

Phonics Homework - 11.10.19

Focus Graphemes of the Week

o-e (phone home) - home, tone, phone, broke
ow (blow the snow) - blow, snow, grow, show

u-e - (huge brute) cube, huge, brute, tube
oo - (poo at the zoo) moon, soon, broom, zoo

On the other side of this piece of paper are 6 'alien' words (made-up, nonsense words) and 6 real words for your child to read at home.

Can they spot the different graphemes (written representation of the sound/phoneme e.g. ay, ai, a-e) in the words?

It will help if you add **sound buttons** to the words.

If there is a single grapheme, we draw a dot under it.

dog strap
●●● ●●●●●

If it is either a **digraph** or **trigraph** (two or more graphemes making one phoneme) then a line is drawn under it.

lay high
● ●

If there is a split digraph we draw an arc over the graphemes representing the phoneme.

five
●● ∩

Once you have drawn all of the sound buttons, you can then blend the graphemes to read the words.

Below are some examples on how to **blend**:

e.g. d-o-g → dog

th-r-ee → three

h-air → hair

More games and resources can be found at: <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

Phonics videos e.g. 'Alphablocks' or 'Geraldine the Giraffe' can be found on YouTube.

You do not need to hand this completed work in, but please keep this at home so you can keep practising!

Alien Words	Real Words
 hud	cat
 gelt	trick
 pow	snow
 pobe	mode
 vood	shoot
 shufe	brute