

Segmenting means dividing a word into individual sounds.  
Always start with those letter sounds your child is confident with.  
CVC words are 'consonant, vowel, consonant words' e.g. cat



## Cardboard Tube Cut Outs

Cut up a cardboard tube and write an individual letter on each section. Sound out a CVC word a letter at a time and your child feeds the letters onto the tube.

## Letter Sticks

Write the individual letters onto the tops of sticks. Sounds out the 3 letters of the words for your child to find the correct letter to match the sound. Put them in order and sound each letter out again.



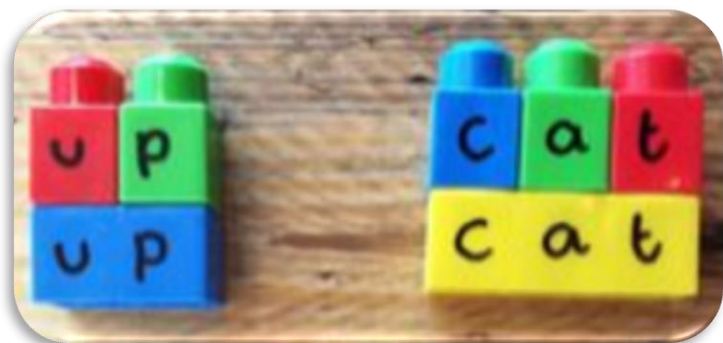
## Peg Words

Create cards with pictures of CVC items and write the letter sounds on individual pegs. Your child segments the letters in the word and chooses the correct peg for each sound.



## Sound Buttons

Create a 'sound ball' out of playdough for each individual letter sound in a CVC word. Your child squashes the ball each time they say the sound for the corresponding letter.



## Duplo Words

Write the individual letters of CVC words on individual Duplo blocks and the full word on a large block. Your child then builds the word with the individual blocks, sounding out each letter.



## Sound Tiddly Winks

Say a CVC word and/or show a picture of it. Your child then chooses the correct number of tiddly winks for each sound in the word.



## Picture Card Cut Up

Draw a picture and write the letters underneath for a CVC word. Cut the picture up and your child puts them back together by sounding out each letter.