

Reading at King's Oak

First reading book



Your child's first reading books will come home after October half term. In this early stage of reading we would like to ask you to do the following:

1. Look at the front cover and predict what the book might be about
2. Read the book to your child whilst **you** point to the words.



3. Read the book to your child encouraging **your child** to do the word pointing.
4. Encourage your child to **read the book themselves as they also point to the words.**
5. During the week ask your child to reread the books several times.

After a while, you can skip stages 2-3 and focus on encouraging your child to read the book themselves- using their sounds to sound out any difficult words.

Changing books

We will change books on a Wednesday and the children can keep those books for a week. Please keep the books in your child's book bag so that we can also read them with your child at school. Please make a note of what has been read in their reading record.



Phonics

We will be learning phase 2 letter sounds. We also need to remember the words in the red box and learn these by sight.

