RESOURCES FOR TEACHING LITERACY IN GRADES 1-3

DO YOU HAVE THEM?

For the walls

Alphabet frieze
Alphabet chart (letter, word, picture)
Birthday chart
Weather chart
Number word chart
Colour word chart

Vocabulary charts (words and pictures) e.g.

- My Body Chart
- My Family Chart
- Fruit Chart
- Farm animals
- Actions

Learners' names on flashcards
Sight words on flashcards

For each learner

A Workbook or Learners' book
(to provide systematic development of literacy, phonic and language skills)
Set of small alphabet cards (for word building)
Sight words on sheets/cards
(to cut up and keep in a box - e.g. 25 words per term)

Un-lined Jotter
Lined Handwriting book
Lined Phonics book
Lined Spelling book
Lined Language/Writing book
Personal Dictionary (lined exercise book with letters of the alphabet on different pages)

Wax crayons
Pencils
Sharpener
Soft eraser
Blank paper for drawing

Resources for the teacher

Big Books
Graded readers
A list of reading words per reader
Read-aloud stories (for teacher)
Independent reading books (different topics, different levels)

A systematic programme which includes:

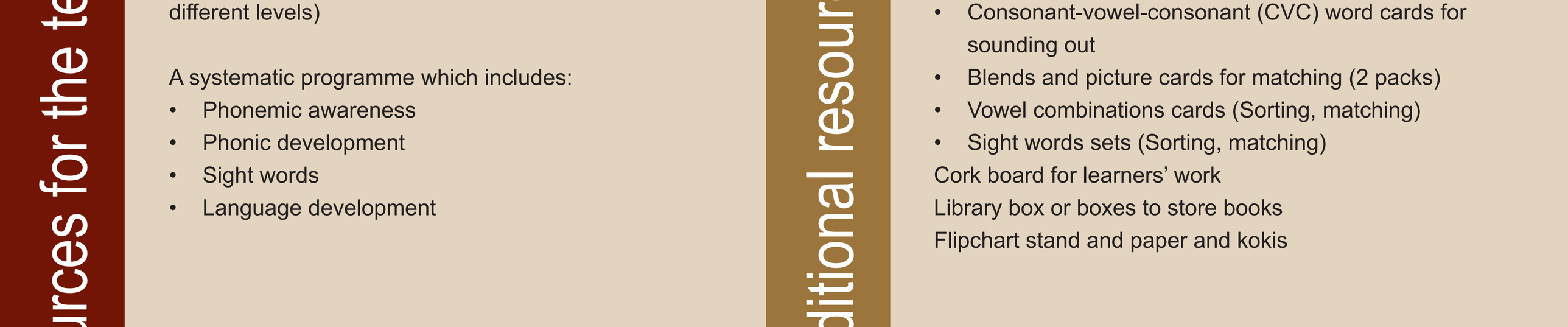
- Phonemic awareness
- Phonic development
- Sight words
- Language development

Additional resources

Sets of plastic alphabet letters
Sets of cards:

- Alphabet cards
- Alphabet and picture cards for matching
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- Consonant-vowel-consonant (CVC) word cards for sounding out
- Blends and picture cards for matching (2 packs)
- Vowel combinations cards (Sorting, matching)
- Sight words sets (Sorting, matching)

Cork board for learners' work
Library box or boxes to store books
Flipchart stand and paper and kokis



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