

Julie's sound of the week activity

Kicking Kk

Roll a letter and post an object!!!!

You will need:

- 1 A cube or dice (write the letter Tt on 3 sides and the letter Kk on the remaining 3 sides of the cube/dice)
- 2 boxes (make these into postboxes, large enough to fit the objects into). Don't forget to write the letter sound Tt on one box and the sound Kk on the other postbox
- 3 Objects beginning with the sound Kk and Tt
- 4 An eager child!!



What you need to do:



1 Firstly, show your child the sound you wish to focus on and make the sound for them to copy. (kk). Pick up each object beginning with the Kk sound and pronounce it correctly for them, encouraging your child to do the same. "Kk for". Place them on the floor and add some Tt objects too mixed in with the Kk objects.

2 Explain to your child that you have two sound boxes and when they throw the dice they need to find an object beginning with that sound and post into the correct sound postbox. These 2 sounds require good listening to distinguish the sounds.

- 3 Praise your child "that's right, Kk for kite". "Can you post it in the correct postbox now". They have the visual reference from the letter on the dice.
- 4 Take turns with your child. Roll the dice far away to make it more fun and this also encourages greater memory as they have to walk back to find the object.

Extension: You could then encourage your child to source other objects beginning with that sound (or draw them).

They could use the postboxes to roleplay a post office and write letters or draw pictures for their friends and families. This could lead to discussion on how important the role of the postman is too and how busy they have been delivering all our letters and parcels.

EYFS learning outcomes:

Literacy dev, communication and language, listening and attention, space and measure, sorting, knowledge of the world (postal services).