

Why Learn Phonics?

Understanding phonics helps with reading

Understanding phonics helps with spelling

Simplifies English into sounds that can be used to decode words

Phonics supports learners of all levels (We're in this together)

Learning Goal

Our goal is to know the difference between a **phoneme** and a **grapheme** and share some examples.

The case of the sound /k/

Phoneme

/k/

Graphemes

k

c

ck

ch

cc

que

kitten

cat

duck

school

occure

antique

The case of the sound /s/

Phoneme

/s/

Graphemes

s

se

ss

c

ce

sc

Activity

Create a list of words with the /s/ phoneme.

Challenge yourself to find words with different graphemes.

At the end of the timer, please transition to independent reading. 😊

Learning Goal

Our goal is to be able to identify and use **blends and digraphs.**

- +
-
- o

Blends

Two consonant

Sounds

/b/ + /l/

Blend

/bl/

Blend

Blue

Blaze

Blush

Blame

Blends

Two consonant

Sounds

/b/ + /r/

Blend

/br/

Activity

Create a list of words with the /br/ blend.

Challenge yourself to find as many words as possible.

At the end of the timer, we'll share some examples.

Digraph

Two consonant

Sounds

/s/ + /h/

Digraph

/sh/

Hsh

Shark

Brsh

Shrink

Shine

Digraph

Two consonant

Sounds

/t/ + /h/

Digraph

/th/

Activity

Create a list of words with the /th/ digraph.

Challenge yourself to find as many words as possible.

At the end of the timer, we'll share some examples.

Learning Goal

Our goal is to be able to identify and use
prefixes and suffixes.

- +
-
-

Prefix Suffix

Prefix

/Un-/

Suffix

/-ment/

Unhappy

Unfair

Unsual

Achieve**ment**

Agree**ment**

Develop**ment**

Prefix Suffix

Prefix

--

Suffix

/-ing/

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Activity

Create a list of words with the /-ing/ suffix.

Challenge yourself to find as many words as possible.

At the end of the timer, we'll share some examples.

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Prefix Suffix

Prefix

/dis-/

Suffix

Activity

Create a list of words with the /dis-/ prefix.

Challenge yourself to find as many words as possible.

At the end of the timer, we'll share some examples.