Phonics Screening Year One 2025

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Phonics Screening…

- When does it take place?
- Where do the children do it?
- What does it look like?
- Who does it?
- How is it done?
- Why is it done?

More of the ‘what does it look like’…

- 20 real words
- 20 made up words
- Past Papers…

More of the ‘what does it look like’…

- Practice sheet
- Starts ‘easy’ gets ‘harder’
- CVC words
- CVCC words
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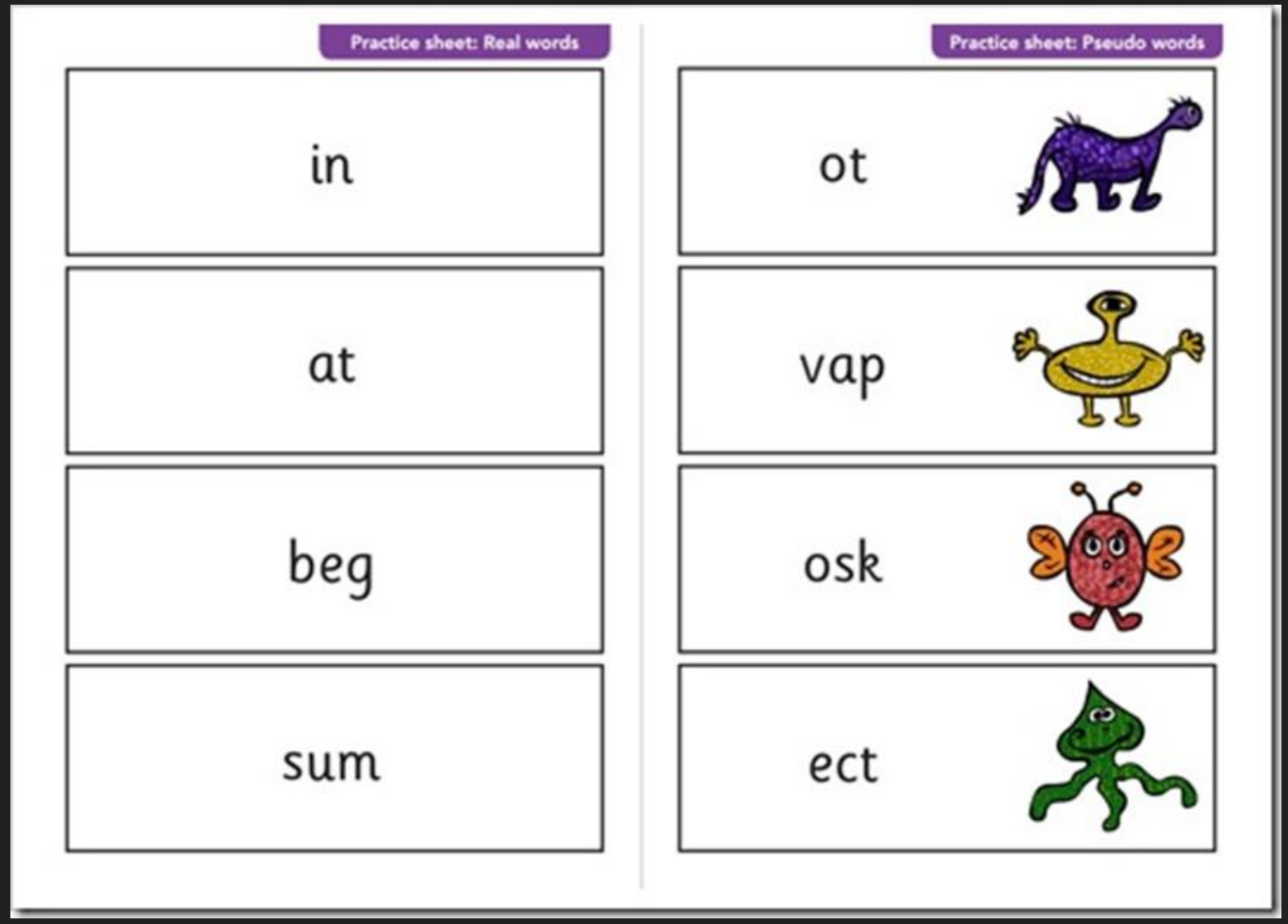
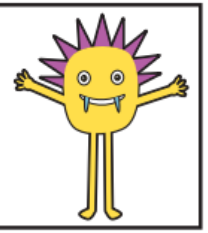


More of the 'what does it look like'…

- Starts with 12 'alien' words…
- …followed by 8 real words…
- …followed by 8 'alien' words…
- Ending with 12 real words.

sut 	shop
chort	sweep
quisk	fried
zome	cute

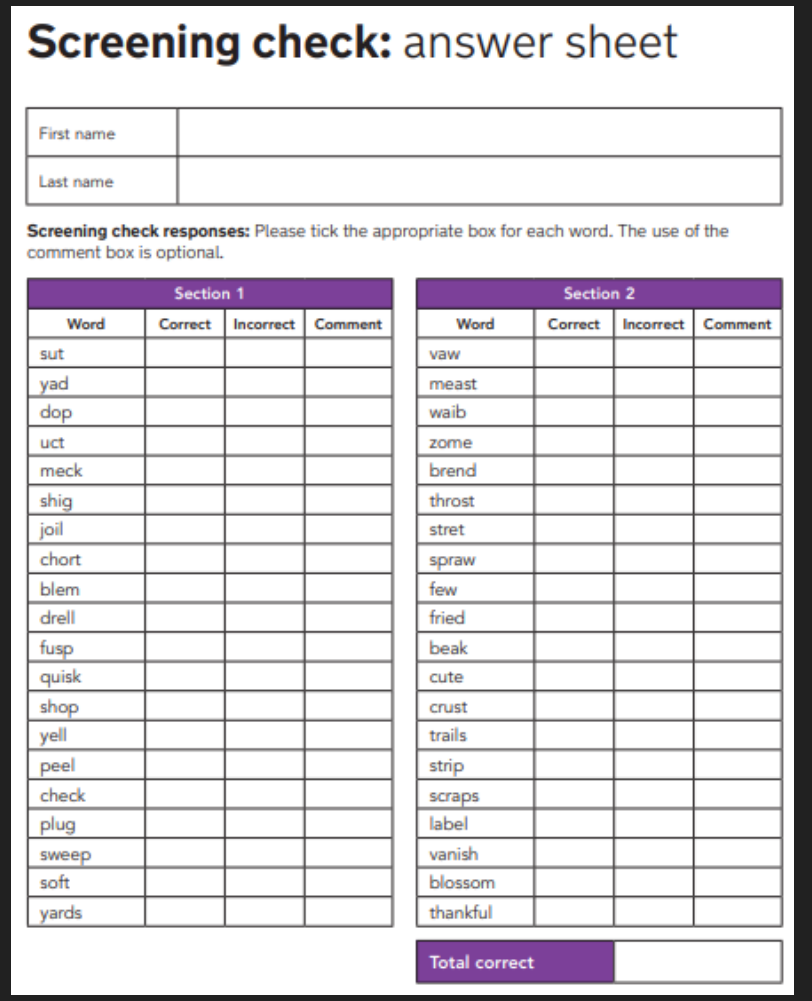
More of the 'what does it look like'…

- Final page…
- Words with more than one syllable
- Some years they're easier than others
- Fingers crossed for a kind year!

label	delay
vanish	modern
blossom	saucers
thankful	charming

More of the 'what does it look like'…

- The answer sheet…



Screening check: answer sheet

First name	
Last name	

Screening check responses: Please tick the appropriate box for each word. The use of the comment box is optional.

Section 1			
Word	Correct	Incorrect	Comment
sut			
yad			
dop			
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meck			
shig			
joil			
chort			
blem			
drell			
fusp			
quisk			
shop			
yell			
peel			
check			
plug			
sweep			
soft			
yards			

Section 2			
Word	Correct	Incorrect	Comment
vaw			
meast			
waib			
zome			
brend			
throst			
stret			
spraw			
few			
fried			
beak			
cute			
crust			
trails			
strip			
scraps			
label			
vanish			
blossom			
thankful			

Total correct	

How it sounds…

- 35 secs – 4mins 22 secs.

How can you help?

- Practise the sounds I sent home at parents' evening & an updated version coming soon!
- Make yourself some post-it note flashcards!
- Practise reading words with the sound in…

crew rope beard

- Take away the scaffolding... Can they read the same words on a separate occasion without the sound highlighted in a different colour.

That's the way to do it…

- 1. SPECIAL FRIENDS?
- 2. FRED TALK…
- 3. READ THE WORD!

Pure Sounds…

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Final Thoughts…

- Don't panic!
- Read Write Inc Parents Page…
- Practise, practise, practise!
- FUN FUN FUN!

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Questions…

- Digraphs
- Split digraphs
- Trigraphs
- Special Friends