

The use of 3-letter words

The words may be use:

1. Expand vocabulary (the picture gives meaning before the child is able to read, parent reads it for him / her).
2. When the child understands all words, shuffle the cards, where he searches for the correct card.
3. He also indicates the vowel spelt in the word using his finger and pronouncing the sound made by that specific vowel.
4. The child should also focus on the vowels written in the middle of the word.
5. As he starts recognising all the vowels in the words, do a mixed exercise of all vowels. Instruction is to find all the words with the vowel 'a' written in the middle.
6. As soon as he has an understanding of the words and starts reading then he will be able to start reading it by himself.
7. Use these words as sight words which are found in familiar places, for example: the fridge.