

Model of Literacy Lesson: Practising reading high frequency words

Original lesson plan	Adapted lesson plan to enable access by Braille
Resources	Resources
Between five and eight high-frequency words, written on individual cards	Between five and eight high-frequency words, including de-codable and tricky words, written on individual cards in Braille.
the and a said to	Word board with Velcro to attach word cards too. Word sheets with the same word written out three times
Procedure	e.g. the the
Display a word card.	and and
Point to each letter in the word as the children sound-	aaa
talk the letters (as far as is	said said
possible with tricky words) and read the word.	to to to
Say a sentence using the word, slightly emphasising	
the word.	Procedure
Repeat 1–3 with each word card.	Display a word card on word board.
Display each word again, and repeat the procedure more quickly but without giving a sentence. Repeat once more, asking the children to say the word	Ask child to sound talk the letters and read the word Say a sentence using the word, slightly emphasising the word.
without sounding it out.	Repeat above with each word card.
	Ask child to read a line of the specific high frequency word, sounding the word out e.g. the the
	Ask the child to say the words without sounding out.