

Before reading

Tips for reading with children

Available to download from www.schofieldandsims.co.uk/mylettersandsounds.

Say the sounds

These are the focus sounds that your child will practise in this book. Encourage them to point to each group of letters and say the sound.

e-e wh ph

Now practise reading these words containing the focus sounds together.

evening wheels phone

Some of the words in this book are 'tricky words'. They have a letter or letters that make an unexpected sound. Practise reading these tricky words together.


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Talk about the book

Look at and discuss the cover picture and title before asking the following questions.

 Where do you think the girl is in the cover picture? Have you ever had a go on roller skates?


While you are reading, look at page 4.

 Do you think Eve will tie up her trainers and get the skates?

Vocabulary check

Read and discuss the new words using the definitions below.

 **Whizz** means to move very fast.

 If someone is **proud** of someone, they are very happy about something that person has done.