

The Digraphs 'ph' and 'wh'



The Digraph 'ph' for the /f/ Sound

The sound /f/ is not usually spelt 'ph' in short everyday words, such as fill, fun or fat.

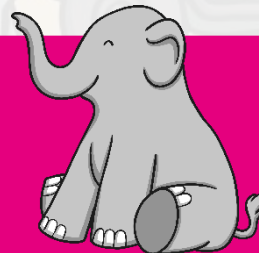
The digraph 'ph' makes the /f/ sound in these words...



dolphin



phonics



elephant



alphabet

The Digraph 'ph' for the /f/ Sound



Can you write 'ph' in
the air with your
finger?

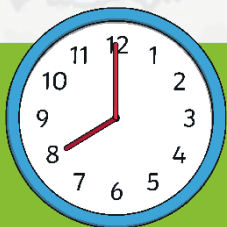


Can you write 'ph'
with your finger on the
back of your hand?

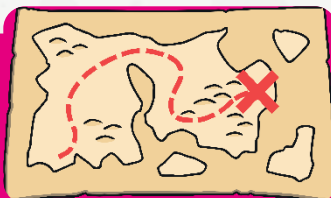
The Digraph 'wh' for the /w/ Sound

The sound /w/ is not usually spelt 'wh' in words such as win, wish or window.

The digraph 'wh' makes the /w/ sound in these words...



when



where



which



wheel

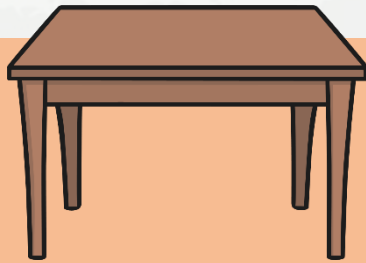


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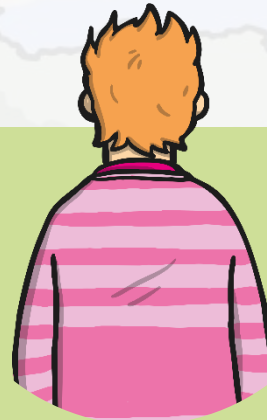


white

The Digraph 'wh' for the /w/ Sound



Can you write 'wh' with your finger on your table or on the carpet?



Can you write either 'ph' or 'wh' on a partner's back?

Can they tell which digraph you have written?

Here are this week's spellings to practise.

dolphin

where

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