

Sounds Write EYFS – Initial Code Overview 2026-2027

Autumn 1 8 weeks	Week 1 1 week	Weeks 2-3 2 weeks	Weeks 4-5 2 weeks	Weeks 6-7 2 weeks	Week 8 1 week
Current Learning Lessons 1, 4 and 5	Baseline Phonics routines	Unit 1 m, a, s, t, i	Unit 2 n, o, p	Unit 3 b, c, g, h	Consolidation of Units 1, 2 and 3
Word Structure	Segment, blend and manipulate sounds in words with the structure VC and CVC.				
Sight Words	l, the, of said,				
Autumn 2 8 weeks	Weeks 9-10 2 weeks	Week 11-12 2 weeks	Week 13-14 2 weeks	Week 15-16 2 weeks	
Current Learning Lessons 1, 4 and 5	Unit 4 d, f, v, e	Unit 5 k, l, r, u	Unit 6 j, w, z	Unit 7 x, y, ff, ll, ss	
Word Structure	Segment, blend and manipulate sounds in words with the structure VC and CVC.				
Sight Words	for, are, he, was, all, to				
Spring 1 (6 weeks)	Week 17-18 2 weeks	Week 19-20 2 weeks	Week 21-22 2 weeks		
Current Learning Lessons 1, 4 and 5	Unit 8 No new sound, spelling correspondences.	Unit 9 No new sound, spelling correspondences.	Unit 8 and Unit 9 Consolidation		
Word Structure	VCC and CVCC words Wk 1 – continuants Wk 2 - noncontinuants	CCVC words Wk 1 – continuants Wk 2 - noncontinuants	VC, CVC, VCC, CVCC, CCVC words with prior learnt sounds.		
Sight Words	come, some, my, you				
Spring 2 (4 weeks)	Weeks 23-24 2 weeks	Weeks 25-26 2 weeks			
Current Learning Lessons 1, 4 and 5	Unit 10 No new sound, spelling correspondences.	Unit 10 No new sound, spelling correspondences.			
Word Structure	CCVCC, CCCVC	CCVCC, CCCVC			
Sight Words	be, we, she, he, me				
Summer 1 (8 weeks)	Weeks 27-28 2 weeks	Weeks 29-30 2 weeks	Weeks 31-32 2 weeks	Weeks 33-34 2 weeks	
Current Learning Lessons 1, 4 and 5	Unit 11 sh, ch	Unit 11 th (un/voiced), ck	Unit 11 ng <ng> and <n> /k/w/ <q><u>	Unit 11 /w/ <wh>	
Word Structure	All prior word structures	All prior word structures	All prior word structures	All prior word structures	
Sight Words	what, where, who, there/their/they're				
Summer 2 (5 weeks)	Week 35-36 2 weeks	Week 37-38 2 weeks	Weeks 39 1 week		
Current Learning Lessons 6,7 and 9	Bridging Unit	Bridging Unit	Bridging Unit		