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Phonics			Can you complete the I spy initial sounds activity provided below. An adult can help you recognise the letters, once the adult has told you a letter can you find something in the picture beginning with that sound. (See page 6)	Can you complete the I spy reading activity provided below. Don't worry about matching the words with lines if you haven't got a printer, just sound out the letters in each word, blend the letters together and then say the word. When you have read the word find the correct picture on the sheet. (See page 7)	Can you complete the phase 2 challenges provided below. (See page 8)

Make Your Own Small World

Set up an imaginative small world with mini figures, building blocks and your own trees and buildings made from paper and card.



Make Your Own Phone

Find some yoghurt pots and string. Make your own telephone by asking an adult to make holes in the bottom of the yoghurt pots and thread the string through. Send a message down the phone to someone in another room.



Keep Fit

Keep yourself healthy at home by setting up a circuit of three different exercises. Include a jumping station, a running station and a stretching station.

Eat Your Colours

With help from an adult, cut up fruit and vegetables into pieces. Arrange them on a plate, like a picture, and enjoy eating the different colours.

Building Block Challenge

Using just 10, 20 or 30 small building blocks, see how many different creations you can make.

Play a Board Game

Choose a board game from home and play it with your family. If you can't find one, you can print out this game of Snakes and Ladders.

What Is It?

Play a describing game with someone at home. Choose an object that you can see and describe it to the other player using three clues.

Memory Game

Collect ten small objects from around the house and put them on a tray. Ask the other person to look away while you take away one object. When they open their eyes, they guess what is missing.

Make a Musical Instrument

Fill a clean, empty yoghurt pot with dried beans and stick a piece of paper to the top. You have made a shaker.



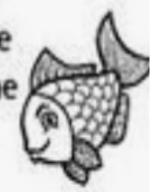




A Fish Out Of Water

My friends and I went to the park.

The park had a lake. We saw a little orange fish. It had gotten out of the water. My friends and I helped put the fish back in the water.



1. Where did the friends go?

2. What did the park have?_____

3. What color was the fish?_____

4. Where did they put the fish?_____

5. Do you have a pet fish? ___

An Octopus Grabs

The octopus lives under the sea. He sometimes comes out of the sea to grab things. He grabs apples to eat and a beachball to play with. He grabs things with his long legs.



- Where does the octopus live?
- 2. What did he grab to eat?
 - A. bananas
- B. mangos

C. apples

- 3. What did the octopus grab to play with?
- 4. How did the octopus grab things?

Reading comprehension. -

The Ocean

The ocean has bright blue water filled with waves. Many types of fish live in the ocean. Seagulls love flying over the ocean to look for fish. There is soft sand along the shore, and there are pretty seashells in the sand. The ocean is a great place to visit.

Write the answers to the questions:

1.	What is the ocean filled with?
2.	What lives in the ocean?
3.	What is in the sand?
4.	Where is the soft sand?
5.	Why do seagulls fly over the ocean?

The Ocean Home



Squid and lobster, giant whales, Jellyfish, seahorses and fish with tails. Sharks and walruses, oysters with pearls, Cuttlefish and octopuses – see them twirl!

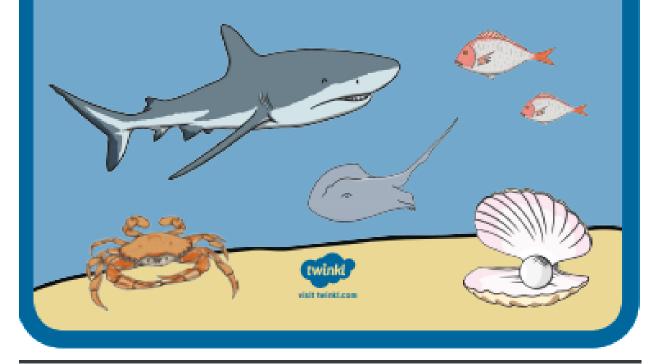
Crabs and sea snakes, electric eels,
Dolphins, orcas and clapping seals.
Mussels, swordfish, turtles in shells,
Starfish and clams hide in ocean swells.

All make their home in the depths below.

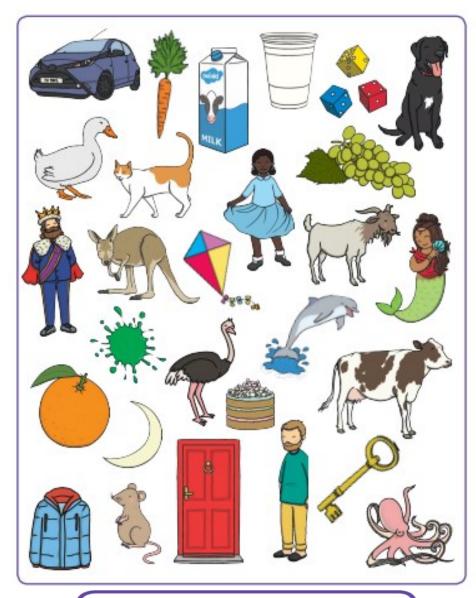
Dark and mysterious - there's lots we don't know,

So let's learn together, you and me,

About the creatures under the sea!



I Spy –



Find something beginning with...



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I Spy and Read

Draw a line to the matching picture when you have read each word.

hop bus bell doll kiss fan bug back

Challenge: Can you spell a word to match one of the other pictures?

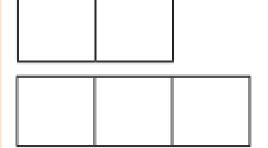
Phase 2 Challenges-

Look at things around the room and say the sound they begin with. Can you hear the sound they end with too? Try writing some of them down.

Can you spell out any of the pictures? Tell your grown-up which sound it begins with and which sound it ends with. Do all the words have the same number of sounds?



Can you put the sounds on this page into the phoneme frames to make words?



Play a game with your grown-up.

Take it in turns to give instructions.

For example, 'Touch your f-ee-t' or

'Stand u-p'.

Can you look in a book and find any of these words? Which words did you spot the most?

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Can you read the letters on this page and think of a word that begins with each one?

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