

## Phonics screening test for year 2 pupils Autumn 2021 (statutory assessment).

With the cancellation of the phonics screening check in June 2021 current year 2 pupils did not take the check in year 1. The government have recently announced it is statutory for schools to administer a past version of the phonics screening check to year 2 pupils during the second half of the 2021 autumn term and return results to their local authority by December 10<sup>th</sup> 2021.

The autumn check is intended to ensure that year 2 pupils who need support in learning to decode using phonics are not missed. Year 2 pupils who meet the expected standard in phonics in the 2021 autumn check will not be required to complete any further statutory assessments in phonics. Year 2 pupils who do not meet the expected standard in the 2021 autumn check will be expected to take the statutory check in June 2022, alongside year 1 pupils.

In order to ensure children, have the best possible chance of attaining a pass in the statutory assessment we are building a bank of resources to help parents support classroom teaching. We want to make these resources available to everyone and so resources will be available online as well as in paper form if requested.

All resources will be available on the school website and we will continually update this as we move through the RWInc phonics programme.

I have attached a couple of links from the Ruth Miskin website for you to view.

The [Phonics Screening Check](#) explained.

How to [Say the Sounds](#) RWInc sound pronunciation – Excellent resource!

[Oxford Owl home page for parents](#) Useful videos and links to help your child with RWInc at home.

I have also attached sets of the mini flash cards that can be printed off at home (print double sided in landscape format) and used to help support your children phonic practice.



Set 1 Mini flash cards Home.pdf



Set 2 Mini flash cards Home.pdf



Set 3 Mini flash card Home.pdf

If you have any queries or questions, please don't hesitate to ask a member of the year 2 team.

Many Thanks

Year 2 Team