

#### Welcome to the World of Reading!

This workbook is designed to introduce you to the exciting world of phonics and alphabet sounds. Inside, you'll find engaging and interactive activities to help you learn and practice your skills.

## What are Phonics and Alphabet Sounds?

Phonics is the relationship between sounds and letters. It's like a secret code that helps us read and write! Alphabet sounds are the individual sounds that each letter makes.

# Activity 1: Alphabet Scavenger Hunt

Find objects in your classroom or at home that start with each of the following sounds:

- /k/ (e.g., kite, kitchen)
- /t/ (e.g., table, tiger)
- /m/ (e.g., mouse, mom)

Write the object and its starting sound on the lines below:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

## Activity 2: Sound Sorting

Sort the following words into categories based on their starting sounds:

• cat, dog, sun, hat, mom, dad

| Category 1: /k/ sounds |   |
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| Category 2: /t/ sounds |   |
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| Category 3: /m/ sounds |   |
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| Activity | 3: | Word | Buil | lding |
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Use the letters below to build simple words:

- C
- a
- t
- d
- 0
- g

Write the words you can build on the lines below:

| 1 |  |
|---|--|
| 2 |  |
| 3 |  |

## Activity 4: Phonics Bingo

Play a game of bingo using the following words:

- cat
- dog
- sun
- hat
- mom
- dad

Mark the words as they are called out, and see if you can get five in a row!

## Activity 5: Sound-Letter Association

Match the following sounds to their corresponding letters:

#### Activity 6: Create Your Own Phonics Book

Create a book using the words and sounds you've learned. Illustrate each page with pictures or drawings, and write a short sentence using each word.

[Space for creative work]

# Activity 7: Phonics Quiz

Take a quiz to review what you've learned:

- 1. What is the sound of the letter "c"?
  - a)/k/
  - b) /t/
  - c) /m/
- 2. What word starts with the sound /k/?
  - ∘ a) cat
  - b) dog
  - ∘ c) sun
- 3. What is the sound-letter association for the word "dog"?
  - ∘ a) /d/ /o/ /g/
  - b) /c/ /a/ /t/
  - c) /m/ /o/ /m/

### Conclusion

Congratulations! You've completed the introduction to phonics and alphabet sounds. Keep practicing, and soon you'll be reading and writing like a pro!

#### **Additional Resources**

Alphabet flashcards, phonics worksheets, word building blocks, and phonics games and apps are available to help you continue learning.

#### Glossary

Phonics: the relationship between sounds and letters. Alphabet sounds: the individual sounds that each letter makes. Sound-letter association: the connection between a sound and the letter that represents it.

#### Answer Key

Activity 1:

- 1. kite, /k/
- 2. table, /t/
- 3. mouse, /m/

Activity 2:

- 1. Category 1: cat, /k/
- 2. Category 2: dog, /t/
- 3. Category 3: mom, /m/

Activity 3:

- 1. cat
- 2. dog
- 3. sun

Activity 4: [Play the game of bingo and mark the words as they are called out] Activity 5:

- 1. /k/ c 2. /t/ t
- 3. /m/ m

Activity 6: [Create your own phonics book and illustrate each page with pictures or drawings] Activity 7:

1. a) /k/ 2. a) cat 3. a) /d/ /o/ /g/