pink dog rat cat fox box in | a fat cat a thin dog a pink rat a big fox sit in a box |
| hands | $\frac{\text { ch th }}{\text { iptahuncsder }}$ | that pick hunt can stick rest cut plurals: hand hands | hands that pick hands that stick hands that cut hands that hunt hands that rest |
| a black cab | ck ng th osgemltrdcbanif | man flat black in long bin red cap and get with plurals: sock socks leg legs | a man in a flat cap <br> a dog with long and a lad with red socks get in a black bin |
| yum list | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ch II } \\ & \text { jatspeomind } \end{aligned}$ | red hot mint jam gum jell'y past'a plurals: chip chips | red jam red jelly mint gum hot chips pasta |


| The following ditties are for children who need the repetition. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Set Two Sounds |  |  |
| ay | May I play <br> ay is used for those sounds at the end of words and at the end of syllables. | always away clay day display gay hay holiday may pay play say stay today tray way |
| ee | What can you see? | see deed feed need seed weed feel heel seem been seen deep keep peep feet meet free three tree bleed speed cheek steel between green queen sheep sleep sweep sheet sleet sweet |
| igh | Fly high | high sigh might night right sight slight tight bright brighten flight fright frighten lighten tonight |
| ow | Blow the snow | below blow flow follow glow grow low own show slow snow throw yellow |
| O0 | poo at the zoo | too food mood root cool fool pool room broom spoon moon soon boot shoot zoo poo |
| 00 | look at a book | good stood wood book brook cook hook look shook took wool foot soot |
| ar | Start the car | car far star hard card barge large dark mark market park shark spark arm farm harm part start target awkward |
| or | Shut the door | cork fork sort short cord |
| air | That's not fair | air chair fair hair lair pair stair cairn |
| ir | whirl and twirl | fir stir bird third girl swirl twirl firm chirrup first thirsty birth birthday dirt dirty shirt skirt thirteen thirty |
| ou | Shout it out <br> The only common English word ending in ou is you. | cloud proud around found ground pound round sound surround wound count flour hour our sour house mouse out outside about shout mouth south |
| oy | Toy for a boy <br> oy is used for those sounds at the end of words and at the end of syllables. | boy coy joy toy enjoy annoy convoy destroy employ enjoy voyage |
| CVC- Spelling Patterns |  |  |
| am |  | am dam ham jam ram yam Sam Pam |
| as |  | as gas has |
| ad |  | bad dad had lad mad pad sad |
| at |  | at bat cat fat hat mat pat rat sat |
| i |  | if in it is |
| im |  | dim him rim |
| is |  | is his |
| id |  | bid did hid kid lid rid |
| it |  | bit fit hit kit lit pit sit |
| an |  | an can fan man pan ran van Dan |

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| in |  |  | bin din fin in pin sin tin win |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ip |  |  | dip hip lip nip pip rip sip tip zip |
| ag |  |  | bag gag nag rag sag tag wag |
| ig |  |  | big dig fig pig rig |
| od |  |  | cod nod pod rod |
| ot |  |  | cot dot got hot jot lot not pot rot |
| on |  |  | on won son ton |
| op |  |  | cop hop mop pop top bop |
| og |  |  | bog cog dog fog hog jog log |
| um |  |  | gum hum mum rum sum |
| us |  |  | bus us |
| ud |  |  | bud mud |
| ut |  |  | but cut gut hut nut rut |
| un |  |  | bun fun gun nun run sun |
| up |  |  | cup pup |
| ug |  |  | bug dug hug jug lug mug rug tug |
| ub |  |  | cub pub rub tub |
| es |  |  | yes less mess |
| ed |  |  | bed fed led red wed |
| et |  |  | bet get jet let met net pet set vet wet yet |
| en |  |  | den hen men pen ten Ben Ken Len |
| eg |  |  | beg leg peg |
| ax |  |  | fax tax wax Max |
| ix |  |  | fix six |
| OX |  |  | box fox |
| sh |  |  | shaft shed shell shift shin ship shop shock shop shun shut shy ash cash crash flash slash mash rash smash dish fish wish brush crush hush rush selfish |
| ch |  |  | chop chat chess chest chicken chill chin chip chuck arch bench drench rich |
| CCVC CVCC CCVCC |  |  |  |
| mp |  |  | camp damp lap stamp tramp limp dump jump lump plump trumpet |
| ass |  |  | brass class glass grass pass |
| ast |  |  | blast cast last past mast fast |
| ask |  |  | ask mask task |
| sm |  |  | small smell |

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| st |  |  | mist best nest test vest west cost lost dust just must rust stack stall stamp stand stick stiff still sting stink step stop stuck |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| sn |  |  | snag snap snip snug |
| sp |  |  | span spat spill spin spit spell spot spun |
| sk |  |  | skid skill skin skip sky |
| sl |  |  | slap slim slip slot slum |
| SW |  |  | swam swim swell swop |
| dr |  |  | drag dress drill drip drop drum |
| tr |  |  | track trap trick trip trot truck |
| tw |  |  | twig twin twist |
| nd |  |  | and band grand hand handbag land sand wind windmill bend end lend mend second spend send pond fund |
| nt |  |  | ant pant plant bent dent lent rent sent spent tent went blunt grunt hunt invent |
| ng |  |  | bang fang gang hang rang sang long song hung lung sung |
| pt |  |  | crept kept slept swept wept |
| pl |  |  | plan plot plum plug pluck |
| pr |  |  | pram prick prod |
| gl |  |  | glad glum |
| gr |  |  | grab grill grin grip |
| cl |  |  | clap cliff click cling clip clock clot club |
| cr |  |  | crab crack crisp |
| bl |  |  | black bless blob block blot |
| br |  |  | brick bring |
| ft |  |  | drift gift lift swift left soft |
| fl |  |  | flag flap flat flick flip flock |
| fr |  |  | frill frog from frost |
| It |  |  | belt felt melt smelt halt salt |
| Ip |  |  | help yelp pulp |
| Ik |  |  | talk walk stalk |
| th |  |  | than that the them then there thin thing think this bath path with both cloth clothes |
| qu |  |  | quit quiz quins quell quilt quick quack squat squid squint liquid Quentin |
| ing |  |  | bring fling cling king ring sing sling sting swing wing |

