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Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
s		snake – swerve around the snake
a		ant – around the head, down the body
t		teacher – down her body and cross her shoulders
p		parrot – down his body, around his face
i		inventor – down her body, spot her idea



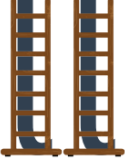
Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
n		nest – down the bird and over her nest
m		meerkat – meerkat, mound, mound
d		duck – over his back and around the tail, up his neck and down to his feet
g		goat – start at his ear, around the face and down the beard
o		ostrich – around the ostrich's body

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Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
c		camel – curl around the camel's back
k		kid – down the body, up the arm, down the leg
ck		a camel and a kid – the camel stood by the kid
e		elephant – around the head and down the trunk
u		umbrella – under the umbrella and down to the tip






Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
r		runner – down her body, up over the arm
ss		two snakes – sunbathing snakes
h		heron – from his head to his feet, up and over his back
b		bike – down the person and around the wheel
f		fox – over the ear, down to the tail and across the jaw

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Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
ff		two foxes – two foxes facing forwards
l		ladder – down the long ladder
ll		two ladders – ladders in a line






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Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
j		jellyfish – swoop down the tentacles and dot the body
v		viper – down the tongue, up the tongue
w		wallaby – hop to the top, land and hop, land and hop
x		x x x – criss-cross the kiss
y		yacht – under the hull and down to the anchor

Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
z		zigzag – zig and zag
zz		two zigzags – a zigzag duet
qu		quill – around the feather and down the pen
ch		chew the chunky chips
sh		the shabby ship shook

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Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
th		they were thirsty
ng		ping pong
nk		oooh! a pink sink
ai		wait for the train
ee		bee on my knee











Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
igh		light up the night
oa		float on the moat
oo		the book nook
ar		a far star
ur		turn in the surf

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Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
oo		scoop with a spoon
or		order some popcorn
ow		prowl and growl
oi		coin in the soil
ear		clear that smear






Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
air		a pair in the lair
ure		sure it's the cure
er		a bitter winter
ow		go slow in the snow

ELS Phase 5 Phonics sounds and rhymes

Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme	Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
ay		play all day	ir		a quirky shirt
ou		a proud cloud	ue		true, the sky's blue
ie		pie on your tie	aw		fawn on the lawn
ea		each have a treat	wh		whip with a whisk
oy		the boy cries 'ahoy!'	ph		photo on a phone

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Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
ew		the crew flew
oe		tiptoe past the doe
au		pause the launch
ey		use money to buy honey
a-e		cake by the lake

Grapheme	Picture	Rhyme
e-e		the athletes compete
i-e		time to shine
o-e		note in an envelope
u-e		tune on the flute
c		cycle in the city