

Phonics overview

Below are the sounds the children are taught at each phase. The children will progress through each phase.

In Phase 1 and 2, the children are taught the pure sounds of the letters of the alphabet and they learn about segmenting and blending the sounds verbally.

In Phase 6, the children are taught about regular and irregular spelling patterns such as adding ed or ing to words.

Phase 3	j v w x y z zz qu ch sh th ng ai ee igh oa oo ar or ur oi ear air ure er ow
Phase 4	Segmenting and blending For example sh-ee-p, g-oo-t Securing and applying phase 3 sounds.
Phase 5	ay ou ie ea oy ir ue aw wh ph ew oe au ey a_e e_e i_e o_e u_e The children are taught alternative spellings of phonemes.