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Introducing the Phonics Check: Example

In this activity, I am going to ask you to read some words aloud.

You may have seen some of the words before and others will be new to you.

You should try to read each word but don't worry if you can't. If it helps you, you may sound out the letters before trying to say the word.

This 'practice sheet' shows you what the words will look like.

Have a go at reading out loud these four words which you may have come across before [at, in, beg and sum].

The words on this side [turn over 'practice sheet'] are not real words. They are made up words for each of the imaginary creatures. You can see a picture of the creature next to each word.

Can you read out the words on this page for me [ot, vap, osk and ect]?

Okay, now we are going to start reading out some words and I'm going to write down what you say.

I will tell you at the start whether they are real words that you may have seen before or made up names for imaginary creatures.

The first words are names for imaginary creatures and you can see their pictures.

Can you start reading the words to me?