

Hampton Dene Phonics Actions



s – weave hand in an s shape like a snake and say sssss



a – wiggle fingers above elbow as if ants crawling on you, saying a, a, a



t – turn head from side to side as if you're watching tennis and say t, t, t



p – pretend to blow out candles and say p, p, p



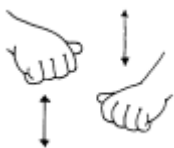
i – pretend to be a mouse by wiggling your fingers at the end of your nose saying



n – hold your arms out to the side, as if you were an aeroplane, saying n, n, n



m – rub tummy as if you are seeing tasty food saying mmmmmm



d – beat hands up and down as if you are playing the drum saying d, d, d



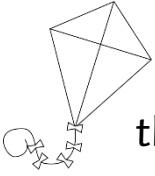
g – spiral hand down, as if water is going down the drain saying g, g, g



o – pretend to turn a light switch on and off, saying o, o, o



c – snap hands as if playing castanets saying c, c, c



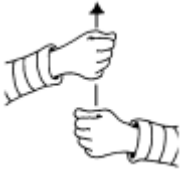
k – weave one hand up above your head like a kite flying in the sky



ck – weave both hands together, up above your head, like a rocket taking off



e – pretend to tap an egg on the side of a pan and crack it into the pan, saying e, e, e



u – pretend to be putting an umbrella up saying u, u, u



r – pretend to be a puppy holding a rag, shaking your head from side to side saying rrrrrr



h – hold hand in front of mouth panting h, h, h as if you are out of breath



b – pretend to hit a ball with a bat and say b, b, b



f, ff – let hands gently come together as if you are squishing an object, saying fffffff



l, ll – pretend to lick a lollipop and say llllll



ss – weave both hands in an s shape like a snake saying
ssssssss



j – pretend to wobble jelly on a plate saying j, j, j



v – pretend to be holding the steering wheel of a van and say
vvvvvv



w – blow onto your open hand, as if you are the wind, and
say w, w, w



x – pretend to be holding a camera and take a picture saying
x, x, x



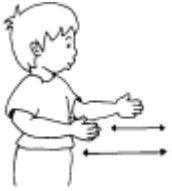
y – pretend to be eating a yoghurt and say y, y, y



z, zz – put arms out and pretend to be a bee saying zzzzzzzz



qu – make a ducks beak with your hands, place it by your
mouth and say qu, qu, qu



ch – move arms at the side as if you are a train saying ch, ch, ch



sh – place index finger over lips and say sh, sh, sh



th – make a thumbs up; wiggle your thumb and stick your tongue out saying th



ng – imagine you are a weightlifter and pretend to lift a heavy weight above your head saying ng



ai – cup your hand over your ear and say ai, ai, ai



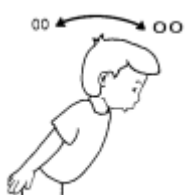
ee – put your hands on your head as though they are ears for a donkey and move them up saying ee



igh – stand to attention and salute saying igh, igh, igh



oa – using your index finger, draw a circle around your lips saying oa, oa, oa



oo – move head back and forth as if it is the cuckoo in a cuckoo clock, saying u oo, u oo (short and long oo).



ar – open mouth wide as if you were at the dentist and say ar



or – put your hands on your head as though they are ears for a donkey and move them down saying or



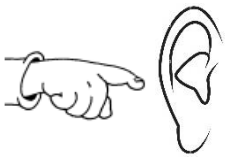
ur – pull a yuk face saying ur, ur, ur



ow – pretend your finger is a needle and prick your thumb saying ow, ow, ow



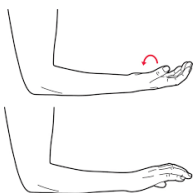
oi – cup your hands around your mouth and shout to another boat saying oi!



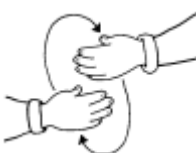
ear – point to your ear and say ear, ear, ear



air – use your index finger to draw a cloud, saying air, air, air



ure – place your hand on your shoulder and straighten your arm, repeating as you say ure, ure, ure



er – roll hands over each other like a mixer and say er, er, er