



Listen to your child read the text.



Check

- They use the correct Fred sounds
- Check they stop when they see a . ! ? or an ...
- Are they reading with meaning and expression?

Use questions to check that your child understand what they have read.

Use the Parent Question Bookmark  
to help



**READ EVERY DAY WITH YOUR  
CHILD AND RECORD IT IN THEIR  
READING LOG!**



# How can you help your child make progress in their reading?

## Reception to Year 2



Useful Websites



[www.stokespeaks.org](http://www.stokespeaks.org)



Bug Club

[www.activelearnprimary.co.uk](http://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk)



[www.oxfordowl.co.uk](http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk)

# You are their first teacher!



## Read together and talk!



Before reading, talk about the pictures in their book. Use questions like:

What can you see?

How are they feeling?

What is happening? What are they doing?

Why might that be happening?

What might happen next?

What is that and what is it used for?



# Learn the meaning of new words and objects



Use the words and pictures to learn what things are and what they are used for.



What do you think they are?

What other objects does it look like?

What might it be used for?

Find out what it is and what it is used for by using other books, the internet, an encyclopaedia or a dictionary.