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# Building your child's literacy with Learning Vision @ Techpoint

Resources with differentiated strategies to help your children learn at their own pace!



## Activity 1: I Spy with My Little Eye 🐼

In the emergent reading group, children are in the initial stages of understanding phonics and are also learning to decode simple words.

### How to play?

In this activity, encourage your children to play a game of treasure hunt and look for items that start with 'Ch' at home or in class! Get them to blend and read the words with other specific word sounds like 'Sh' or 'Th' to find the corresponding item.

### Benefits for your emergent readers:

- 1 Entices them with a fun and interesting game
- 2 Enhances visual discrimination as they search through various items to identify what is required (E.g. a specific letter or item)
- 3 Builds working memory and vocabulary

### Finish the words!

What do you think begins with 'Ch'?



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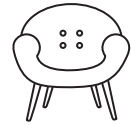
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### Find these items around you! I spy...

Can you read them aloud?



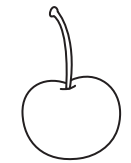
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### What other 'Ch' items can you find?

#### Handy tips from Learning Vision @ Techpoint

- 1 Choose books with repetitive or large text and images for emergent readers
- 2 For added fun, provide tools such as magnifying glasses or pointer fingers
- 3 Use pictures or visuals to prompt and help children identify the phonetic diagram within the word

## Activity 2: Magic E-Board Game 🎲

In the aspiring reading group, children are able to recognise a certain number of words. They show progressive ability to decode words and meaning and are able to identify simple literacy conventions related to reading.

### You will need:

- A printout of the Magic E-Board
- A game marker
- A die

### How to play?

Place the game board on a table. Each child takes a turn rolling the die, moving the appropriate number of spaces and reading the word on the space. Encourage them to read all the words along the way! The first player to reach the end wins the game.

### Benefits for your aspiring readers:

- 1 Reinforces knowledge, skills and learning from school through an interactive game
- 2 Encourages children to develop a more positive attitude towards reading and learning

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Magic E-Board

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**Print out the Magic E-Board on an A4-sized paper for maximum fun!**

The full Magic E-Board Game can be found in the next page!

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#### Handy tips from Learning Vision @ Techpoint

- 1 Facilitate a recap of the phonetic concept so that your children are clear on what to look out for
- 2 Empower your children to cross-check with one another during the game

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## Activity 2: Magic E-Board Game

Remember to print out this board on an A4-sized paper!



Source: [www.maketaketeach.com](http://www.maketaketeach.com)

## Activity 3: Record my Reading

In the fluent reading group, children possess a wide range of vocabulary. They are able to engage in progressive independent reading and extended story discussions.

### How to play?

Provide your children with sentences that end with different punctuations and a device to record their voices on. Record your children reading with a proper expression that is based on the punctuation at the end. Have them listen to their own voice recording!

### Benefits for your fluent readers:

- 1 Helps your children reflect on the tone, pace and expression of their own reading
- 2 Builds their ability to read common sight words and comprehend the meaning of sentences

### Read with expression

Read, record, and replay

The red car was moving fast.

The red car was moving fast!

The red car was moving fast?



### Handy tips from Learning Vision @ Techpoint

- 1 Guide your children as they may need help on reflecting the appropriate intonation and punctuation
- 2 Vary the difficulty levels by considering dialogue sentences to expose children to dramatic reading
- 3 Consider exposing your children to audiobooks on Spotify and YouTube