

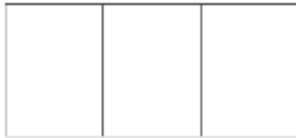


EYFS Reading folder



A reading book

Your child will receive a reading book within their first term at school. Your child’s book may be a picture book initially to encourage discussion about the pictures, predictions about what may happen next and talking about the characters, settings and other elements of the story. There is a character sheet included in this reading pack to help identify each character. When your child brings home books with words in them, these may be phonic readers, to help them decode words using their phonic knowledge or may be books to extend vocabulary and introduce a variety of texts.



2 phoneme frames

Phoneme frames are aids used to help children identify **phonemes** (sounds) within words. They are boxes split into columns that help to identify the sounds used in words. Your child may use these to practise writing simple words.



You will also find a whiteboard pen to use on this phoneme frame along with a cloth to rub any writing out.



An exercise book

This book is for your child to mark make in. Children may choose to practise letter formation, writing their name or the sounds they have been learning. This book is for the children to use freely. They may like to share any writing they are particularly proud of with us at school.



Sound mats

As your child learns to read and write they will use sound mats to support them. We will also provide these mats to be used at home to support the children. These are especially useful when the children are beginning to write captions and sentences as the year goes on.