

Phonics

Six Easy Steps to Reading



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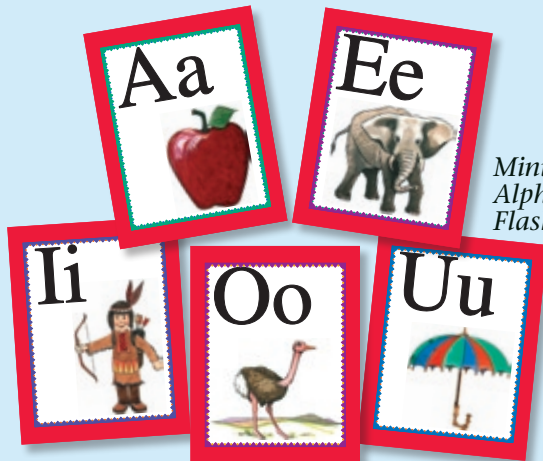
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1. Learn to recognize the short vowels and their sounds.













Vowel Chart from
*Phonics Charts
and Games*



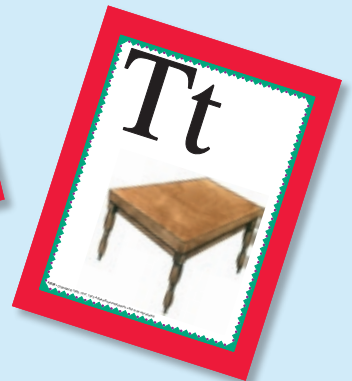
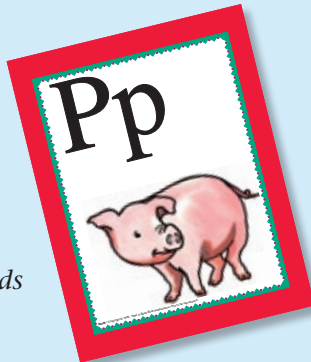
*Miniature
Alphabet
Flashcards*

2. Learn to recognize the consonants and their sounds.

t  table	h  horse
l  lamp	s  sun
b  bell	c  cat
n  nest	d  dog
m  milk	g  goat

Consonant Chart (front and back)
from *Phonics Charts and Games*

r  ring	w  wagon
f  fox	y  yarn
j  jar	p  pig
k  kite	z  zebra
v  violin	q  queen
x  fox, box, ax	



Alphabet Flashcards

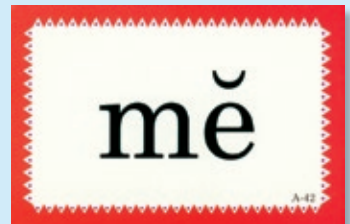
3. Learn to blend.

Blending the sounds of a consonant and a vowel is the first step to reading words.



Blend Ladders

My Blend & Word Book



Blend Practice Cards A

4. Learn to sound one-vowel words.



My Blend & Word Book

When there is one vowel in a word, that vowel usually says its short sound.



I Learn to Read, Book A

Note: Sight words cannot be pronounced entirely by phonetic analysis. Children learn to recognize sight words such as *the*, *I*, and *a*.

5. Learn the sounds of the long vowels. Learn to sound two-vowel words.

When there are two vowels in a word, the first vowel says its long sound, and the second vowel is silent.



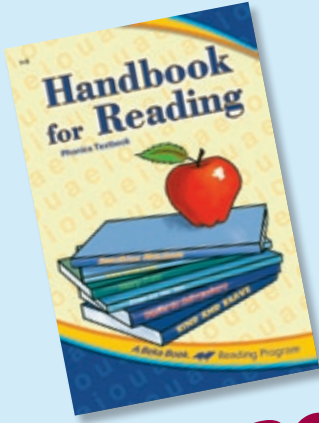
I Do Read Book 1



Long Vowel Chart
from *Blend Ladders*



My Blend & Word Book



 **A Beka Book®**

Materials for Teaching Phonics

A Beka Book offers complete day-by-day lesson plans for phonics and reading from K4 through grade 2. Listed below are teaching aids and readers for the six steps of phonics.

1. Short vowels

- Miniature Alphabet Flashcards K
- Large Alphabet Flashcards K-2
- Large Alphabet Vowel Chart from Phonics Charts and Games Set K
- Letter Picture Flashcards K
- Vowel Chart from Basic Phonics Charts 1-2

2. Consonants

- Miniature Alphabet Flashcards K
- Large Alphabet Flashcards K-2
- Consonant Chart from Phonics Charts and Games Set K
- Letter Picture Flashcards K
- Consonant Chart from Basic Phonics Charts 1-2

3. Blends

- Blend Ladders K
- My Blend and Word Book* K
- Blend Practice Cards Set A K-1
- Basic Phonics Charts 1-2

4. One-vowel words

My Blend and Word Book K

Basic Phonics Charts 1-2

Handbook for Reading 1-2

Readers:

K4 *Little Books 1-10* (10 books),
Old MacDonald's Farm, Tip, Gus,
Wig on a Pig, Matt

K5 *My Blend and Word Book*
I Learn to Read, Book A, Book B, Book C

1 *Fun with Pets*, pp. 1-73

5. Long vowels and two-vowel words

My Blend and Word Book K

Basic Phonics Charts 1-2

Handbook for Reading 1-2

Readers:

K4 *Pet Pete, Mike's Coat, A Pal*

K5 *My Blend and Word Book*
I Learn to Read, Book D
I Do Read, Books 1, 2, 3, 4

1 *Fun with Pets*, pp. 74-126
Tiptoes, pp. 3-42

6. Special phonics sounds

Basic Phonics Flashcards K-2

Clue Word Cards K-2

Basic Phonics Charts 1-2

Large Phonics Teaching Charts 1-2

Handbook for Reading 1-2

Readers:

K5 *I Can Read Well*, Books 1, 2, 3, 4
Big Owl Books (4 books)
Family Fun Books (7 books)

1 *Tiptoes, Stepping Stones,*
Secrets and Surprises,
The Bridge Book, Animals in the
Great Outdoors, Kind and Brave,
Aesop's Fables, Strong and True,
Down by the Sea

2 *Story Tree, Treasure Chest*

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