

Spelling Puzzles

Suitable age: Preschool up

Prior knowledge required: None

Format: PDF

Pages: 9

Colour/Black and White: Colour

There are four different puzzles each requiring different alphabet sound knowledge. However, the first puzzle only requires the sounds: c, a, t, d, o, g, f and x so it can be used quite early on in the child's literacy learning. The second puzzle may use all of the sounds covered in the first, but will also introduce many new sounds. Each puzzle works in the same way, introducing new sounds, but revising the sounds covered in the previous puzzles.

These are simply fantastic puzzles. Each card is missing its last sound. The child will have to work out what sound is missing and find a card with the 'missing sound' on the left hand side. The card should then be placed alongside the first one to complete the word. Then the process is repeated. There are approximately 16 different pieces for each puzzle.

This is a wonderful way to practice spelling. They can be used by children who are learning to spell, children that need help or children that enjoy spelling games.

