

## Tips for Tricky Words

- Focus on word per night to begin with
- Make the word with magnetic letters
- Use letter names instead of sounds to spell words (good practice for learning alphabet!)
- Trace word with finger on the table/in the air
- Stick the word with blue tac at door, child says the word every time they pass through
- App on tablet/phone, 'Eggy 100'
- When confident with 4-5 play matching games with flashcards
- Practise writing out words using 'look, say, cover, write' worksheet