

## 44 Sounds and Spelling Tubs

**Your complete classroom solution to phonics and spelling! There are 44 sounds that make up every spoken word in the English language. With the help of the objects included in these tubs, children will be able to see how a variety of different spelling patterns are used to represent each of these different sounds.**

### Contents

- 44 labelled tubs each containing a selection of objects
- Leaflet of teaching tips and ideas
- Photocopiable reference guide
- All tubs come in a handy storage solution

### **Each tub has three labels to help with identification:**

1. A label on the top of the lid with the initial sound and an image which represents this.
2. A label on the front of the tub repeating the above information.
3. A label on the inside of the lid which highlights all the different graphemes\* for that phoneme, along with a word to represent the grapheme. The list of words also works as a checklist for the objects in the tub.

\* Rare graphemes are not represented with an object in the tub, but they are listed on the bottom of the label with a word as an example and the grapheme highlighted in a different colour.

## Objects Checklist

Sound Grouping	Sound Tub Label	Most common grapheme correspondences	Objects	√
Consonant Sounds	/b/	b, bb	ball, rabbit, banana, button, zebra	
	/d/	d, dd	dog, dice, duck, adder, sandwich	
	/f/	f, ff, ph	fish, fence, waffle, phone, fan	
	/g/	g, gg	goat, grapes, gorilla, egg, zig zag	
	/h/	h	hat, hen, hotdog, hippo, helmet	
	/j/	j, g, ge, dge	jet, jellyfish, angel, giraffe, fridge	
	/k/	k, c, ck, ch, qu	key, cat, clock, Christmas tree, quarter	
	/l/	l, ll	lion, log, lipstick, ball, alligator	
	/m/	m, mm, mb	monkey, mitten, mug, comb, hammer	
	/n/	n, nn, kn, gn	nest, necklace, nose, tennis racket, knife, gnome	
	/p/	p, pp	pear, pig, pan, pumpkin, apple	
	/r/	r, rr, wr	rat, rug, rabbit, carrot, wreath	
	/s/	s, ss, se, c, ce	sock, horse, rice, dress, centipede, cylinder	
	/t/	t, tt	train, turtle, tree, button, mitten	
	/v/	v, ve	volcano, vase, olive, hive, sieve	
	/w/	w, u	waffle, watering can, wheel, web, penguin	
	/y/	y	yogurt, yolk, yarn, yo-yo, yacht	
	/z/	z, zz, ze, se, x	zebra, zig-zag, cheese, pretzel, puzzle, xylophone	
/x/	x, k-s, cks	fox, axe, socks, blocks, mailbox		
Digraph Sounds	/ch/	ch, tch	cheese, chair, chicken, match, watch	
	/wh/	wh	wheel, whale, whistle, wheat, wheelbarrow	
	/sh/	sh, ti, ch	ship, shoe, fish, sewing machine, station	
	/th/	th	thumb, thermometer, third, thimble, feather	
	/zh/	s (before -ion and -ure), ge	treasure chest, television, tape measure, camouflage	
	/ng/	ng	hanger, flamingo, ring, finger, wing	
Short Vowel Sounds	/a/	a	ant, hat, cat, bat, apple	
	/e/	e, ea	bread, egg, elephant, hen, peg	
	/i/	i, y	pig, lipstick, igloo, fish, cylinder	
	/o/	o, ou, a	orange, octopus, swan, dog, cough medicine	
	/u/	u, o, ou	duck, money, slug, glove, umbrella	
	/oo/	oo, u	book, football, hook, wool, bull	
Long Vowel Sounds	/a/	a, ai, ay, ei, a-e, eigh	radio, snail, cake, eight, hay, weight	
	/e/	ee, ea, ey, y, e-e	eel, bee, seal, key, eagle, baby, centipede	
	/i/	i, ie, y, i-e, igh	iron, dice, dinosaur, fries, tyre, light bulb	
	/o/	o, oa, ow, o-e	volcano, goat, snowman, cone, flamingo	
	/u/	u, ew, u-e	unicorn, cube, ewe, newt	
	/oo/	oo, o, u, ew, ue, u-e, oe	boot, shoe, igloo, glue, screw, flute	
	/ou/	ou, ow	cloud, cow, crown, flower, house	
	/oy/	oy, oi	cowboy, coins, oil can, doily, poison	
R Controlled Vowel Sounds	/air/	air, are, ear, ere	chair, pear, bear, square	
	/ar/	ar, al, a	koala, yarn, palm tree, shark, bath	
	/ear/	ear, ier, eer	deer, ear, pierced ear	
	/ur/	ir, or, ur, er (her)	purse, turtle, bird	
	/or/	or, oor, oar, our, a, au	corn, watering can, dinosaur, apple core, saw	