



SWINDON
BOROUGH COUNCIL

SPEECH & LANGUAGE THERAPY DEPARTMENT

*Always make sure your child's Speech Therapist has asked you to practice.
Check which sounds to practice and which level of difficulty*

Production of Sound in Isolation (producing the target sound on its own)

AIM: To produce the sound(s) in isolation with 100% accuracy (NB – This means s, t, f, k not suh, tuh, kuh).

METHOD: Practice using reward games – each time the child says the target sound correctly/has a really good attempt, they can have a turn at the game.

Ideas of games:

- Add a brick to a tower
- 'Pop up pirate' (put a sword in the barrel)
- 'Puff the pop up dragon' (put a flag in the tower)
- 'Monkey Business' (hang monkeys on tree)
- 'Buckaroo' (put an item on the donkey)
- Put a marble down the marble run
- Throw a ball/beanbag in a box/hoop
- Magnetic fishing game – fish for a fish!
- Push a car down a slope / ball down a tube

Other ideas:

- ★ LUCKY DIP - put the letters/pictures in a bag and the child has to take one out to say
- ★ LETTER STRING – write/type a string of letters. The child has to work his way along the line to the end (where a reward could await!). You could put the letters in pairs/triplets or use a repeated pattern.
- ★ DICE GAME – draw/stick the letters on a dice (make your own from a tissue box etc!); roll the dice and say the sound it lands on.
- ★ SOUND DOMINOES – make dominoes with a sound at each end. As you have your turn, say the sounds.
- ★ LOTTO – have a lotto board of letters. Say the sounds as you take turns to choose a letter and see if it matches any of those on your board.

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