

## Lesson Syllabus – Mini lessons (Ages 3-12)

Our mini lessons can be included within your main lesson and should take around 10-20 minutes to complete. They focus on improving students' pronunciation, reading and writing skills. This is useful for teachers who need a phonics or reading component in their lessons.

Teachers should assess the level of their students before selecting the mini lesson level to begin with. Beginners can start with the 'Alphabet + phonics' mini lessons and more experienced students can move onto 'Early reading' or 'Reading short texts' levels.

### LEVEL 1: Alphabet + phonics

#### 1. Alphabet a-z (Level 1 beginners):

#	Lesson Plan	Objectives	Songs & Readers	Printables
1.	<b>Alphabet abc</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - a, b and c.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>abc printing sheet</li> </ul>
2.	<b>Alphabet def</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - d, e and f.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>def printing sheet</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Alphabet ghi</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - g, h and i.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>ghi printing sheet</li> </ul>
4.	<b>Alphabet jkl</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - j, k and l.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>jkl printing sheet</li> </ul>
5.	<b>Alphabet mno</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - m, n and o.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>mno printing sheet</li> </ul>
6.	<b>Early words a-o</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 15 lowercase letters, read and print some simple words.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>Early word printing a-o</li> </ul>

7.	<b>Alphabet pqr</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - p, q and r.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• pqr printing sheet</li> </ul>
8.	<b>Alphabet stu</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - s, t and u.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• stu printing sheet</li> </ul>
9.	<b>Alphabet vwx</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 lowercase letters - v, w and x.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• vwx printing sheet</li> </ul>
10.	<b>Alphabet yz</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 2 lowercase letters - y and z.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• yz printing sheet</li> </ul>
11.	<b>Early words a-z</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 26 lowercase letters, read and print some simple words.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> <li>• The alphabet book reader</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• Early word printing a-z</li> </ul>

## 2. Alphabet a-z (Level 2 early starters):

#	Lesson Plan	Objectives	Songs & Readers	Printables
1.	<b>Alphabet a-e</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 lowercase letters - a, b, c, d and e.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• a-e printing sheet</li> </ul>
2.	<b>Alphabet f-j</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 lowercase letters - f, g, h, i and j.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• f-j printing sheet</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Alphabet k-o</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 lowercase letters - k, l, m, n and o.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• k-o printing sheet</li> </ul>
4.	<b>Early words a-o</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 15 lowercase letters, read and print some simple words.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• Early word printing a-o</li> </ul>
5.	<b>Alphabet p-t</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 lowercase letters - p, q, r, s and t.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• p-t printing sheet</li> </ul>

6.	<b>Alphabet u-z</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 6 lowercase letters - u, v, w, x, y and z.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• u-z printing sheet</li> </ul>
7.	<b>Early words a-z</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 26 lowercase letters, read and print some simple words.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> <li>• The alphabet book reader</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• Early word printing a-z</li> </ul>

### 3. Alphabet A-Z (Levels 1 & 2)

#	Lesson Plan	Objectives	Songs & Readers	Printables
1.	<b>Alphabet A-E</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 uppercase letters - A, B, C, D and E.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• A-E printing sheet</li> </ul>
2.	<b>Alphabet F-J</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 uppercase letters - F, G, H, I and J.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• F-J printing sheet</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Alphabet K-O</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 uppercase letters - K, L, M, N and O.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• K-O printing sheet</li> </ul>
4.	<b>Alphabet P-T</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 5 uppercase letters - P, Q, R, S and T.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• P-T printing sheet</li> </ul>
5.	<b>Alphabet U-Z</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 6 uppercase letters - U, V, W, X, Y and Z.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet flashcards</li> <li>• U-Z printing sheet</li> </ul>

## LEVEL 2: Letter clusters + phonics

#	Lesson Plan	Objectives	Songs & Readers	Printables
1.	<b>Vowel clusters "oo" "ee" "ou"</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 vowel clusters - "oo", "ee" and "ou".	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 01</li> <li>Vowel clusters 1 printing sheet</li> </ul>
2.	<b>Consonant clusters "th" "sh" "ch"</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 consonant clusters - "th", "sh" and "ch".	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 02</li> <li>Consonant clusters 1 printing sheet</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Review clusters 1</b>	Review and practice the 3 vowel clusters and 3 consonant clusters from the previous lessons.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 03</li> <li>Clusters review 1 printing sheet</li> </ul>
4.	<b>Vowel clusters "ai" "oa" "ea"</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 vowel clusters - "ai", "oa" and "ea".	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 04</li> <li>Vowel clusters 2 printing sheet</li> </ul>
5.	<b>Mixed clusters clusters "er" "ar" "or"</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 mixed clusters clusters - "er", "ar" and "ea".	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 05</li> <li>Mixed clusters 1 printing sheet</li> </ul>
6.	<b>Review clusters 2</b>	Review and practice the 3 vowel clusters and 3 mixed clusters from the previous lessons.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 06</li> <li>Clusters review 2 printing sheet</li> </ul>
7.	<b>Vowel clusters "ue" "ui" "oi"</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 3 vowel clusters - "ue", "ar" and "oi".	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 07</li> <li>Vowel clusters 3 printing sheet</li> </ul>
8.	<b>Clusters "oo" "th"</b>	Identify, recognize, say and print 2 clusters - "oo" and "th".	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ABC song</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flashcards - Letter clusters - Lesson 08</li> <li>Vowel clusters 3 printing sheet</li> </ul>

## LEVEL 3: Early reading

#	Lesson Plan	Objectives	Songs & Readers	Printables
1.	<b>Funny sentences 1</b>	Read, understand, say and write some simple sentences.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PDF Early reading - funny sentences 1</li> <li>• Funny sentences 1 printing sheet</li> </ul>
2.	<b>Funny sentences 2</b>	Read, understand, say and write some simple sentences.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PDF Early reading - funny sentences 2</li> <li>• Funny sentences 2 printing sheet</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Funny sentences 3</b>	Read, understand, say and write some simple sentences.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PDF Early reading - funny sentences 3</li> <li>• Funny sentences 3 printing sheet</li> </ul>
4.	<b>Funny sentences 4</b>	Read, understand, say and write some simple sentences.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PDF Early reading - funny sentences 4</li> <li>• Funny sentences 4 printing sheet</li> </ul>
5.	<b>Funny sentences 5</b>	Read, understand, say and write some simple sentences.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PDF Early reading - funny sentences 5</li> <li>• Funny sentences 5 printing sheet</li> </ul>
6.	<b>Funny sentences 6</b>	Read, understand, say and write some simple sentences.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PDF Early reading - funny sentences 6</li> <li>• Funny sentences 6 printing sheet</li> </ul>

## LEVEL 4: Reading short texts

#	Lesson Plan	Objectives	Songs & Readers	Printables
1.	<b>I'm Tom</b>	Read and understand a simple text about a young boy's life. Then write a short text about themselves.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 1 PDF Reading - I'm Tom</li> </ul>

2.	<b>Paula the penguin</b>	Read and understand a simple text about a penguin's daily routine. Then write a short text about an animal's daily routine.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 2 PDF Reading - Paula the penguin</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Superhero kids</b>	Read and understand a simple text about the superpowers of each superhero kid. Then write a short text about a new superhero kid.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 3 PDF Reading - Superhero kids</li> </ul>
4.	<b>Rob the robot</b>	Read and understand a simple text about a robot and what he does during the week and on weekends. Then write a short text about another robot's weekdays and weekends.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 4 PDF Reading - Rob the robot</li> </ul>
5.	<b>My bedroom</b>	Read and understand a simple text about a girl describing her bedroom. Then write a short text about your bedroom.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 5 PDF Reading - My bedroom</li> </ul>
6.	<b>Ronaldo is great</b>	Read and understand a simple text about the famous soccer player Ronaldo. Then write a short text about another famous person.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 6 PDF Reading - Ronaldo is great</li> </ul>
7.	<b>Winola the witch</b>	Read and understand a simple text about a witch's recipe for making a flying potion. Then write a short text about another witch and her potion recipe.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 7 PDF Reading - Winola the witch</li> </ul>
8.	<b>A super tall building</b>	Read and understand a simple text about the world's tallest building, 'Burj Khalifa'. Then write a short text about your school building.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesson 8 PDF Reading - A super tall building</li> </ul>

- All lesson plans, flashcards, worksheets, craft sheets, readers and songs used in these lesson plans can be downloaded at [eslkidstuff.com/esl-kids-lesson-plans.html](http://eslkidstuff.com/esl-kids-lesson-plans.html)
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