

Phonics (K-1)
Sound by Sound Blending

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1. (Write the first letter on the board.) **What sound?** /t/
2. (Write the second letter on the board.) **What sound?** /oo/
3. (Move your finger under the two letters.) **Blend it.** /tooo/
4. (Write the third letter.) **What sound?** /p/
5. (Move your finger under the letters.) **Blend it.** /tooop/
6. **What word?** (Point to the word.) *top*
7. (Repeat with other words.)
8. (If time permits, check individual students.)

Error Correction Procedure

1. Listen. This sound is /ooo/.
2. Say it with me. /ooo/
3. Your turn. /ooo/

or

1. Listen. The word is *top*.
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Phonics (K-2)
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1. When I touch a letter, say its sound. Keep saying the sound until I touch the next letter. Don't stop between the sounds. (Slowly slide your finger under each letter.) /llaaassst/
2. What word? (Point to the word.) *last*
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