

Useful activities for using phonics:

These activities only reinforce understanding of phonics if you say the sound of each phoneme as you spell out the word.

Rainbow Write

Write each word in pencil.
Then trace over each word three times.

Each time you trace, you must use a different colour pencil.

Trace neatly and you will see a Rainbow!

Blue Vowels!

Write each of your spelling words

You will need a blue coloured pencil.

Trace over the vowels in each word with your blue pencil.

Vowels = a e i o u

Rhyming Words

Write each of your spelling words.
Next to each word, write a rhyming word.

If necessary, your rhyming word can be a nonsense word (as long as it follows the same spelling pattern).

***Example: cries tries zies**

Consonant Circle

Write each of your spelling words.

Then go back and circle all of the consonants in your words!

Example: (c) i (r) (c) (l) e

Useful activities for sight vocabulary:

Connect the Dots

Write ten of your spelling words in dots

Then connect the dots by tracing over them with a coloured pencil

Connect the
Dots

Colourful Words

Write each of your spelling words. Write each letter using a different colour pencil!

*Example: Colourful Words

Pyramid Writing

'Pyramid write' your spelling words.

Example: home

h
ho
hom
home

Backward Words

Write your spelling words forwards and then backwards.

Example: people elpoep