

# Word Families

**Suitable age:** Preschool up

**Prior knowledge required:** Alphabet sounds

**Format:** PDF

**Pages:** 5

**Colour/Black and White:** Colour

For these activities the child will be working out the missing initial sound for each of the cards. The words come from the same 'family', for example: hat, bat, cat.

Six different word families are covered: ig, un, in, at, an and en. With a total of 24 cards in all.







These activities are suitable for children that know their alphabet sounds and are beginning to read or for any young child who enjoys reading games.

## Analogy Phonics - an

**Parent/Teacher Instructions:** Simply print out this page onto heavy paper (160gsm up) and cut each of the pieces out. Laminate if you wish.




**Student Instructions:** Find the missing initial sound for each of the following cards.

**Prior knowledge required:**  
Alphabet Sounds

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