

Foundation Teaching Sequence



PLD's Structured Synthetic Phonics program is an evidence-based, comprehensive curriculum in Australia, closely aligned with the Science of Reading. The teaching sequence starts with the basics of the initial (simple) code and then progresses to the extended code.

Term 1										First Reading Words			
Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10				
s	a	t	m	r	h	f	l	g	w	j	v	k	
p	i	n	e	d	c	o	u	b	z	y	q	x	
⚡ HFW Words and CVC single words			⚡ HFW Words and CVC single words			⚡ HFW Words and CVC single words			⚡ HFW Words and CVC single words				

Term 2										PLD Decodable Reading Books			
Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10				
s	a	t	m	r	h	f	l	g	w	j	v	k	
p	i	n	e	d	c	o	u	b	z	y	q	x	
❤ Words: a, l Multiple Sentences		❤ Words: the, is Multiple Sentences			❤ Words: as, has, his, of Multiple Sentences			❤ Words: was, for Multiple Sentences					

Term 3										PLD Decodable Reading Books		
Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10			
sh	ch	th	sh ch	oo	ee	ck	oo, oo ee ck	qu	wh	x	qu	<p>Coming in 2025</p>
		th	th, th	oo								
❤ Words: me, we, be, she, he, to, do, who, into, are, you												

Term 4										PLD Decodable Reading Books
Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	
sh	oo, oo	qu	CCVC	CCVC	CCVC	CVCC	CVCC	CCVC	CVCC	<p>Coming in 2025</p>
ch	ee	x	a	i	b	a	i	CVCC		
th, th	ck	wh	u	e	d	u	e	a, e, i, o, u		
❤ Words: me, we, be, she, he, to, do, who, into, are, you										