

Set 2 Sounds and Words

In Year 1, your child will have started learning these sounds:

ay	<u>Ma</u> y I <u>pl</u> ay?
ee	What can you <u>see</u> ?
igh	fly <u>hi</u> gh
ow	<u>bl</u> ow the <u>sn</u> ow
oo	<u>po</u> o at the <u>zo</u> o
ar	<u>st</u> art the <u>ca</u> r
or	shut the <u>do</u> or
air	that's not <u>fa</u> ir
ir	<u>wh</u> irl and <u>tw</u> irl
ou	<u>sh</u> out it <u>ou</u> t
oy	<u>to</u> y for a <u>bo</u> y

To help children to *decode* words, we use sound buttons—or dots or dashes—to support children in finding the *special friends* in words. On the following page, please find examples of words with sound buttons for your child to practise at home.

steep

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hay

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despair

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firmly

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flock

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bright

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fright

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crow

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moon

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crook

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arm

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scar

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sport

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shout

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couch

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oysters

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Set 2 Words

Below are some words with the Set 2 sounds in. For any word your child finds difficult, feel free to add sound buttons to support them!

Sound	Word 1	Word 2	Word 3	Word 4
ay	way	day	spray	tray
ee	see	been	green	sleep
igh	high	night	fright	might
ow	snow	show	flow	grow
oo	too	mood	spoon	food
oo (book)	book	shook	foot	look
ar	start	dart	cars	hard
or	sport	born	cork	torch
air	hair	stairs	fairy	chair
ir	whirl	twirl	first	shirt
ou	shout	found	sound	proud
oy	boy	royal	toys	annoy

Set 3 Sounds and Words

In Year 1, your child will have started learning these sounds:

ea	cup of <u>tea</u>
oi	sp <u>oi</u> l the boy
a-e	<u>ma</u> ke <u>a</u> <u>ca</u> ke
i-e	<u>ni</u> ce <u>smi</u> le
o-e	ph <u>o</u> ne <u>h</u> ome
u-e	<u>hu</u> ge <u>br</u> ute
are	<u>sh</u> are and <u>ca</u> re
ur	<u>pu</u> rse for a <u>n</u> urse
er	a <u>bet</u> ter <u>l</u> etter
ow	<u>br</u> own <u>co</u> w
ai	<u>sn</u> ail in the <u>ra</u> in
oa	<u>go</u> at in a <u>bo</u> at
ew	<u>ch</u> ew the <u>st</u> ew
ie	terrible <u>ti</u> e
aw	<u>y</u> awn at <u>d</u> awn
au	<u>Pa</u> ul the <u>astron</u> aut
ear	<u>he</u> ar with your <u>ea</u> r
ure	<u>su</u> re it's <u>pu</u> re
ire	<u>fi</u> re <u>fi</u> re!
tion	<u>ce</u> lebr <u>ati</u> on

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paw
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cake
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seal
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pile
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lie
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stone
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cute
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dare
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curl
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hamster
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growl
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drain
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cloak
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stew
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smear
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hire
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Set 3 Words

Sound	Word 1	Word 2	Word 3	Word 4
ear	tea	beast	bean	bleach
oi	foil	spoil	toil	join
a-e	bake	flake	cake	rake
i-e	fine	smile	kite	prize
o-e	bone	phone	rose	globe
u-e	brute	flute	cute	salute
ur	turn	church	burp	curl
er	letter	mixer	bigger	butter
ow	brown	clown	owl	prowl

Set 3 Words Continued

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ai	rain	snail	Spain	hail
oa	goat	boat	bloat	boast
ew	flew	brew	stew	grew
ie	tie	lied	cries	flies
aw	yawn	dawn	prawn	spawn
au	author	launch	haul	jaunt
ea	gear	spear	tears	near
ure	sure	pure	cure	manure
ire	fire	spire	admire	wire