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Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> September

## Grapheme chart

## Phase 2 and 3

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# Why learning to read is so important

- Reading is essential for all subject areas and improves life chances.
- Positive attitudes to reading and choosing to read have academic, social and emotional benefits for children.

# How children learn to read

- Phonics is the route to decoding.
  - Learning the phonics sounds
- Learning to blend phonic sounds to read words.
- Increasing their fluency in reading sounds, words and books.

## Reading fully decodable books

- Children need to read books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge.
- It is essential not to use other strategies to work out words (guessing words, pictures etc).
  - Books must be fully decodable.
- Children need to read books in a progressive sequence until they can decode unfamiliar words confidently.

## Your role in home reading

- You can have the most positive impact on your child's reading.
- It is so important the children have time to practice their reading to develop fluency.
- Children take home books they have read at school to re-read at home to build fluency.
- Know the difference between books for reading practice and books to share for pleasure.

## Your role in home reading

- Read to your child to encourage a love of books, along with developing vocabulary and discussion.
- Read stories to your children – use voices, expression, discuss unfamiliar vocabulary, talk about the pictures, predict what might happen next.

# Complete the home reading diary

- Hear your child read their practice reading book every day.
- Sign and date the reading diary as a record of this.

# We Need Your Help



We need you!

- Volunteers to hear children read.