

Using phonics in everyday life is a great way to help your child's learning. Below are the sounds and words from this week which you might like to practise at home.

Encourage your child to **read and write** the individual sounds and the example words. They may like to create their own sentence using these words. This can be done on the other side of this sheet.

### Step 3 Unit 6 sounds and words

#### Alternative sounds

'ie' as 'igh'

Can you spell any of the 'ie' as 'igh' words?



It is very high up!

What size are the trees?

I right my bike.

Here is your thigh.

night

nights

light

lights

flight

flights

bright

brighter

Tricky words are words which cannot be sounded out easily. Encourage your child to practise **reading** the words. They could try to **write or spell** the tricky words.

Read and cover

Write

should

would

could

put

saw

because

# Sound mat

Group 1	s	a	t	i	p	n
Group 2	ck	e	h	r	m	d
Group 3	g	o	u	l	f	b
Group 4	ai	j	oa	ie	ee	or
Group 5	z	w	ng	v	oo	oo
Group 6	y	x	ch	sh	th	th
Group 7	qu	ou	oi	ue	er	ar

Encourage your child to practise their handwriting. They may like to create their own sentences using the words on the other side of this sheet.

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Next week we are learning the alternative soft 'j' sound (as found in the words 'gem', 'margin' and 'energy').