



Padstow School

Head of School: Mrs K Whitford

Dear Parents and Guardians

Over the last 2 weeks we have been working hard to sound out simple words and then blend the sounds together to say the word. Your child will receive some words in their homework file to practise their reading at home. Please encourage your child to sound out each letter and then blend them together to say the word e.g. c-a-t cat. This will support your child in developing their reading skills and prepare them for books with words. Please note down when you practise these words in your child's reading record, along with when you practise their Set 1 sounds (green book) and share their picture book so we know what you have been doing at home.

For more information on how to support your child with reading please use the link below where you can find resources and useful videos of how to support your child at each stage of their reading.

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>

If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Best Wishes

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