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the five minute BOX

The multi-sensory phonics programme
for teaching, reading, writing and spelling
of phonically regular words, irregular
keywords, handwriting and literacy skills.

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The Five Minute Box programme has been designed by Jane Kendall, a fully qualified and practising SEN literacy consultant, as a teaching system to provide secure basic skills for reading, spelling and writing.

The multi-sensory system enables potential specific learning difficulties to be identified early and to provide support for as long as it is needed. Children manage the materials, taking ownership of learning. They are encouraged to share known skills.

Recording booklets provide a record of daily intervention and on-going information about a child's achievements and learning profile.

The Five Minute Box is designed to fit alongside any phonics programme already being used in class and follows the principles laid out in the Dcsf's Letters and Sounds programme.

The Five Minute Box comes with a training CD-rom and an easy to follow Instruction Guide. In-school training sessions for TAs can be arranged by telephoning 01442 878629.

The Five Minute Box is used with children 1:1 with a TA on a daily basis. It teaches the basic skills for reading and writing, early phonics, keywords and personal and sequential



information. It has a progressive programme always starting from the known and building up in small steps. It allows essential consolidation and revisiting time in all tasks to ensure that skills are not forgotten.



- From Reception age – for children who need more time to acquire confidence with basic skills into automatic and confident writing
- 2nd Language children of any age as an introduction to English
- Later infant, junior and early secondary as a second start programme to re-establish self esteem and good working practices
- Autistic and Aspergers children are provided with a predictable, child led programme – no surprises!

It provides a step aside spelling programme to ensure that children experience and share success in 'test' situations, thereby maintaining self-esteem and a more positive attitude.

On completion of The Five Minute Box programme, children will have achieved a reading and spelling age of around 6 1/2 years and should then progress on to Box 2.

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