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# DIGRAPHS

## FOR JUNIORS

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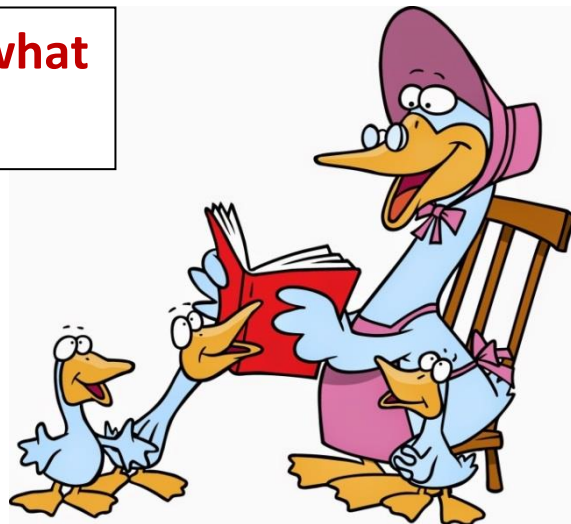
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Who knows what  
a digraph is?





# Digraphs For Juniors

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This resource has been put together to make life that bit easier for teachers. This PDF contains a variety of rhymes with the focus on learning digraphs in a simple and fun way.

Each rhyme has actions that the children can do while listening or saying the rhyme. There is a basic teacher guide with ideas for simple activities. The children will love the digraph dance rhyme, as it gets them moving.

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# 'The Digraph' Dance

*(to the tune of The Hokey Cokey.)*

You hold your right thumb up  
You hold your left thumb up  
You bend your knees  
Then do a little jump,  
Gimme a shimmy  
Then turn around,  
As you do 'the digraph' with me.



## CHORUS

Do a digraph shimmy,  
Hurihuri then shimmy,  
Shimmy, shimmy, shimmy, shimmy,  
As you do 'the digraph' with me.

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# DIGRAPH RHYMES FOR JUNIORS

Sh

Shimmy Shake

Give me an s

Give me an h

Give me a shimmy

Give me a shake.

Shimmy shimmy shimmy

Shake shake shake



ch

## Three Cheers

Give me a c give me an h  
Now tell me what you hear -  
All the children in the class  
Giving their teacher a cheer.

Hip Hip Hooray

Hip Hip Hooray

We've learnt about c h today.

What other words is the ch sound in

Big words like chicken (make a chicken sound)

And champion (raise one hand in the air)

Hip Hip Hooray

Hip Hip Hooray

We've learnt about c h today.



## Simple fun digraph rhymes

### Grandma and Granddad

sh th wh

Grandma Shelley loved to dance  
With dear old Granddad Jake.  
She would shake and shimmy,  
While Granddad would only shake.  
sh sh sh sh sh sh sh sh shake



# Going In The Car

Say

Tahi rua toru whā we are going in the car.

*(sing to the tune of 'twinkle twinkle little star.')*

We are going in the car

We are going with Nanny and Pa,

We are driving to the shop

When we get there, we will stop.

We are going in the car,

We are going with Nanny and Pa.



**Knock Knock Knock**

**Kn        wh        ng**

Knock knock knock one, two, three  
Who is coming to see me.

Knuckles knock, knees knock too  
Who is coming to see you.

Knock, knock, knock



Who do you think is knocking at this door?

Draw a picture of someone who knocks at your door.



## Mr T Rex by Judi Billcliff

I met a tyrannosaurus  
Who said his name was Pete,  
And his very favourite thing to do  
Was find little boys to eat.

I felt my knees start shaking  
And my tummy get butterflies.  
He took a giant step towards me  
And looked me right in the eyes.

I gave him a funny little smile -  
I didn't know what else to do.  
I was certain if I didn't leave  
I'd end up in his stew.

He chuckled aloud, "It's dinner time,  
I love having children for tea."  
"Thank you for the offer Mr T Rex,  
But you won't be eating me!"

What wh words can you find?  
What sh words can you find?  
What th words can you find?  
What ch words can you find?  
How many digraphs can you find?