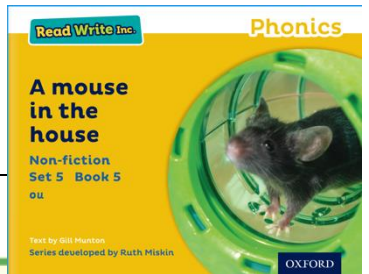


A mouse in the house

Day 1



Practice reading these words.

hay fill nest scoop spout bowl small
cheese down arm step ground pounce
ill vet proud mouse cage* wash*

Ask children to say the syllables and then read the whole word.

dirty | amount

Ask children to read the root first and then the whole word with the suffix.

feed → feeder

one	watch	school	small
wall	were	brother	their
there	where	I'm	tall
any	saw	fall	

Read the story

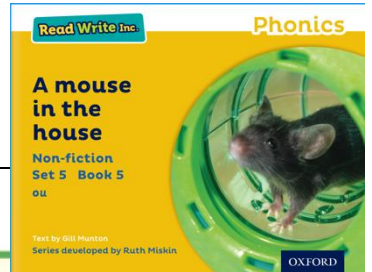
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Answer these questions use the page numbers to help you.

- p.9** (FF) Where does a mouse live?
- p.10** (FF) Where does a mouse sleep?
- p.11** (FF) How often should you clean out the mouse's house?
- p.13** (FF) Where can you buy mouse food?
- p.14** (FF) Where can you let mice run?
- p.15** (HaT) Think of three ways that a mouse might get hurt.

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Day 2



Practice words.

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cheese down arm step ground pounce
ill vet proud mouse cage* wash*

Ask children to say the syllables and then read the whole word.

dirty| amount

Ask children to read the root first and then the whole word with the suffix.

feed → feeder

Cage - ill - vet - proud - mouse - cage - wash*

one	watch	school	small
wall	were	brother	their
there	where	I'm	tall
any	saw	fall	

Read the story

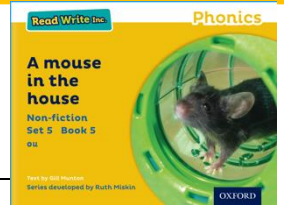
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Hold a sentence 1.

Feed it a small amount of food. You can get this from the pet shop.

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Day 3



Read the story

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Hold a sentence 2.

Your mouse will be happy playing in a mouse wheel.

Grammar

Tick the show whether each sentence is a question, an exclamation, a statement or command.

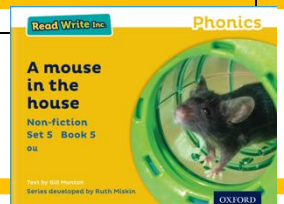
Sentence	Question	Exclamation	Statement	Command
What a sweet mouse you have!				
A mouse runs about.				
Has your mouse got a name?				
Give your mouse fresh water.				

Vocabulary.

Match the words that have the opposite meaning.

large	↘	good
down		smelly
well		full
fresh		ill
bad		small
empty		up

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Day 4 and Day 5

Read the story

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Proofread - Spelling

Correct 2 errors

Let your mous run up your arm. Let it run round a weel.

Proofread - grammer

Correct 2 errors

You can train a mouse to run up a arm

Write about looking after a pet.

Useful words	put wash fill scoop give fresh food water let run wheel
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Can you write about how to look after another pet? If you don't have a pet at home, you could write about how to look after an imaginary pet or teddy.

A house for your pet

Feeding your pet.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of a solid top line, a dashed midline, and a solid bottom line. This section contains two such sets of lines.

Playing with your pet.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of a solid top line, a dashed midline, and a solid bottom line. This section contains two such sets of lines.

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How to use this book

Follow the advice, in italics, given for you on each page. Support the children as they read the text that is on the cream background. Follow the detailed guidance in Read Write Inc. Phonics Handbook 2.

Glossary of terms

- Fred Talk:** Fred is a puppet who can only say words in sounds. He never adds 'uh' after a consonant sound, e.g. fuh, luh, muh
- Grapheme:** One letter or one group of letters used to write one sound, e.g. the sound 'p' can be written with the grapheme f (fun) or ff (huff) or ph (photo); the sound 'c' can be written with the grapheme c (cat) or k (key) or ck (clock)
- Green Words:** Words made up of the graphemes listed in the sound boxes on pages 4–5
- Story Green Words are particular to the story/non-fiction book
 - Speedy Green Words are common words that children practise reading quickly
- Red Words:** Common words with a grapheme not listed in the sound boxes, e.g. said
- Challenge Words:** Topical words with low-frequency graphemes
- Syllables:** Chunks within long words
- Root:** The part of the word that gives the most meaning

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Speed Sounds

Consonants Ask children to say the sounds.

f	l	m	n	r	s	v	z	sh	th	ng
ff	ll	mm	nn	rr	ss	ve	zz			nk
ph	le	mb	kn	wr	se		se			
					ce		s			

b	c	d	g	h	j	p	qu	t	w	x	y	ch
bb	k	dd	gg		g	pp		tt	wh			tch
	ck				ge							

Each box contains one sound but sometimes more than one grapheme.
Focus graphemes for this story are **circled**.



Vowels Ask children to say the sounds in and out of order.

a	e	i	o	u	ay	ee	igh	ow
at	ea	in	on	up	day	y	i	o
	hen					see	high	blow

oo	oo	ar	or	air	ir	ou	oy
zoo	look	car	oor	fair	whirl	shout	oi
			ore				boy
			for				



Story Green Words



Ask children to read the words first in Fred Talk and then say the word.



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*Challenge Words



Vocabulary Check



Discuss the meaning (as used in the non-fiction text) after the children have read the word.

	definition
spout	a pipe
water feeder	something that holds water for the mouse to drink
scoop	use a spoon to get something out
amount	how much there is of something
pounce	jump
proud	pleased to have something special

Red Words

Ask children to practise reading the words across the rows, down the columns and in and out of order clearly and quickly.



your	water	small	you
down	do	of	above
their	great	call	any
are	some	there	they
was	what	into	want

A house for your mouse



A cage is a good house for a mouse.

Put hay on the floor of the mouse house.

Then fill the mouse house with mouse bedding, for the mouse's nest.

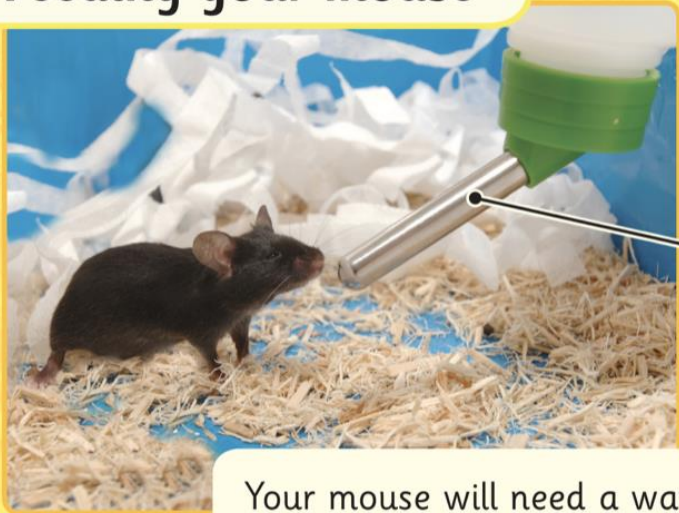


Wash out the mouse house weekly.

Scoop out the dirty bedding.



Feeding your mouse



spout

Your mouse will need a water feeder with a spout and a food bowl.

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Feed it a small amount of mouse food.
You can get this from the pet shop.



It will need fresh water, too.

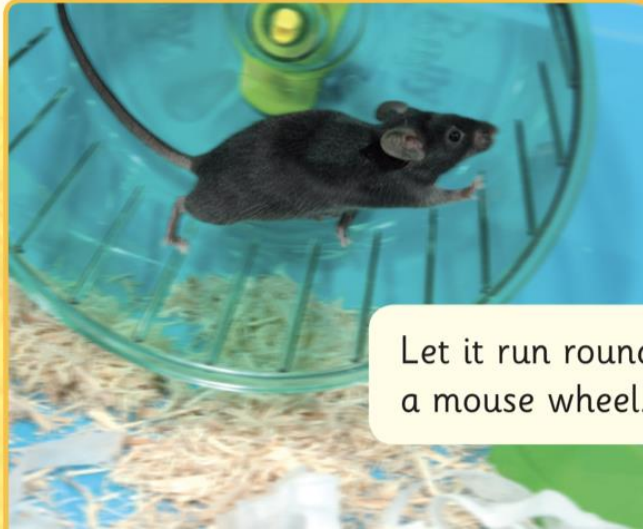


Cheese is bad for your mouse!

13

Playing with your mouse

Let your mouse run up and down your arm.



Let it run round a mouse wheel.

14

If it runs on the ground, do not step on it!



Keep your mouse away from cats. A cat will pounce on a mouse!



15

Keeping your mouse happy

If the mouse is ill, it must go to the vet.

Be proud of your mouse!



Speedy Green Words

Ask children to practise reading the words across the rows, down the columns and in and out of order clearly and quickly.



house	good	floor	bedding
out	weekly	will	need
food	pet	shop	fresh
bad	run	cats	keep
must	happy	playing	feeding