

# **AUSTRALIAN CURRICULUM MATCH**

#### F-6

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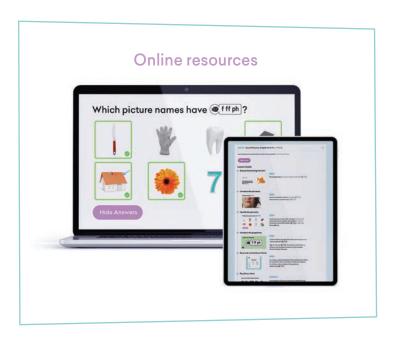
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#### **Sound Waves Components**

The Sound Waves program (F–6) consists of online resources, Student Books, Decodable Readers and extra resources.

Use this document to understand how Sound Waves comprehensively meets the content descriptions for the Phonic and Word Knowledge sub-strand of the Australian Curriculum.









| Literacy: Phonic and Wo  | ord Knowledge   |  |
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| Content Descriptions   | Elaborations  | Sound Waves Foundation   |
| AC9EFLY09: recognise and generate rhyming words, alliteration patterns, syllables and sounds (phonemes) in spoken words (phonological awareness).  | <ul> <li>recognising and producing rhyming words when listening to rhyming stories or rhymes; for example, "funny" and "money"</li> <li>identifying patterns of alliteration in spoken words; for example, "helpful Henry"</li> <li>identifying syllables in spoken words; for example, clapping the rhythm of "Mon-day", "Ja-cob" or "Si-en-na"</li> </ul>   | Add a Rhyming Word, Pass the Rhyme, Make a Rhyme or Table Tennis Rhyme in Extra Games & Activities:  • Term 1, Week 1: /b/ as in ②, /g/ as in ② • Term 1, Week 3: /r/ as in ②, /s/ as in ③ • Term 1, Week 5: /ch/ as in ② • Term 1, Week 6: /a/ as in ②, /e/ as in ② • Term 1, Week 7: /ai/ as in ②, /ee/ as in ② • Term 3, Week 4: ng for ③ • Term 3, Week 4: ng for ③ • Term 1, Week 3: /p/ as in ② • Term 1, Week 3: /p/ as in ③ • Term 1, Week 6: /o/ as in ② • Term 1, Week 6: /o/ as in ② • Term 1, Week 6: /o/ as in ② • Term 1, Week 6: /o/ as in ②  |
| AC9EFLY10: segment sentences into individual words; orally blend and segment single-syllable spoken words; isolate, blend and manipulate phonemes in single-syllable words (phonological awareness). | <ul> <li>saying the sounds when given a word; for example, "can" ("c-a-n") or "ship" ("sh-i-p")</li> <li>saying the word when given the sounds; for example, "l-i-p" ("lip") or "m-u-n-ch" ("munch")</li> <li>saying the new word when the beginning phoneme/medial/end phoneme in a word is replaced with a different phoneme; for example, "run" becomes "fun", or "fun" becomes "fan"</li> </ul> | Identify the focus sound, Play Segment, Blend and Select/Play Segment, Blend and Make and Complete the Student Book activities lesson steps: • Term 1, all lessons  Build a Word or Change One Sound in Extra Games & Activities: • Term 1, Week 6: /a/ as in , /e/ as in , /i/ as in , /o/ as in , /u/ as in , /e/ as in , /e |

| Content Descriptions                                | Elaborations                        | Sound Waves Foundation   |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| AC9EFLY11: recognise and                            | • recognising letters in own name   | Graphs:  |
| name all upper- and lower-                          | matching upper- and lower-case      | • Term 2, Week 1: <b>m</b> for <b>m</b> , <b>a</b> for <b>a</b>  |
| case letters (graphs) and                           | letters                             | • Term 2, Week 2: <b>t</b> for <b>()</b> , <b>s</b> for <b>()</b>  |
| now the most common                                 | • identifying sounds for upper- and | • Term 2, Week 3: i for (i, d for (d)  |
| ound that each letter<br>epresents.                 | lower-case letters                  | • Term 2, Week 4: f for f, n for n   |
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| AC9EFLY12: write                                    |                                     | • Term 2, Week 5: <b>p</b> for <b>p</b> , <b>o</b> for <b>o</b>  |
| consonant-vowel-                                    |                                     | • Term 2, Week 6: <b>r</b> for <b>F</b> , <b>g</b> for <b>g</b>  |
| consonant (CVC) words by                            |                                     | Book 1 <b>r</b> (support and core)   |
| epresenting sounds with he appropriate letters, and |                                     | Book 11 (support and core)   |
| lend sounds associated                              |                                     | • Term 2, Week 7: e for Qe, h for the  |
| with letters when reading                           |                                     | Decodable Readers:   |
| CVC words.  |                                     | Book 3 <b>e</b> (support and core)   |
|   |                                     | Book 4 <b>h</b> (support and core)   |
|   |                                     | • Term 2, Week 8: <b>k</b> , <b>c</b> for <b>kc</b>  |
|   |                                     | Decodable Readers:   |
|   |                                     | Book 5 <b>k</b> (support and core)   |
|   |                                     | Book 6 <b>c</b> (support and core)   |
|   |                                     | • Term 2, Week 9: <b>u</b> for <b>Tu</b> , <b>b</b> for <b>b</b>   |
|   |                                     | Decodable Readers:   |
|   |                                     | Book 7 u (support and core)  |
|   |                                     | Book 8 <b>b</b> (support and core)   |
|   |                                     | • Term 3, Week 1: I for ©1, j for ©j<br>Decodable Readers:   |
|   |                                     | Book 9 I (support and core)  |
|   |                                     | Book 7 (support and core)  |
|   |                                     | • Term 3, Week 2: <b>y</b> for <b>(v</b> ), <b>v</b> for <b>(v</b> )   |
|   |                                     | Decodable Readers:   |
|   |                                     | Book 11 <b>y</b> (support and core)  |
|   |                                     | Book 12 <b>v</b> (support and core)  |
|   |                                     | • Term 3, Week 3: w for w, z for z   |
|   |                                     | Decodable Readers:   |
|   |                                     | Book 13 w (support and core)   |
|   |                                     | Book 14 <b>z</b> (support and core)  |
|   |                                     | • Term 3, Week 6: s for ( zzzs)  |
|   |                                     | • Term 3, Week 7: q for (kcqckx), u for wu   |
|   |                                     | Decodable Readers:   |
|   |                                     | Book 22 <b>q</b> , <b>u</b> (support and core)   |
|   |                                     | • Term 4, Week 2: e for ( ee e ea), y for ( i.e y)   |
|   |                                     | Decodable Readers: Book 28.2 <b>e</b> (support)  |
|   |                                     | Book 29.2 <b>e</b> (support)<br>Book 29.2 <b>y</b> (support)   |
|   |                                     |  |
|   |                                     | • Term 4, Week 3: o for ( a fo |
|   |                                     | Book 30.3 <b>o</b> (support)   |
|   |                                     | • Term 4, Week 4: a for 🔊 or a   |
|   |                                     |  |
|   |                                     | • Term 4, Week 5: <b>u</b> for 🗨 👓 <b>u</b>  |

| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations  | Sound Waves Foundation  |
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| AC9EFLY11: recognise and name all upper- and lower-case letters (graphs) and know the most common sound that each letter epresents.  continued)  AC9EFLY12: write consonant-vowel-consonant (CVC) words by epresenting sounds with he appropriate letters, and olend sounds associated with letters when reading CVC words.  continued) | • recognising letters in own name • matching upper- and lower-case letters • identifying sounds for upper- and lower-case letters (continued) | Additionally, students learn these digraphs and trigraphs:  Term 3, Week 4: ck for ** |

| Literacy: Phonic and Word Knowledge                            |  |  |  |
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| Content Description  | Elaboration  | Sound Waves Foundation   |  |
| AC9EFLY13: use knowledge of letters and sounds to spell words. | making plausible spelling choices using letter—sound correspondences and morphemic knowledge | Graphs: Term 2, Week 1: m for m, a for a Term 2, Week 3: t for 1, s for 3 Term 2, Week 3: t for 1, n for n Term 2, Week 3: t for 1, n for n Term 2, Week 4: t for 1, n for n Term 2, Week 5: p for p, o for n Term 2, Week 5: p for p, o for n Term 2, Week 6: r for r Term 2, Week 7: e for n Term 2, Week 7: e for n Term 2, Week 8: k, c for k Term 2, Week 9: u for u, b for p Term 3, Week 1: I for 1, j for j Term 3, Week 2: y for y, v for v Term 3, Week 3: w for x Term 3, Week 6: s for x Term 3, Week 6: s for x Term 4, Week 3: o for a Term 4, Week 3: o for a Term 4, Week 4: a for a Term 4, Week 5: s for a Term 4, Week 5: s for a Term 3, Week 5: s for a Term 3, Week 6: II for a Term 4, Week 5: s for a Term 5, Week 6: II for a Term 7, Week 8: ch for a Term 7, Term 7, Term 7, Term 7, Term 7, Term |  |

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| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Foundation   |  |
| Content Descriptions  AC9EFLY14: read and write some high-frequency words and other familiar words.     | • knowing how to read and write some high-frequency words recognised in shared texts and texts being read independently; for example, "and", "my", "is", "the" and "go"  • knowing how to read and write some familiar words; for example, their name, the name of a character or the name of their school | These a unusual relations explicitly and are Decoda Special I a is off has the my to look he | Waves Foundation features Special Words. re high-frequency words that contain or advanced phoneme-grapheme ships. The following Special Words are y taught in Sound Waves Foundation lessons revised in the Sound Waves Foundation able Readers.  Words:  of there come some they one goes her were four |
|   |  | she  | your<br>could  |
|   |  | no   | would  |
|   |  | have   | should   |
|   |  | was  | do   |
|   |  | his  | two  |
|   |  | we   | who  |
|   |  | are  | house  |
|   |  | see  | said   |
|   |  | go   | here   |
|   |  | for  | where  |
| AC9EFLY15: understand that words are units of meaning and can be made of more than one meaningful part. | • learning that words are made up of<br>meaningful parts; for example, "dogs"<br>has 2 meaningful parts: "dog" and "s"<br>meaning more than one  | Term 3,  | Week 6: <b>s</b> (plurals)   |

| Content Descriptions   | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Year 1   |  |  |
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| AC9E1LY09: segment words into separate phonemes (sounds) including consonant blends or clusters at the beginnings and ends of words (phonological awareness).                      | • saying sounds in order for a given<br>spoken word; for example, "s-p-oo-n"<br>and "f-i-s-t"  | Model segmenting Focus Words and Complete the Student Book activities in Lesson 1:  • Units 1–36   |  |  |
| AC9E1LY10: orally manipulate phonemes in spoken words by addition, deletion and substitution of initial, medial and final phonemes to generate new words (phonological awareness). | <ul> <li>adding, substituting or deleting phonemes in any position in one-syllable words with up to 4 phonemes</li> <li>substituting medial sounds in spoken words to make new words; for example, "pin", "pen", "pan"</li> <li>substituting final sounds in spoken words; for example, substitute the "t" in "pet" with "g" to form a new word "peg"</li> </ul> | Change One Sound in Extra Games & Activities: • Units 13, 21, 25, 31   |  |  |
| AC9E1LY11: use short vowels, common long vowels, consonant blends and digraphs to write words, and blend these to read oneand two-syllable words.                                  | <ul> <li>using knowledge of letters and sounds to write words with short vowels; for example, "man", and common long vowel sounds; for example, "time"</li> <li>using knowledge of letter sounds to write single-syllable words with consonant digraphs and consonant blends; for example, "wish" and "rest"</li> </ul>  | Phoneme-grapheme relationships  Vowels:  • Unit 3: a for a  Decodable Readers: Book 3 a (support, core and extended)  • Unit 5: e, ea, ai for eea  Decodable Readers: Book 5 e, ea (support, core and extended)  • Unit 7: i for i   |  |  |
| AC9E1LY12: understand that a letter can represent more than one sound and that a syllable must contain a vowel sound.  | recognising that letters can have more than one sound; for example, the letter "u" in "cut", "put", "use" and the letter "a" in "cat", "father", "any"     recognising sounds that can be produced by different letters; for example, the "s" sound in "sat" and "cent"  | Decodable Readers: Book 7 i (support, core and extended)  • Unit 9: o, a for oa Decodable Readers: Book 9 o, a (support o, core o, a and extended o, a)  • Unit 11: u, o for uo Decodable Readers: Book 11 u, o (support u, core u, o and extended u, o)  • Unit 13: ai, ay, a_e, ey, eigh for ai ay a_e Decodable Readers: Book 13.1 ai (support), Book 13.2 ay (support), Book 13.3 a_e (support), Book 13 ai, ay, a_e (core and extended)  • Unit 15: ee, e, ea, y for ee eay Decodable Readers: Book 15.1 ee, e (support), Book 15.2 ea (support), Book 15 ee, e, ea, y (core and extended)  • Unit 17: i_e, y, igh for iey iey igh Decodable Readers: Book 17.1 i_e, y (support), Book 17.2 igh (support), Book 17 i_e, y, igh (core and extended)  • Unit 19: oa, o_e, ow, o, oe for oa_e ow o Decodable Readers: Book 19.1 o_e, o (support), Book 19.2 oa, ow (support) Book 19 oa, o_e, ow, o (core and extended)  • Unit 21: ar, a, are for aa Decodable Readers: Book 21 ar, a (support ar, core ar, a and extended) |  |  |

| Content Descriptions   | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Year1   |  |  |
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| AC9E1LY11: use short vowels, common long vowels, consonant blends and digraphs to write words, and blend these to read one-and two-syllable words.  Continued)  AC9E1LY12: understand that | using knowledge of letters and sounds to write words with short vowels; for example, "man", and common long vowel sounds; for example, "time"  using knowledge of letter sounds to write single-syllable words with consonant digraphs and consonant blends; for example, "wish" and "rest" (continued)  recognising that letters can have | • Unit 23: ir, ur, er, ere for  ir ur er  Decodable Readers:  Book 23.1 ir, ur (support), Book 23.2 er (support),  Book 23 ir, ur, er (core and extended)  • Unit 25: or, ore, a, aw, au, our for or ore a aw au  Decodable Readers:  Book 25.1 or, a (support), Book 25.2 aw (support),  Book 25 or, ore, a, aw (core and extended)  • Unit 27: oo, u, oul for □ ou  Decodable Readers:  Book 27 oo, u (support, core and extended)  • Unit 29: oo, ew, o, ou, wo for □ oew  |  |  |
| letter can represent more han one sound and that syllable must contain a owel sound.  continued)   | more than one sound; for example, the letter "u" in "cut", "put", "use" and the letter "a" in "cat", "father", "any"  • recognising sounds that can be produced by different letters; for example, the "s" sound in "sat" and "cent"  (continued)  | Ount 29: oo, ew, o, ou, wo for  oo, bewade Decodable Readers: Book 29 oo, ew (support oo, core oo, ew and extended oo, ew)  Unit 31: ou, ow for  ouw Decodable Readers: Book 31 ou, ow (support, core and extended)  Unit 33: oy, oi for  of ou ow Decodable Readers: Book 33.1 oy, oi (support, core and extended)  Book 33.2 eer, ear (support, core and extended)  Unit 35: air, ere, eir for  oir Decodable Readers: Book 35 air (support, core and extended)  Unit 36: er for  er  or  out extended)  Unit 36: er for  or  out extended)  Consonants:  Unit 2: b, bb for  obb Decodable Readers: Book 36 er (support, core and extended)  Consonants:  Unit 4: k, c, q, ck for  out extended extended b, bb)  Unit 4: k, c, q, ck for  out extended extended b, bb)  Unit 4: k, c, q, ck for  out extended extended b, bb)  Unit 4: k, c, q, ck for  out extended extended b, dd extended ext |  |  |

| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Year1   |
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| AC9E1LY11: use short vowels, common long vowels, consonant blends and digraphs to write words, and blend these to read one-and two-syllable words.  (continued)  AC9E1LY12: understand that a letter can represent more than one sound and that | <ul> <li>using knowledge of letters and sounds to write words with short vowels; for example, "man", and common long vowel sounds; for example, "time"</li> <li>using knowledge of letter sounds to write single-syllable words with consonant digraphs and consonant blends; for example, "wish" and "rest" (continued)</li> <li>recognising that letters can have more than one sound; for example, the letter "u" in "cut", "put", "use" and</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Unit 14: I, II for III Decodable Readers: Book 14 I, II (support, core and extended)</li> <li>Unit 16: m, mm for mmm Decodable Readers: Book 16 m, mm (support m, core m, mm and extended m, mm)</li> <li>Unit 18: n, nn for nnn, ng for ng Decodable Readers: Book 18.1 n, nn (support n, core n, nn and extended n, nn) Book 18.2 ng (support, core and extended)</li> <li>Unit 20: p, pp for ppp r, rr for rm</li> </ul>  |
| a syllable must contain a<br>vowel sound.<br>continued)   | the letter "a" in "cat", "father", "any"  • recognising sounds that can be produced by different letters; for example, the "s" sound in "sat" and "cent"   | Decodable Readers:  Book 20.1 p, pp (support p, core p, pp and extended p, pp)  Book 20.2 r, rr (support r, core r, rr and extended r, r  • Unit 22: s, ss, se for \$\sec{\security} \security \secur |
| AC9E1LY13: spell one- and   | • writing one- and two-syllable  | • Unit 22: s, ss, se for sssxse, x for kcqckx  sssxse  Decodable Readers:  Book 22.1 s, ss, x (support), Book 22.2 se (support Book 22 s, ss, x, se (core and extended)  • Unit 24: t, tt for ttt Decodable Readers:  Book 24 t, tt (support t, core t, tt and extended)  • Unit 26: v, ve for vve, w, wh, u for wwh u  Decodable Readers:  Book 26.1 v, ve (support, core and extended)  Book 26.2 w, wh, u (support w, wh, core w, wh, u extended w, wh, u)  • Unit 28: y for y  Decodable Readers:  Book 28 y (support, core and extended)  • Unit 30: z, zz, s for zzzs  Decodable Readers:  Book 30 z, zz, s (support, core and extended)  • Unit 32: ch for ch sh for sh  Decodable Readers:  Book 32.1 ch (support, core and extended)  • Unit 34: th for th, th for th  Decodable Readers:  Book 34.1 th (support, core and extended)  Book 34.2 th (support, core and extended)  |
| ACYE1LY13: spell one- and two-syllable words with common letter patterns.   | writing one- and two-syllable<br>words containing known blends; for<br>example, "bl" and "st"  | Grapheme patterns:  • Unit 2: bb  • Unit 4: ck  • Unit 6: dd  • Unit 8: ff  • Unit 9: a  • Unit 10: gg  • Unit 11: o  • Unit 13: ay, ai  • Unit 14: II  |

| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations  | Sound Waves Year1                            |   |   |
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| AC9E1LY13: spell one- and   | writing one- and two-syllable                       | • Unit 15: <b>y</b>                          |   |   |
| wo-syllable words with  | words containing known blends; for                  | • Unit 16: <b>m</b> ı                        |   |   |
| common letter patterns.   | example, "bl" and "st"                              | • Unit 17: <b>y</b>                          |   |   |
| continued)  | (continued)   | • Unit 20: <b>rr</b>                         |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 21: <b>α</b>                          |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 22: <b>ss</b>                         | 3   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 24: <b>tt</b>                         |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 25: <b>a</b>                          |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 27: <b>oc</b>                         | o, u  |   |
|   |   | • Unit 30: <b>zz</b>                         | <u>z</u>  |   |
|   |   | Blends:                                      |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 2: <b>br</b> ,                        | hl  |   |
|   |   | • Unit 4: <b>cl</b> ,                        |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 6: <b>dr</b> .                        |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 8: <b>fl</b> , <b>f</b>               |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 10: gr                                |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 14: bl, gl, cl, fl, lt, lp, lf, lk    |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 16: <b>sm</b> , <b>mp</b>             |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 18: sn                                |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 20: pl, pr, sp, pt                    |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 22: sk, sc, sl, x                     |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 24: <b>tr. st. nt</b>                 |   |   |
|   |   | • Unit 26: <b>sw</b> , <b>tw</b> , <b>qu</b> |   |   |
|   |   |  | essons, stu   | ght as two seperate phonemo<br>dents learn to segment bleno<br>mes.   |
| AC9E1LY14: read and write an increasing number of nigh-frequency words. | creasing number of high-frequency words and reading |  | ords. These<br>n unusual<br>relationshi<br>taught and | Decodable Readers feature<br>e are high-frequency words<br>or advanced phoneme–<br>ps. The following Special<br>d practised in Sound Waves<br>in the Sound Waves Year 1 |
|   |   | Special Wo                                   | ords:   |   |
|   |   | have   | they  | because   |
|   |   | school                                       | love  | our   |
|   |   | when   | live  | their   |
|   |   | said   | any   |   |
|   |   | does   | many  |   |
|   |   | today  | family  |   |
|   |   | little                                       | find  |   |
|   |   | friend                                       | know  |   |
|   |   | what   | people  |   |
|   |   | come   | were  |   |
|   |   | some   | could   |   |
|   |   | done   | would   |   |
|   |   | here   | should  |   |
|   |   | who  | blue  |   |

| Literacy: Phonic and Wo   | ord Knowledge  |  |
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| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Year1  |
| AC9E1LY14: read and write an increasing number of high-frequency words.  (continued)    | learning an increasing number of<br>high-frequency words and reading<br>them independently; for example,<br>"one", "have" and "pretty"  (continued)  | Additionally, the following high-frequency words with unusual phoneme–grapheme relationships are taught in <i>Sound Waves Year 1</i> lessons. Many more high-frequency words are taught, but they have simple phoneme–grapheme relationships (e.g. <i>it</i> , and, on, then, had), so they have not been listed here.   |
|   |  | Other high-frequency words:  was why  want you  go do  eight to  goes into  are two  more about  your these  four there  seven where  eleven   |
| AC9E1LY15: recognise and know how to use grammatical morphemes to create word families. | <ul> <li>building word families from common morphemes; for example, "play", "plays", "playing", "played", "playground"</li> <li>using morphemes to read words; for example, by recognising the base word in words such as "walk-ed"</li> </ul> | Suffixes:  • Unit 7: s (plurals)  • Unit 12: ed, ing  • Unit 16: ed, ing  • Unit 27: ed, ing  • Unit 27: ed, ing  • Unit 28: s, ed, ing  • Unit 30: s (plurals)  Note: The support, core and extended Sound Waves Year 1 Decodable Readers contain the suffix s from Book 2 onwards and the suffixes ed and ing from Book 12 onwards. Additionally, the core and extended Decodable Readers feature the suffixes er, ly and y. |

| Content Descriptions   | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Year 2   |
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| AC9E2LY09: manipulate more complex sounds in spoken words and use knowledge of blending, segmenting, phoneme deletion and phoneme substitution to read and write words.  | blending and segmenting sounds in words; for example, "b-r-o-th-er" or "c-l-ou-d-y"      deleting and substituting sounds (phonemes) in spoken words to form new words; for example, delete the initial "scr" in "scratch" and substitute new initial sounds (phonemes) to form words such as "catch", "batch" and "hatch"; substituting a medial sound (phoneme) to form a new word; for example, "stack" becomes "stick" | Model segmenting Focus Words and Complete the<br>Student Book activities in Lesson 1:<br>• Units 1–36  |
| AC9E2LY10: use phonemegrapheme (sound-letter/s) matches, including vowel digraphs, less common long vowel patterns, consonant clusters and silent letters when reading and writing words of one or more syllables, including compound words. | • reading words with digraphs where one letter is not pronounced; for example, "knife" and "thumb", when reading and using them in writing  • providing the sounds for less common letter–sound matches; for example, "ight", and using them in writing  • reading words with vowel digraphs ("ee", "oo", "ai", "ay", "ea")  | Phoneme-grapheme relationships  Vowels:  Unit 3: a for   Unit 5: e, ea, a, ie, ai for   Unit 7: i, e for   Unit 11: u, o for   Unit 13: ai, ay, a_e, a, eigh for   Unit 15: ee, ea, y, ie, e_e for   ee e eay ey  Unit 17: i_e, y, igh, i, ie, uy for   Unit 19: oa, o_e, ow, o for   Unit 21: ar, a, are for   Unit 23: ir, ur, or, er, ere, ear for   Unit 25: or, ore, a, aw, au, our for   ou u  Unit 27: oo, u, oul for   ou u  Unit 29: oo, ew, ue, u_e, o, ou, wo for   Ou ow  Unit 31: ou, ow, hou for   Ou ow  Unit 33: oy, oi for   ou ow  Unit 35: air, are, ear, ere, eir, ey're for   air are  Unit 36: er, a, e for  er ar or a e i ou  Consonants:  Unit 2: b, bb for   bbb  Unit 4: k, c, q, ck, ch for  kcqckxch   ssssecexc  Unit 6: d, dd for   ddd  Unit 10: g, gg for   gg gg  Unit 12: h, wh for   h j, g, ge for  gg edge  Unit 14: l, ll for  Unit 18: n, nn, kn for  nnnkn ng, n for  ngn  Unit 20: p for  ppp r, rr, wr for  rr wr  Unit 20: p, sss, se, ce, c for  ssssecexc  Unit 22: s, ss, se, ce, c for  ssssecexc  Unit 22: t, tt for  ttt |

| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Year 2  |
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| AC9E2LY10: use phoneme-grapheme (sound-letter/s) matches, including vowel digraphs, less common long vowel patterns, consonant clusters and silent letters when reading and writing words of one or more syllables, including compound words. | <ul> <li>reading words with digraphs where one letter is not pronounced; for example, "knife" and "thumb", when reading and using them in writing</li> <li>providing the sounds for less common letter-sound matches; for example, "ight", and using them in writing</li> <li>reading words with vowel digraphs ("ee", "oo", "ai", "ay", "ea")</li> <li>(continued)</li> </ul> | • Unit 28: y for   • Unit 30: z, s, se for   • Unit 32: ch, tch for   • Unit 34: th for   • th th for   • Unit 34: th for   • unit 35: th for   • unit 36: th for   • |
| AC9E2LY11: use knowledge of spelling patterns and morphemes to read and write words whose spelling is not completely predictable from their sounds, including high-frequency words.   | <ul> <li>using known words and knowledge of spelling patterns and morphemes to write unknown words; for example, "one", "once", "only" and "lone"</li> <li>using context to read the correct word when an unknown word has more than one plausible pronunciation</li> </ul>  | Spelling patterns:  • Unit 4: ck, k, c, cl, cr, qu, x  • Unit 9: a  • Unit 13: ay  • Unit 14: II  • Unit 15: y  |
| AC9E2LY12: build morphemic word families using knowledge of prefixes and suffixes.  | <ul> <li>using morphemic knowledge of words to spell unknown words; for example, "one", "once", "cover", "covering", "uncover"</li> <li>writing unknown words using morphemic knowledge; for example, using the known word "friend" to write "friendly" and "friendship"</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Unit 21: a</li> <li>Unit 32: tch</li> <li>Prefixes:</li> <li>Unit 17: un</li> <li>Unit 20: re</li> <li>Suffixes (inflectional):</li> <li>Unit 2: ed, ing (double)</li> <li>Unit 3: s (plurals)</li> <li>Unit 6: ed, ing (double)</li> <li>Unit 7: er, est (double)</li> <li>Unit 9: es (plurals), er, est (double)</li> <li>Unit 10: ed, ing (double)</li> <li>Unit 11: ed, ing (double)</li> <li>Unit 13: ing (drop e)</li> <li>Unit 15: es (change y)</li> <li>Unit 16: ing (drop e)</li> <li>Unit 17: es, ed (change y)</li> <li>Unit 19: ed, ing (drop e)</li> <li>Unit 21: er, est</li> <li>Unit 22: ed, ing (drop e)</li> <li>Unit 25: er, est</li> <li>Unit 30: s, es (plurals), s, es (verbs)</li> <li>Suffixes (derivational):</li> <li>Unit 31: y</li> </ul>   |

| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations  | Sound Waves Year 3  |
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| AC9E3LY09: understand how to apply knowledge of phoneme-grapheme (sound-letter) relationships, syllables, and blending and segmenting to fluently read and write multisyllabic words with more complex letter patterns. | <ul> <li>reading and writing more complex words with consonant digraphs and consonant blends; for example, "shrinking", "against" and "rocket"</li> <li>reading and writing consonant digraphs representing different sounds; for example, "machine", "change" and "school"</li> </ul>  | Model segmenting Focus Words and Complete the Student Book activities in Lesson 1: • Units 1–36   |
| AC9E3LY10: understand how to apply knowledge of common base words, prefixes, suffixes and generalisations for adding a suffix to a base word to read and comprehend new multimorphemic words.                           | <ul> <li>understanding how to use knowledge of prefixes to change the meaning of a base word; for example, "undone", "remove" and "misunderstand"</li> <li>using generalisations for adding a suffix to a base word to form a plural or past tense; for example, to make a word plural when it ends in "ss", "sh", "ch" or "z", add "es"</li> </ul> | Prefixes:  Unit 11: un  Unit 20: pre, re  Unit 22: dis  Suffixes (inflectional):  Unit 2: ed, ing (double)  Unit 3: ed, ing (double)  Unit 4: es (plurals)  Unit 6: ed, ing (double)  Unit 7: ed, ing (double)  Unit 8: ed, ing (double)  Unit 9: er, est (double)  Unit 10: er, est (double)  Unit 15: s, es (change y)  Unit 16: s, es (change y)  Unit 17: ing (drop e), ed, es, ing (change y)  Unit 19: s, es (change y)  Unit 22: s, es (change y)  Unit 25: er, est (double)  Unit 25: er, est (double)  Unit 26: s (change f and fe)  Unit 30: s, es (change y, change f and fe)  Suffixes (derivational):  Unit 18: ful  Unit 19: ness, ly  Unit 24: ist  Unit 30: y |

| Content Descriptions  | Elaborations   | Sound Waves Year 3   |
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| AC9E3LY11: use phoneme-grapheme (sound-letter) elationships and less common letter patterns to spell words. | using phonic knowledge to explore less common letter patterns after short vowels; for example, words that end in "dge", "badge", "edge" and "fridge"      using phonic knowledge and knowledge of letter patterns to spell words with 3-letter blends; for example, "str-ip" | Phoneme—grapheme relationships:  Unit 2: b, bb for bb  Unit 3: a for a  Unit 4: k, c, q, ck, ch for kcqkxch x for kcqckxch ssssecexc  Unit 5: e, ea, a, ai for e  Unit 6: d, dd for ddd  Unit 7: i, e, u, ui for ffph  Unit 9: o, a for a  Unit 10: g, gg, gu for gg  Unit 13: ai, ay, a_e, a, ea, eigh for a ay a_e a  Unit 14: I, II for III  Unit 15: ee, ea, y, ey, ie, i, eo for eee eay ey  Unit 16: m, mm, mb, me for mmmmb  Unit 17: i_e, y, igh, i, ie, uy for Ley igh i ie  Unit 18: n, nn, kn for nn kn ng, n for ng n  Unit 19: oa, o_e, ow, o, oe for a o_e ow o  Unit 20: p for ppp r, rr, wr for rrwr  Unit 21: ar, a, al, au, are for a o_e ow o  Unit 22: s, ss, se, ce, c for ssssecexc x for kcqckxch ssssecexc  Unit 23: ir, ur, or, er, ere, ear for ir ur or er  Unit 25: or, ore, a, aw, au, oor, ough, augh, ar, al, o for oo u  Unit 29: oo, ew, ue, u_e, ue, ue, eau for yu  Oo ew ue u_e u  Unit 30: z, zz, s, se, ze for zzzs se  Unit 31: ou, ow, hou for ouw  Unit 32: ch, tch, t for chtch sh, ch, s for shchtid  Unit 33: ou, ow, for go ou  Unit 34: th for th th for th  Unit 35: air, are, ear, ere, eir, ey're for far are  Unit 36: er, ar, a, e, o, re, ure for far are  Unit 36: er, ar, a, e, o, re, ure for far are  Unit 36: er, ar, a, e, o, re, ure for far are  Unit 36: er, ar, a, e, o, re, ure for far are |
| AC9E3LY12: recognise and know how to write most high-frequency  | using context and syntactic<br>knowledge to spell homophones; for<br>example, "break" or "brake" and "ate"   | Homophones: • Units 12, 13, 25, 28, 29, 31, 33, 34, 35   |

| Content Descriptions   | Elaborations  | Sound Waves Year 4   |
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| AC9E4LY09: understand now to use and apply phonological and morphological knowledge to ead and write multisyllabic words with more complex etter combinations, including a variety of vowel tounds and known prefixes and suffixes.  AC9E4LY10: understand | <ul> <li>recognising unstressed vowels in multisyllabic words and how these vowel sounds are written; for example, "builder" and "animal"</li> <li>using phonic and morphemic knowledge to read and write multisyllabic words with more complex letter combinations; for example, "straightaway" and "thoughtful"</li> <li>applying generalisations for adding</li> </ul> | Phoneme-grapheme relationships:  • Unit 2: b, bb for bb  • Unit 3: a for a  • Unit 4: k, c, q, ck for kcqckxch, x for kcqckxch  • ssssecexc  • Unit 5: e, ea, a, ie for ea  • Unit 6: d, dd for ddd  • Unit 7: i, e, u, ui for i  • Unit 8: f, ph, gh for fffph  |
| AC9E4LY10: understand now to use knowledge of letter patterns, including double letters, is pelling generalisations, morphological word families, common prefixes and suffixes, and word origins, to is pell more complex words.                           | <ul> <li>applying generalisations for adding affixes; for example, "hope" – "hoping", "begin" – "beginning", "country" – "countries"</li> <li>building morphemic word families and exploring word origins; for example, "tricycle", "tripod" and "triangle"</li> </ul>  | Unit 10: g, gg, gu for  999  Unit 11: u, o, oo, ou for  uo  Unit 12: h, wh for h j, g, ge, dge for  jg ge dge  Unit 13: ai, a_e, a, ea, ey, eigh for  aiay a_e a  Unit 14: I, II for III  Unit 15: ee, e, ea, y, ey, ie, eo for ee e ea y ey  Unit 16: m, mm, mb for mmmmb  Unit 17: i_e, y, igh, i, ie, uy, is, eye for  au o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o |

| Content Description   | Elaboration  | Sound Waves Year 5  |
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| Content Description  C9E5LY08: use phonic, torphemic and vocabulary nowledge to read and spell ords that share common tter patterns but have ifferent pronunciations. | • recognising and writing less familiar words that share common letter patterns but have different pronunciations; for example, "journey", "your", "tour" and "sour" | Graphemes:  • a as in apple, watch, lady, glass, area, pizza • c as in car, pencil • ch as in school, chicken • e as in egg, me, cereal, bucket • ea as in head, seat, weary • ay as in says, hay • i as in igloo, litre, spider, dolphin • y as in syrup, baby, fly, yoyo • o as in women, orange, monkey, comb, story, do, lemon • gh as in laugh, spaghetti • au as in sausage, laugh, sauce • ow as in knowledge, window, flower • g as in girl, giraffe • u as in umbrella, queen, bush, computer, ruler, cactus • oo as in flood, book, boot • ou as in young, boulder, courier, group, cloud, famous • eigh as in eight, height • n as in net, wink • oa as in boat, broad • ough as in though, bought, through, plough • ar as in star, war, scarce, dollar • s as in seal, bears, treasure, sure |
|   |  | <ul> <li>ss as in kiss, dissolve, tissue</li> <li>se as in mouse, cheese</li> <li>er as in fern, ladder</li> <li>or as in world, horse</li> <li>ear as in early, ear</li> <li>t as in tiger, picture</li> <li>our as in your, colour</li> <li>ure as in sure, picture</li> <li>u_e as in volume, flute</li> <li>ti as in question, station</li> <li>ere as in here, where</li> </ul>  |

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| Content Description  | Elaborations  | Sound Waves Year 5  |  |
| AC9E5LY09: build and spell new words from knowledge of known words, base words, prefixes and suffixes, word origins, letter patterns and spelling generalisations. | using knowledge of known words and base words to spell new words; for example, the spelling and meaning connections between "vision", "television" and "revision"      applying knowledge of spelling generalisations to spell new words; for example, "suitable", "likeable" and "collapsible" | Prefixes:  Unit 3: anti, dia  Unit 4: kilo, milli  Unit 5: ex, dec, deci, cent  Unit 6: dis, mis, in, de  Unit 7: in, im, il, ir  Unit 9: non, quad, oct  Unit 16: multi, semi, com  Unit 20: pre, re  Unit 23: circum  Unit 24: inter, tele, trans  Unit 29: sub, super  Suffixes (inflectional):  Unit 2: ed, ing (double, change y, drop e)  Unit 3: e, es (plural/verbs – change y, change f and fe)  Unit 10: ed, ing (drop e, double)  Unit 11: er, est (change y)  Unit 21: s, es (plurals – change y, change f and fe)  Unit 23: ed, ing (double)  Greek and Latin roots:  Unit 3: astro, aster, ang, aqua, anim  Unit 8: graph, phon, photo  Unit 11: struct  Unit 12: ject  Unit 17: scrib, script  Unit 20: port  Unit 23: circ  Unit 23: circ  Unit 25: aud  Unit 25: aud  Unit 36: cap, mit, pel |  |

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| Content Description  | Elaborations  | Sound Waves Year 5  |  |
| AC9E5LY10: explore less common plurals, and understand how a suffix changes the meaning or grammatical form of a word. | <ul> <li>using knowledge of word origins and roots, and related words, to interpret and spell unfamiliar words, and learning about how these roots affect plurals; for example, "cactus" and "cacti", "louse" and "lice"</li> <li>understanding how some suffixes change the grammatical form of words; for example, "-tion" and "-ment" can change verbs into nouns: "protect" to "protection" and "develop" to "development"</li> </ul> | Plurals: Unit 21  Note: Irregular plurals are explicitly taught in Year 3 and are revised in Years 4, 5 and 6.  Suffixes (derivational): Unit 4: ion Unit 7: ive Unit 10: ness, ment Unit 11: y Unit 13: er, or, ee Unit 14: ful, less, able Unit 15: ly Unit 18: en Unit 22: ous Unit 30: ise, ion Unit 31: able Unit 32: ion Unit 35: ly, ous, y, less, ful, able, ness Unit 36: al |  |

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| Content Description  | Elaboration  | Sound Waves Year 6  |  |
| AC9E6LY08: use phonic knowledge of common and less common grapheme—phoneme relationships to read and write increasingly complex words. | • using phonic generalisations to read and write complex words with uncommon letter patterns; for example, "pneumonia", "resuscitate" and "vegetation" | Phoneme-grapheme relationships:  Unit 2: b, bb, pb for bb  Unit 3: a for a  Unit 4: k, c, a, ck, x, ch, que for kcackxch x for kcackxch ssssecexc  Unit 5: e, ea, a, eo for ea  Unit 6: d, dd for ddd  Unit 7: i, y, e, ui, a for ffph  Unit 9: o, a, ho, au, ow, ach, e for a  Unit 10: g, gu, gue for ggg  Unit 11: u, o, ou for u  Unit 13: ai, ay, a_e, a, ei eigh, et, e for aiaya_ea  Unit 15: ee, e, ea, y, ie, e_e, i, ei for ee eay ey  Unit 16: m, mm, me for mmmmb  Unit 17: i_e, y, igh, i, ir for Ley igh ie  Unit 18: n, kn, ne for nnkn ng, n, ngue for nnk  Unit 19: oa, o_e, ow, o, ough for oa_eewo  Unit 20: p, pp for ppp r, rr, rh for rrw  Unit 20: p, pp for ppp r, rr, rh for rrw  Unit 23: ir, ur, er, ear, our, urr for irurorer  Unit 24: t, tt for fftt  Unit 25: or, ore, a, aw, au, augh, oa, hau, aur for or or oa aw au  Unit 26: v, ve for vwe wh, u for wwhu  Unit 27: oo, u, oul, o, ou for ouw  Unit 28: i, u for yu u, ui, eu, ew, u_e, ue, ue ue for yu coewueueueu  Unit 29: oo, ew, ue, ue, u, o, ough, ou, oeu for ow wueueue  Unit 30: z, s, ss for zzzsse, x for ggg xzzsse, s, si for ssi for ssi for fid  Unit 30: ou, ow, ough for ouw  Unit 31: ou, ow, ough for ouw  Unit 32: ch, ti, t for out hth sh, ch, ti, ss, ssi for os sh chid  Unit 35: air, are, ere, ar, a, ayor, ea, aire, ae for our ou ou ou ou ou ou or or our our o |  |

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| AC9E6LY09: use knowledge of known words, word virgins including some atin and Greek roots, base words, prefixes, suffixes, etter patterns and spelling generalisations to spell new words including technical words. | <ul> <li>using a dictionary to explore and using knowledge of word origins, including some Greek roots, to spell words; for example, the Greek root "ath" meaning "contest" or "outstanding skill", "pent" meaning the number 5 and "dec" meaning the number 10 inform the spelling and meaning of the words "athlete", "pentathlon" and "decathlon"</li> <li>applying accumulated knowledge of a wide range of letter patterns and spelling generalisations to spell new words; for example, "ratio" and "synthesis"</li> <li>expanding knowledge of prefixes and suffixes, and exploring meaning relationships between words; for example, "disappearance", "submarine", "subterranean", "poisonous" and "nervous"</li> <li>applying accumulated knowledge of a wide range of letter patterns and spelling generalisations to spell new words; for example, knowing how and why these words are spelt as follows: "reliability", "handkerchief", "receive", "lollies", "trolleys", "climbing", "designed" and "emergency"</li> <li>spelling technical words by applying morphemic knowledge; for example, "metaphorical", "biology" and "biodegradable"</li> <li>investigating the meanings of words in languages of First Nations Australians using dictionaries or online resources from state libraries or universities</li> </ul> | Prefixes: Unit 4: ex Unit 5: dec, cent, kilo Unit 7: dis, mis, in, im, il, ir Unit 9: anti, non, con Unit 12: hyper, hypo Unit 14: mono, multi Unit 16: com Unit 19: co Unit 20: pro Unit 23: circum Unit 25: auto, trans Unit 26: uni Unit 31: out Unit 36: inter, ad, ac Suffixes (inflectional): Unit 23: ed, ing (change y, drop e, double), s, es (verbehange y) Unit 14: ed, ing (double) Unit 23: ed, ing (double) Suffixes (derivational): Unit 2: able Unit 4: ion Unit 10: ly Unit 11: er, or, ist Unit 13: ation Unit 15: ty, ity Unit 16: cive Unit 26: ive Unit 27: ion Unit 38: jan Greek and Latin roots: Unit 5: cess, cep, sect Unit 6: pod, ped, duc, duce Unit 19: graph, gram Unit 11: struct, rupt |

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| AC9E6LY09: use knowledge of known words, word origins including some Latin and Greek roots, base words, prefixes, suffixes, letter patterns and spelling generalisations to spell new words including technical words.  (continued) | <ul> <li>using a dictionary to explore and using knowledge of word origins, including some Greek roots, to spell words; for example, the Greek root "ath" meaning "contest" or "outstanding skill", "pent" meaning the number 5 and "dec" meaning and meaning of the words "athlete", "pentathlon" and "decathlon"</li> <li>applying accumulated knowledge of a wide range of letter patterns and spelling generalisations to spell new words; for example, "ratio" and "synthesis"</li> <li>expanding knowledge of prefixes and suffixes, and exploring meaning relationships between words; for example, "disappearance", "submarine", "subterranean", "poisonous" and "nervous"</li> <li>applying accumulated knowledge of a wide range of letter patterns and spelling generalisations to spell new words; for example, knowing how and why these words are spelt as follows: "reliability", "handkerchief", "receive", "lollies", "trolleys", "climbing", "designed" and "emergency"</li> <li>spelling technical words by applying morphemic knowledge; for example, "metaphorical", "biology" and "biodegradable"</li> <li>investigating the meanings of words in languages of First Nations Australians using dictionaries or online resources from state libraries or universities</li> <li>(continued)</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Unit 15: ceed, cede, cess</li> <li>Unit 19: mot, pos</li> <li>Unit 20: spect, press</li> <li>Unit 23: circ, vers, vert</li> <li>Unit 24: ject, fact, fect</li> <li>Unit 25: port, form</li> <li>Unit 34: therm</li> <li>Unit 35: aer, aero, aqua</li> </ul> |  |