



11th May 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you so much for all your hard work supporting the children with their Read, Write Inc. phonics during this period of home-schooling.

If we were at school, the children would have completed an assessment and many would have moved to the next stage of reading. If your child has been doing a daily speed sound lesson, reading their RWI books daily and completing the activities then they are likely to be ready to move stage. However, it is not possible to test them so it will need to be done through trial and error.

If your child is not on Red Ditties and has confidently completed all three books set over the previous weeks, then please try them on week 1 for the next stage (next on the list). Don't worry if they find this jump too hard, simply select other books from the current colour on Oxford Owl for a few weeks and then try again.

If your child has not completed all three books, then please do these over the next few weeks before moving to the next stage. They will still be learning Set 2 sounds.

If your child is on Red Ditties, please keep them reading Red Ditties for now unless you feel they are ready for the challenge of Set 2 sounds and Green books. If this is the case, please email Mrs York on the EYFS email.

The new book for the children on Red Ditties and the hold a sentence is in the [table](#) on the page below.

When we do return to school, we will assess your child to ensure they are reading the correct stage.

Please keep reading and email or phone Mrs York with any issues or concerns.

Kind regards

Mrs York

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Books to Read Week 1

Group	Book	Hold a sentence
Red Ditty	Sun hat fun	Wed - dad had a hat Fri - a big red box
Green	Hands	Wed - Hands can push and pull. Fri - Hands can mix and chop.
Purple	A pet goldfish	Wed - He put the fish in the tank. Fri - Pick the fish up with a net.
Pink	Light and shadow	Wed - The sun sends us light. Fri - The sun can be high or low.
Orange	Jam tarts	Wed - She got a packet of cheese from the shop. Fri - We went to the shop in the car.
Yellow	A sweetcorn salad	Wed - A bright sweetcorn salad is good for you. Fri - You need to mix all the things with a spoon.
Blue	Save the whale	Wed - The humpback has long flippers and a fin. Fri - Humpbacks have problems and need help.
Grey	A job for Jordan	Wed - It's very important for a guide dog to behave. Fri - The dog and its owner must act as a team.

Books to Read Week 2

Group	Book	Hold a sentence
Red Ditty	Nog in the Fog	Wed - Nog jogs in the fog Fri - Mop can hop and run
Green	The get fit club	Wed - I can back flip at the club. Fri - You can skip and run on the spot.
Purple	Skateboard Sid and the hat	Wed - Ben grabs a pink rabbit hat from Jen. Fri - He flung it on the grass then ran away.
Pink	The troll in the pond	Wed - Fay tells the troll to run away. Fri - He jumps in the pond with a splash.
Orange	Jim's house in 1874	Wed - The cat found a mouse in the house. Fri - I play in the garden with my spinning top.
Yellow	A hungry fox	Wed - Fox looked at the hen and licked his lips. Fri - He found a gingerbread man in the kitchen.
Blue	On your bike	Wed - Check your lights and brakes before you ride. Fri - Do not ride your bike in ice and snow.
Grey	A place in space - the moon	Wed - Craters were formed by space objects hitting the moon at high speed. Fri - There is no air on the moon but there is water.

Books to Read Week 3

Group	Book	Hold a sentence
Red Ditty	Get up!	Wed - get up Dan and ted Fri - I sat in the sun
Green	Jan's pancakes	Wed - Jan can mix and whisk it. Fri - Toss it and flip it then catch it.
Purple	Stop!	Wed - In the box was a bent fishing rod. Fri - Meg can patch the ripped tent.
Pink	A map in the attic	Wed - They went past a deep pond with ducks. Fri - Grandad tricked them with the tickets.
Orange	Horses	Wed - A Welsh Cob is a breed of horse. Fri - Horses are used in sport and for transport.
Yellow	Bushcraft	Wed - Bushcraft is the skill of living in the woods. Fri - You can spot animal footprints in the mud.
Blue	A whole in my tooth	Wed - The dentist looked in my mouth with a big light. Fri - She drilled out some decay and filled the hole.
Grey	The Stone Age	Wed - In the Stone Age people went hunting for meat to eat. Fri - They wore clothes made from the animal skins.

Red Ditties Week 4 - 11th May 2020

Red Ditty	I can hop	Wed - I can hop and run. Fri - The bug is on the bin.
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