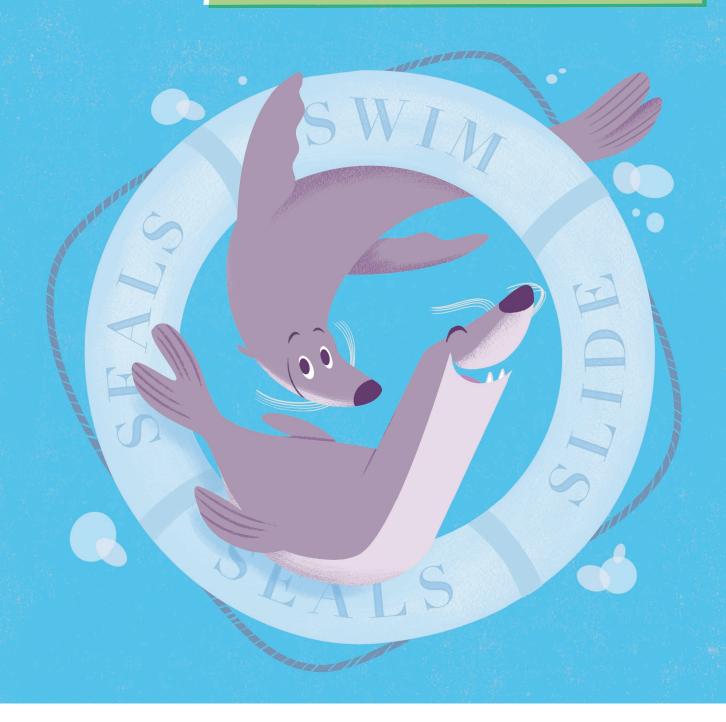
# SOUND WAYES LITERACY



SYSTEMATIC SYNTHETIC PHONICS & WORD STUDY



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# **Welcome to Sound Waves Literacy**

Our structured literacy approach is the key to reading, writing and spelling success.

Sound Waves Literacy is an evidence-informed program. Instruction builds from Foundation to Year 6 and covers four key areas of teaching: phonemic awareness, synthetic phonics, morphology and etymology.

### Year 3 Overview

Follow these two steps to teach, practise and consolidate reading and spelling skills.

## Step 1: Teach with Sound Waves Literacy Online

Year 3 lessons start with explicit teaching using the lesson guides and interactive slideshows at Sound Waves Literacy Online.

The teaching resources at *Sound Waves Literacy Online* help you to deliver systematic and engaging lessons that directly correspond to the activities in this book.

### Step 2: Consolidate with the Student Book

Student Books in Years 1–6 all contain 36 units of work. Each unit is designed to take one week to complete.

In *Unit 1 Getting Started*, students demonstrate their understanding of the basic concepts needed to begin working with the program.

In *Units 2–36*, students complete Focus Word activities (reading and spelling words containing the focus phoneme), and Focus Concept activities (consolidating spelling and vocabulary concepts).

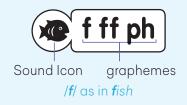
Additional resources, including *Teaching Charts*, *Student Charts* and *Playing Cards*, are also available to support teaching and learning.



# **Sound Boxes**

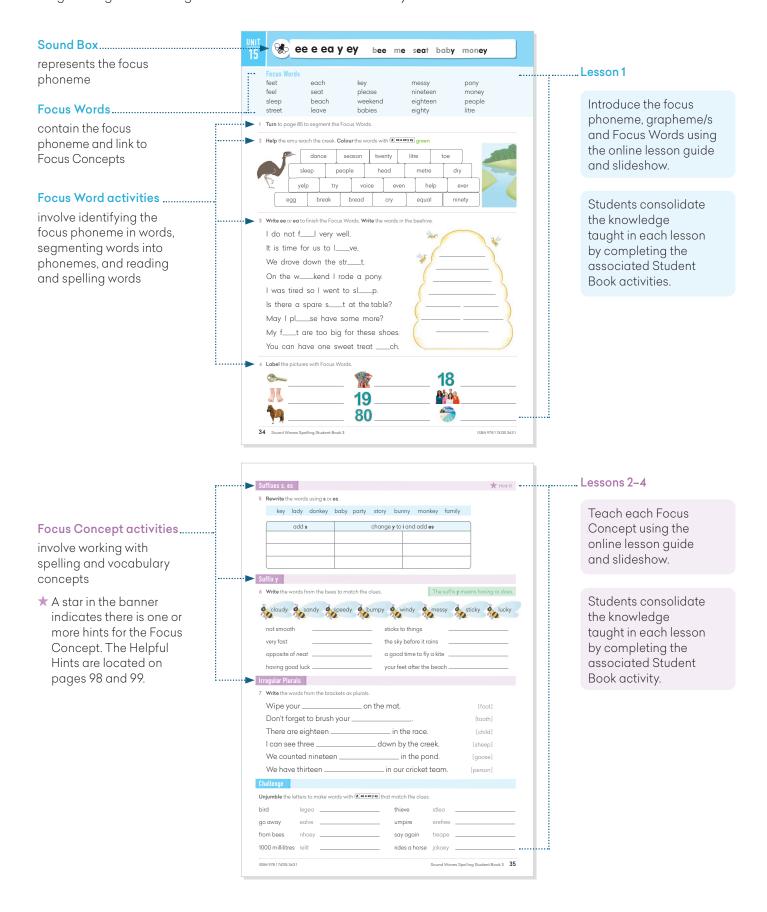
In Sound Waves each phoneme is represented by a Sound Box. Each Sound Box contains a Sound Icon and the most common grapheme/s used to represent that phoneme.

When you see a Sound Box, say the phoneme it represents, not the name of the Sound Icon or the letter name. For example, say the phoneme /f/, not fish or the letter name f.



# **How to Use This Book**

The activities in this book should only be completed after the associated lessons have been taught using the teaching resources at *Sound Waves Literacy Online*.



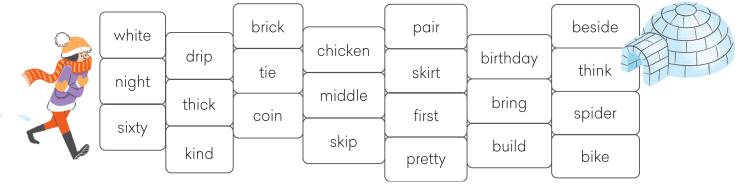


# igloo

# **Focus Words**

lift	think	skipped	invite	busy
swim	drink	skipping	winter	pretty
brick	build	until	little	children
still	wishes	finish	visit	different

- 1 **Turn** to page 81 to segment the Focus Words.
- 2 Help Kim reach the igloo. Colour the words with @i.



**3 Write** words that rhyme.

skip	brick	link	swift

4 Rewrite the letters adding i to make Focus Words.

stll	untl	lft	nvite
lttle	drnk	brck	wnter
swm	fnsh	thnk	wshes

**5** Write Focus Words that match the clues.

go to see	to complete
not adults	not the same
looks good	ask to a party
has lots to do	coldest season

# Suffixes ed, ing



6 Rewrite the words using ed and ing. Use some of the words to finish the sentences.

	ed		ir	ng	
pick					
skip					
film					
drip					
flip					
Lily	up the	rubbish		(TR	
Tristan is	1	nis dog c	loing a trick.	41	
The tap	a	ll night.			
The chef is _	is the pancake.				
ıffixes s, es					Hint 13
Rewrite the words	adding <b>s</b> or <b>es</b> .				
drink	mix			fizz	
swing	kiss			wish	
pinch	build			finish	
nonyms					
Write Focus Word	ls that are synonyms.				
sip	kids			attractive	
end	raise			construct	
small	active	9		dissimilar	
nallenge					
ross out the words	with <b>i. Write</b> the word	ds that are le	ft to make a riddle	e and answer.	
Which What did	. • .	riddle:			
wish swim in for	dinner lunch?				
		-			

chips ice chicken milk burgers fish

answer: \_



# **Focus Words**

sent	teeth	dentist	twenty	Australia
soft	street	tidy	kitten	don't
wait	write	tiny	letter	haven't
east	artist	fifty	bottle	weren't

- **Turn** to page 89 to segment the Focus Words.
- 2 Help the tiger reach its cub. Colour the words with @ tt.

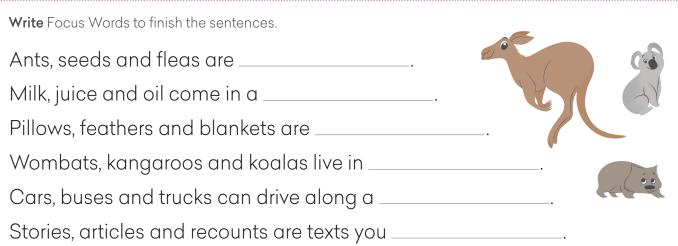


Write t or tt to finish the words.

idy	mos	kep	sen	wai	bole
eas	leer	iny	kien	sand	Ausralia

4 Write Focus Words that match the clues.

baby cat	number after 49
number after 19	written message
cars drive on this	do not go yet
use these to chew	opposite of messy



6	Finish the sentences with the words from the box.  The suf								uffix <b>ist</b> means one who.						
	Taka's job is to draw care of performing takes care of performs is on holiday overs. Brett paints pictures of the Banjeet rides his bike in Nate works in a lab. He	eople's teeth. She is seas. She is a trees. He is an races. He is a	a		·			•	C	to ar de scie	clist urist rtist ntist entis	: st			
Co	ontractions														
7	Rewrite the words as contraction	S.													
	is not	were not		_ (	did r	not									
	do not	have not		(	canı	not									
	was not	could not		_ \	will r	not									
8	Underline the words that can ma I have not sent the letter yet. Please do not be late for the de You cannot turn left onto Wattl The kittens were not tired after	entist		ons.	4										
Cl	nallenge														
	olour animal names with @ttt in t se the leftover letters to make the h		n the clue	es. W	rite	the c	anim	nal n	ame	S.					
bo	aby cat			14/		m	b		t	ı	t	k			
st	riped animal		_ p	t	о а	m r	f	i	S	h	u	i			
aı	nimal with a trunk		_ a	t	у	t	i	g	е	r	r	t			
se	ea animal with a shell		_ е	1	e	р	h	а	n	t	t	t			
se	ea animal with eight arms		р	0	С	t	0	р	u	S		е			
SE	ea animal shaped like a star		u	r	а	b	b	i	t	S	е	n			

hidden word: \_

animal with long ears that hops

Australian animal with short legs

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- is evidence-informed
- follows a systematic synthetic phonics sequence of instruction
- is sequential and cumulative across the primary school years
- includes lesson resources to explicitly teach phoneme–grapheme relationships and vocabulary concepts
- incorporates early years reading lessons and practice
- provides assessment and remediation opportunities





**Start with Online teaching resources.** These provide everything teachers need to deliver systematic, explicit, engaging lessons. Features include detailed lesson guides, interactive slideshows, videos, assessment and more.

Follow on with Student Book activities. These provide students with immediate consolidation of the synthetic phonics and word study knowledge taught in each lesson. Available as a workbook or printable pages.



**Culminate with Decodable Readers.** These high quality texts are essential for Foundation and Year 1 students to apply their phoneme–grapheme knowledge when reading.

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