# Reading Workshop

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October



#### Aims for the afternoon

- Give you the confidence to support children as they learn to read.
- Share information about how reading is taught in school and how you can support this.



# Learning to read is like a set of scales, lots of things are needed to make the scales balance

- Reading for pleasure
- Reading for meaning
- Visual cues
- Connect sounds to letters
- Tricky words





#### Read this...

seriuqer heihw ksat xelpmoc a si gnidaeR egnar a ni noitamrofni ssecorp ot niarb eht gnignellahe tsom eht fo eno si tI . syaw fo sevlovni dna retnuocne sgnieb namuh seitivitea dna seigetarts fo yteirav a fo noitacilppa .egdelwonk



# A range of approaches:

- Modelled Reading teacher demonstrates the process of reading by 'thinking aloud'.
- Shared Reading Pupils and teacher read a text together with a focus on a specific aspect
- Guided Reading teacher supports a small group of children in talking and thinking their way through an unfamiliar text.

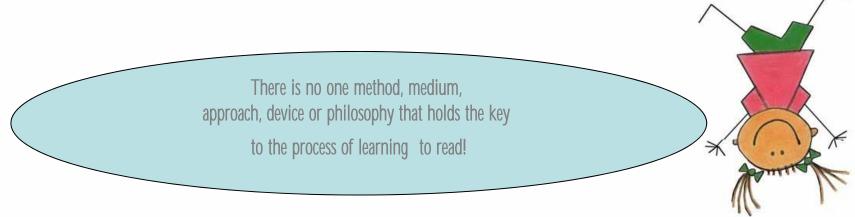
#### School Based Activities

- Wide range of reading materials
- Regular opportunities for reading
- Library
- Being read to...

'Reading aloud with children is known to be the single most important activity for building the knowledge and skills they will eventually require for learning to read.' *Marilyn Jager Adams* 



'Teachers rarely use a single method of teaching reading simply because it will fail to meet the needs of most children. Different methods need to be complementary and enable children to develop a wide range of strategies for reading for meaning, fluently and with understanding. Ultimately, the reason for reading anything is to read it for the meaning it contains.' — The Bullock Report



#### Phonics – Jolly Phonics

- 42 sounds
- Listen to the sounds on Jolly Learning website
- Introduction of new sound
  - Revision
  - Story
  - Jolly Jingle
  - Sound bag

Games that can be played...



### At home you can help by...

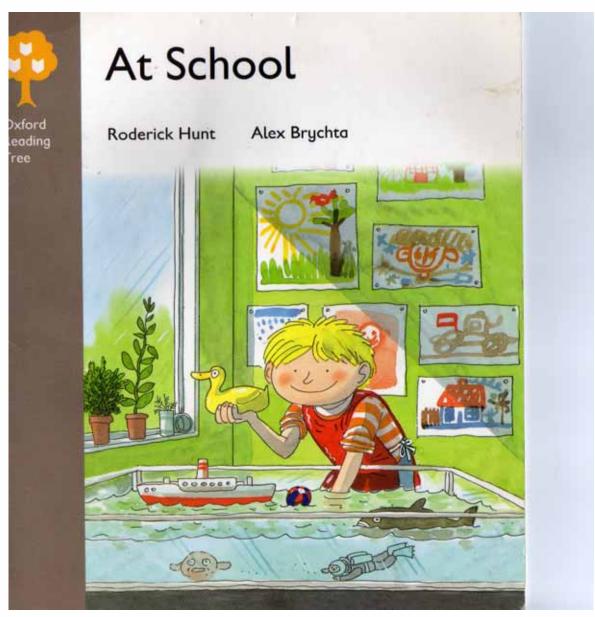
- Practising the sounds of language
- Make reading fun!
- Set a good example
- Read to your child
- Point out environmental print

 Point to words as you read, this will help your child to make the connection between the words they hear and the words on the page.

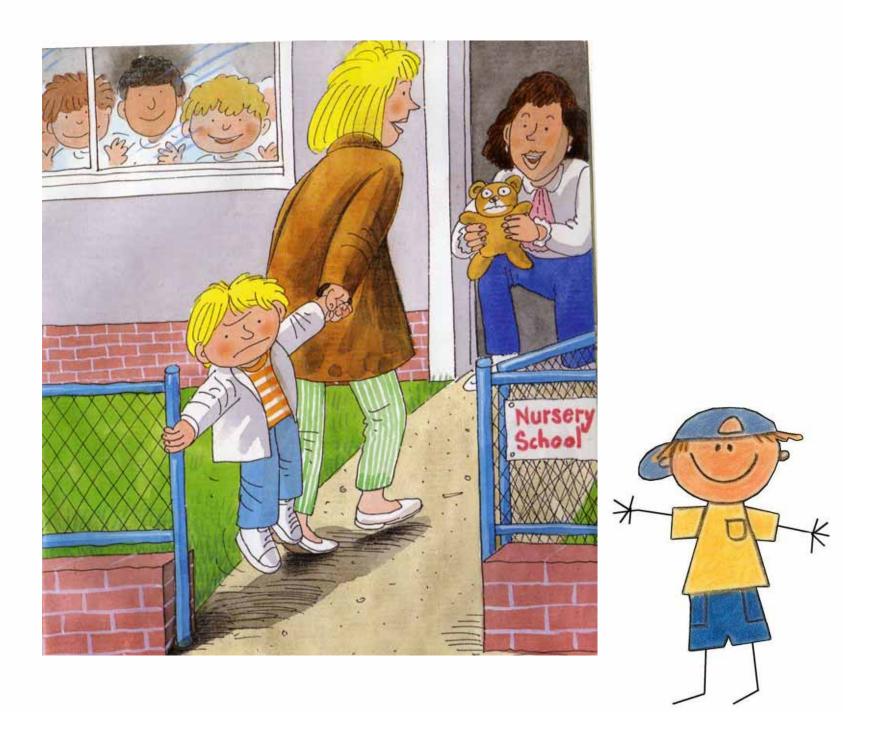
### Guidance for Reading

- Introducing a new book
- Listening to your child read
- Appropriate prompts
- Encouraging self-correction





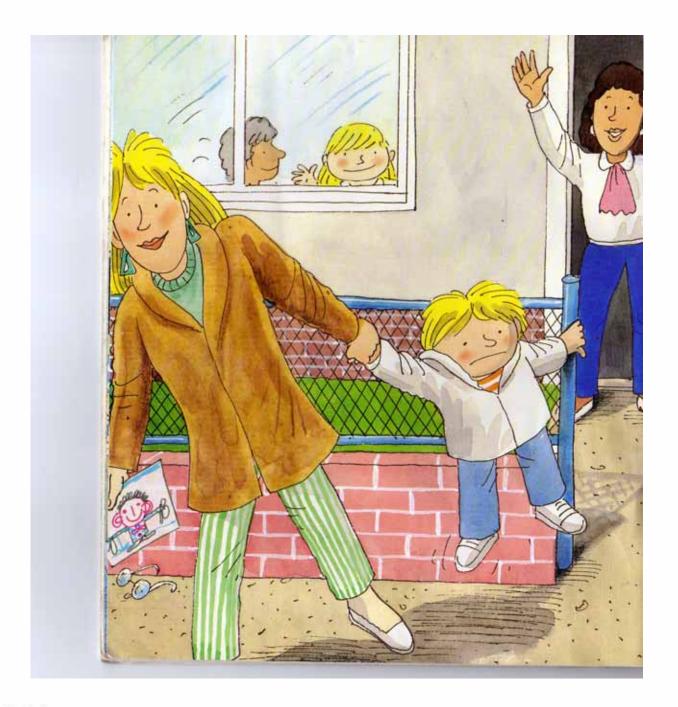




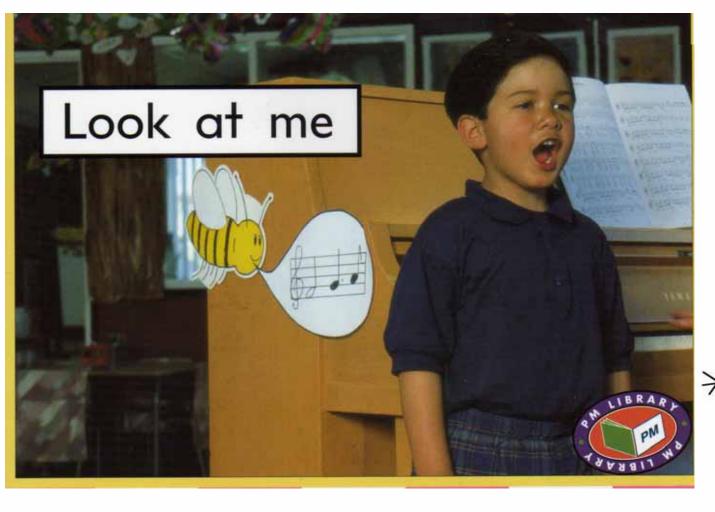




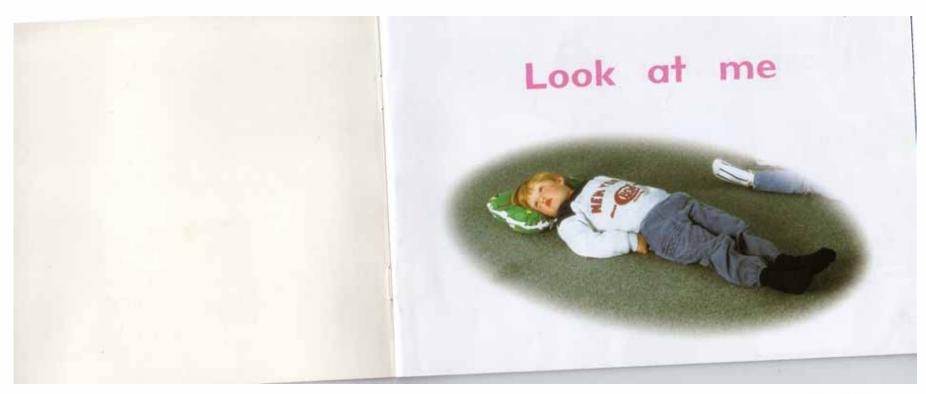






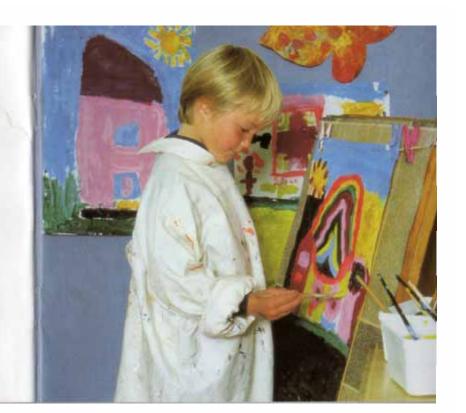








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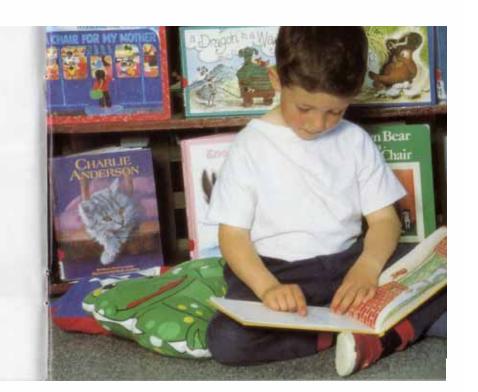


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Look at me.

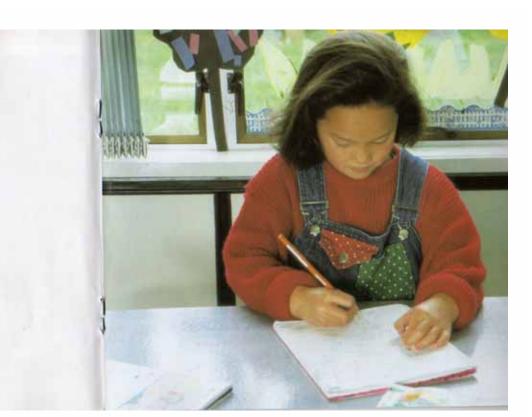


I am reading.





I am writing.



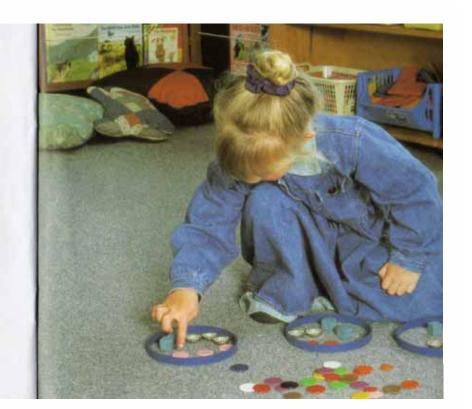


I am building.





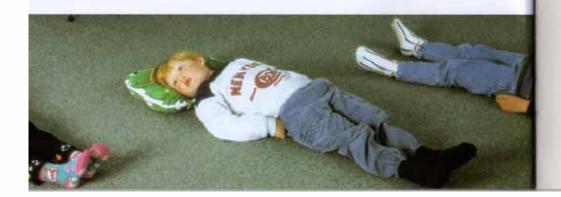
I am counting.





#### I am resting.

Look at me.



#### PM Starters One

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#### PM Starters 0

Me Mum Dad A house Big things Little things Dressing-up Playing Pets We go out Time for dinner At the zoo Mums and Dads The go-karts In the trolley Climbing The shopping mal Look at me The way I go to s The skier



## Listening to your child read

- Show your child that you are enjoying the story
- Give your child time to figure out the tricky words
- Read together at a time when there are no interruptions
- Talk about the story after your child has read it, to make sure he or she understands it.

#### Stuck on a word?

#### Ask your child to:

- Think about what word would make sense in the story or sentence;
- Sound the word out;
- Think of a word that looks and sounds similar;
- Look for parts of the word that are familiar;
- Look at the pictures for clues;
- Go back and read it again.



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