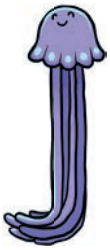
Phase 2 grapheme information sheet

Autumn 2

Grapheme and mnemonic	Picture card	Pronunciation phrase	Formation phrase
j	 jellyfish	Pucker your lips and show your teeth use your tongue as you say **j j j**	All the way down the jellyfish. Dot on its head.
v	volcano	Put your teeth against your bottom lip and make a buzzing **vvvvv vvvvv**	Down to the bottom of the volcano and back up to the top.
w	wave	Pucker your lips and keep them small as you say **w w w**	From the top of the wave to the bottom, up the wave, down the wave, then up again.
x	box	Mouth open, then push the **cs**/**x** sound through as you close your mouth **cs cs cs** (**x x x**)	Start at the top, then across to the bottom of the box. Start at the top, then across to the bottom of the box.
y	yoyo	Smile, tongue to the top of your mouth, say **y** without opening your mouth **yyy**	Down and round the yo-yo, then follow the string round.
z	zebra	Show me your teeth and buzz the **z** sound **zzzzz zzzzz**	Zip across, zag down and across the zebra.

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qu qu	queen	Pucker your mouth, then open it as you say **qu qu qu**	Round the queen's face, up to her crown, down her robe with a flick at the end. qu Quick, it's the queen!
ch ch	cherries	Pucker your lips and show your teeth; use your tongue as you say **ch ch ch**	ch Chew the cherries, children.
sh sh	shells	Show me your teeth and push the air out **shshshshsh shshshshsh**	sh Share the shells.
th th	thumb	**Voiced:** Tongue on your teeth, teeth almost closed to make a 'buzzing' **th th th** **Unvoiced:** Tongue on your teeth; push the air out **th th th**	th Thumbs up, we're having fun.
ng ng	ring	Open your mouth a bit and then use your tongue at the back of your mouth to say **ng ng ng**	ng Bling on a ring.
nk nk	pink panda	Open your mouth a bit and then use your tongue at the back of your mouth to say **ngk ngk ngk**	nk I think I am pink.

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