

Set 1 Sounds

Set 1 sounds are taught in Preschool and Reception.

All of the Read, Write, Inc. sounds have a playful 'ditty' and picture assigned to them to make them memorable for the children.

For example, 'c' is c-c-c-c-caterpillar and 'thing on a string' is ng

Preschool and Reception (Set 1 single letter sounds); It is essential that the children learn the single letter sounds clearly and accurately in order to blend them into words.

We need to teach **pure sounds**.

Watch this video link to hear the Pure Sounds;

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TkXcobDUg7Q&t=22s>



Reception (Set 1 Special Friends sounds); As the children are confident with their single letter sounds, they are introduced to 'Special Friends'. They have 2 letters for 1 sound, i.e. **ng** or **sh**.

Watch the video link to see how the special friends are taught;

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OpGuwcr08lE&list=PLDe74jIF52zSCiOMSn3zQDSzqu9TrbQlc&index=9>

