



Phonics Workbook

Phase 5b

Adult:.....

Alternative 'a' pronunciations

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
cat		
had		
bag		
jam		
add		

The cat had a bag of jam.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'ai':

		I can read!	I can spell!
a c or n	acorn		
b a c on	bacon		
a pr on	apron		
a pr i c a t	apricot		
b a g e l	bagel		
st a tion	station		
n a tion	nation		

I had a bagel with bacon and apricot at the station.

Alternative 'a' pronunciations

Known pronunciations:

	I can read!	I can spell!
ram		
fat		
tab		
sad		
acorn		
apricot		
bagel		

The sad ram had an apricot bagel with an acorn.

New pronunciation- sounds like 'ar':

		I can read!	I can spell!
f a st	fast		
p a th	path		
p a ss	pass		
f a th er	father		
b a th	bath		
l a st	last		
gr a ss	grass		
a ft er	after		
br a nch	branch		
a ft er n oo n	afternoon		

This afternoon, my father had a fast bath then had a play on the grass.

Alternative 'a' pronunciations

Known pronunciations:

	I can read!	I can spell!
v a t		
m a t		
l a g		
b a con		
A my		
l a dy		
f a st		
p a th		
p a ss		
f a th er		

My father had bacon on the mat near the path.

New pronunciation- sounds like 'o':

		I can read!	I can spell!
w a s	was		
wh a t	what		
w a sh	wash		
w a sp	wasp		
squ a d	squad		

squ <i>a</i> sh	squash		
w <i>a</i> nt	want		
w <i>a</i> tch	watch		
w <i>a</i> ll e t	wallet		
w <i>a</i> nd er	wander		

The wasp had a wash then drank some squash.

Alternative 'e' pronunciation

Known pronunciations:

	I can read!	I can spell!
bed		
peg		
hen		
web		
met		
the		

The hen had a bed next to the web.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'ee':

		I can read!	I can spell!
h <i>e</i>	he		
m <i>e</i>	me		
sh <i>e</i>	she		
w <i>e</i>	we		
b <i>e</i>	be		
fr <i>e</i> qu e nt	frequent		

She wants to be me because I am frequent at playing tennis.

Alternative 'i' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
lid		

dip		
fix		
pin		
wig		

I can fix my wig with a pin.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'igh':

		I can read!	I can spell!
m i nd	mind		
f i nd	find		
w i ld	wild		
p i nt	pint		
bl i nd	blind		
ch i ld	child		
k i nd	kind		
gr i nd	grind		
be h i nd	behind		
re m i nd	remind		

I want to find a wild child who is kind.

Alternative 'o' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
hot		
map		
rot		
rob		
fox		

The fox got hot when he hid in the map bucket.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'oa':

		I can read!	I can spell!
n o	no		

so	so		
go	go		
old	old		
don't	don't		
gold	gold		
cold	cold		
told	told		
both	both		
hold	hold		

The old, cold man said no to holding gold.

Alternative 'u' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
but		
cub		
sun		
bus		
sun		

The cub saw sun on the bus in the sun.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'ue':

		I can read!	I can spell!
unit	unit		
unicorn	unicorn		
music	music		
tuba	tuba		
future	future		
human	human		
stupid	stupid		

The unicorn made music using a tuba and the human liked it.

Alternative 'u' pronunciation

Known pronunciations:

	I can read!	I can spell!
<i>mu<u>u</u>m</i>		
<i>pu<u>u</u>g</i>		
<i>uni<u>u</u>t</i>		
<i>uni<u>u</u>ion</i>		
<i>fu<u>u</u>ture</i>		

The mum pug wants a unit in the future.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'oo' (short):

		I can read!	I can spell!
<i>fu<u>u</u>t</i>	<i>fu<u>oo</u>t</i>		
<i>fu<u>u</u>ll</i>	<i>fu<u>oo</u>ll</i>		
<i>fu<u>u</u>sh</i>	<i>fu<u>oo</u>sh</i>		
<i>fu<u>u</u>ll</i>	<i>fu<u>oo</u>ll</i>		
<i>bu<u>u</u>sh</i>	<i>bu<u>oo</u>sh</i>		
<i>bu<u>u</u>ll</i>	<i>bu<u>oo</u>ll</i>		
<i>fu<u>u</u>dding</i>	<i>fu<u>oo</u>dding</i>		

The bull was full but he still wanted pudding!

Alternative 'ow' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
<i>to<u>ow</u>n</i>		
<i>do<u>ow</u>n</i>		
<i>co<u>ow</u></i>		
<i>o<u>ow</u></i>		

gown		
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The cow and owl bought a gown in town.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'oa':

		I can read!	I can spell!
l ow	low		
gr ow	grow		
sn ow	snow		
gl ow	glow		
t ow	tow		
sh ow	show		
sl ow	slow		
wi nd ow	window		
r ow ing	rowing		

The low amount of snow glows through the window.

Alternative 'ie' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
pie		
tie		
lie		
cried		
flies		

I cried when flies stole my pie and tie.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'ee':

		I can read!	I can spell!
ch ie f	chief		
br ie f	brief		
f ie ld	field		
sh ie ld	shield		
pr ie st	priest		

y <i>ie</i> ld	yield		
shr <i>ie</i> k	shriek		
th <i>ie</i> f	thief		
r e l <i>ie</i> f	relief		
b e l <i>ie</i> f	belief		

The chief priest felt relief when the shriek in the field was not a thief.

Alternative 'ea' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
sea		
heap		
least		
treat		
lead		

My lead fell into a heap in the sea.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'e':

		I can read!	I can spell!
h <i>ea</i> d	head		
d <i>ea</i> d	dead		
d <i>ea</i> f	deaf		
br <i>ea</i> d	bread		
h <i>ea</i> v e n	heaven		
f <i>ea</i> th e r	feather		
pl <i>ea</i> s a n t	pleasant		
i n s t <i>ea</i> d	instead		
br <i>ea</i> k f <u>a</u> s t	breakfast		

The bread I had for breakfast had a feather on it.

Alternative 'ou' pronunciations

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!

<i>out</i>		
<i>sound</i>		
<i>trout</i>		
<i>south</i>		
<i>loud</i>		

The trout made a loud sound outside.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'oo' (long):

		I can read!	I can spell!
<i>y ou</i>	<i>you</i>		
<i>s ou p</i>	<i>soup</i>		
<i>gr ou p</i>	<i>group</i>		

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'oo' (short):

		I can read!	I can spell!
<i>c ou ld</i>	<i>could</i>		
<i>w ou ld</i>	<i>would</i>		
<i>sh ou ld</i>	<i>should</i>		

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'oa':

		I can read!	I can spell!
<i>m ou ld</i>	<i>mould</i>		
<i>sh ou ld er</i>	<i>shoulder</i>		
<i>b ou ld er</i>	<i>boulder</i>		

Would you like some soup? There is no mould on it.

Alternative 'y' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
<i>yes</i>		
<i>yak</i>		
<i>yuck</i>		
<i>yell</i>		
<i>yum</i>		

The yak yelled yes!

New pronunciation - Sounds like 'igh':

		I can read!	I can spell!
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b <i>y</i>	by		
m <i>y</i>	my		
tr <i>y</i>	try		
wh <i>y</i>	why		
dr <i>y</i>	dry		
sk <i>y</i>	sky		
sp <i>y</i>	spy		
fr <i>y</i>	fry		
r e pl <i>y</i>	reply		

Why do you want to try to reply to the sky?

Alternative 'y' pronunciation

Known pronunciations:

	I can read!	I can spell!
yuck		
yell		
sky		
spy		
fry		

The spy yelled yuck at the fry!

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'i':

		I can read!	I can spell!
cr <i>y</i> st <u>a</u> l	crystal		
p <i>y</i> r a m i d	pyramid		
L <i>y</i> <u>nn</u> e	Lynne		
c <i>y</i> g n e t	cygnet		
rh <i>y</i> th m	rhythm		

The pyramid-shaped crystal had a rhythm when you tapped it.

Alternative 'y' pronunciation

Known pronunciations:

	I can read!	I can spell!
yuck		
why		
reply		
pyramid		
crystal		

Why does the crystal reply at the pyramid?

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'ee':

		I can read!	I can spell!
ver y	very		
happ y	happy		
funn y	funny		
carri y	carry		
hair y	hair y		
smell y	smelly		
penn y	penny		
crunch y	crunchy		
loll y	lolly		
merril y	merrily		
A m y	Amy		
lad y	lady		
dut y	duty		
m yster y	myster y		

Amy was very happy the smelly lolly was finished.

Alternative 'ch' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
chin		
chick		
much		
such		
check		

The chick checked her chin.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'c':

		I can read!	I can spell!
s ch ool	school		
Ch r i s t m a s	Christmas		
ch e m i s t	chemist		
ch o r d	chord		
ch o r u s	chorus		
Ch r i s	Chris		
ch r o n i c	chronic		
ch e m i c a l	chemical		
h <u>e</u> a d a ch <u>e</u>	headache		
t e ch n i c a l	technical		

Chris had a chronic headache at school near Christmas time.

Alternative 'ch' pronunciation

Known pronunciations:

	I can read!	I can spell!
suck		
check		
school		
chorus		
Chris		

Chris could check the chorus at school.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'sh':

		I can read!	I can spell!
ch e f	chef		
Ch a r l o t t e	Charlotte		
m a ch i n e	machine		
br o ch u r e	brochure		
ch a l e t	chalet		

Charlotte was a chef at the chalet who used a machine.

Alternative 'c' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
cat		
cot		
cuff		
car		
can		

The cat was in a car near the cot.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 's':

		I can read!	I can spell!
cell	cell		
central	central		
acid	acid		
cycle	cycle		
icy	icy		
cent	cent		
success	success		
December	December		
accent	accent		

It is icy in December so I try not to cycle.

Alternative 'g' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
got		
dog		

mu <u>g</u>		
pi <u>g</u>		
ra <u>g</u>		

The dog and pig saw a mug.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'j':

		I can read!	I can spell!
<u>g</u> ent	g <u>ent</u>		
<u>g</u> ym	g <u>ym</u>		
<u>g</u> em	g <u>em</u>		
<u>G</u> ill	<u>G</u> ill		
<u>g</u> ent <u>le</u>	g <u>entle</u>		
<u>g</u> in <u>g</u> er	g <u>inger</u>		
E <u>g</u> yp <u>t</u>	E <u>gypt</u>		
ma <u>g</u> ic	ma <u>gic</u>		
da <u>n</u> g <u>er</u>	da <u>nger</u>		
ene <u>r</u> g <u>y</u>	ene <u>rgy</u>		

Gill, who had ginger hair, went to the gym in Egypt because she had lots of energy.

Alternative 'ey' pronunciation

Known pronunciation:

	I can read!	I can spell!
mon <u>ey</u>		
mon <u>key</u>		
don <u>key</u>		
tr <u>ol</u> l <u>ey</u>		
val <u>l</u> ey		

The monkey and donkey found money in the trolley.

New pronunciation- Sounds like 'ai':

		I can read!	I can spell!

th ey	they		
gr ey	grey		
ob ey	obey		
pr ey	prey		
s ur v ey	survey		

They surveyed the grey prey.