

Reception: Learning at Home

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Letters and Sounds - oo (as in zoo) and oo (as in book)

oo is a digraph - we explain to the children that this is two letters which work together to make **one sound**.

oo makes two different sounds - a long **oo**, as in **zoo**, **food** etc, and a short **oo**, as in **book**, **look** etc

Watch Geraldine the Giraffe learn the two sound s in these short videos:

Long **oo**: <https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=atlb2jPdFd0>

Short **oo**: <https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=-3UUnmNk1UM>



Here are a few activities to try to help learn this sound:

- * Go on a hunt around your home to find anything containing the sound **oo**. Draw a picture or write a list of anything you find.
- * Have a go at being a detective! Have a look through some books to see if you can spot any words containing the sound **oo**. Read each word you find and decide if it is a short or a long **oo** sound.
- * We've also made a sheet for you to have a go at (sorting long and short oo) Cut out the pictures on the second page and sort them into the right column. You could even have a go at writing the word to go with each picture!

Maths game - Pound Shop!



We know lots of you enjoyed playing shops so we thought you could have another go, but this time with a different challenge. This time, everything in the shop costs £1!

Ask a grown-up to be the shopkeeper. You are the customer and you have £10 to spend. You might have some pound coins at home to play with, or you might need to make some by drawing round a coin/other circle then cutting out 10 coins. Set up a shop by laying out lots of different things you could choose to buy.

The shopkeeper needs to check that the shopper is not buying more than 10 items. They might need to go back to make up their 10. Here are some questions for the shopkeeper to ask:

- How much have you spent so far? How much have you got left?
- How many more things do you need to buy to make 10?
- If you buy those 2 items, how much will you have spent? How much will you have left? How do you know?

Remember to look on your number-line to help you check the answers.

You could even have a buy one get one free sale! - How many things can you buy now for £10?

Have a go at making a shopping list so you know how many things to get.



Eggs

Watch this special video message from Ms Lisle here: <https://youtu.be/eyS6IBOFawY>

Have a look at the picture on the separate sheet (Eggs on the sand). Here are some things to think and talk about when you look at the picture:

- * What do you notice about these eggs? Where are they? How do you know?
- * Are the eggs the same as each other? How are they the same? How are they different?
- * What do you think could be inside these eggs?

Now you have had a good look at the picture, you can **listen to the story** it is from - 'Croc and Bird'. Here is a video of the author Alexis Deacon reading the story: <https://vimeo.com/169850147>

Talk about the story to someone at home. Did you like the story? Were there any bits you disliked? Why?

This story is about lots of things, including friendship. Do you think you can be friends with someone who is different to you? What makes a good friend?

Have a go at writing a recipe for a good friend. What 'ingredients' do you need to make a good friend? Take a photo of your writing and send it to us: reception@coleridgeprimary.net

You might be interested in finding out more about birds and crocodiles. Here are a couple of videos to get you started:

- * Bird hatching <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BC8bHVyauQY>
- * Mother feeding baby bird <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CQO6-gFP1vs>
- * Baby crocodile stalking crickets https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YpyLh_0sDK4

Eid and Ramadan

Watch this video to find out about Ramadan <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/23286976>

Eid is the festival when muslims celebrate the end of Ramadan. This year Eid is going to be on Saturday 23rd May—Sunday 24th May. Are you or anyone you know celebrating Eid this year?

Find out more about Eid here: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/puzzles/lets-celebrate-eid>

Here is an e-book to read: <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/rameenas-ramadan-ebook-t-or-1353>

You could have a go at making a poster to show how people around the world celebrate Eid. You might also want to make Eid cards to give to your family or send to your friends!

