

Steps of Effective Phonics Instruction **aligned with California Treasures**

Step 1 TEACH NEW CONCEPT

1A. Hear the sound.

"Thumbs up if you hear the /_/ sound in the word _____."

Phonemic Awareness

Small Group Strategic – Phonemic Awareness

1B. Articulate the sound.

Describe how the sound is made.

Sound Pronunciation

Small Group Strategic - Articulation

1C. Letter Sound Correspondence.

Use sound chips and trade to spelling chips.

Identify the phonics pattern in the word. Tap and make the sound

Blend words

Small Group Strategic – Word Building Cards

<p>Step 2 READ WORDS</p>	<p>2. Identify the phonics pattern in the word; then read the word. Build Words Teaching Charts Phonics/Spelling: Word Sorts Small Group Strategic – Model Blending, Build Words</p>
<p>Step 3 WRITE WORDS</p>	<p>3. Sound spelling mapping. Phonics/Spelling</p>
<p>Step 4 DICTATION</p>	<p>4. Write a sentence using words with the phonics pattern. Word Reading Teaching Charts</p>

Step 5 FLUENCY	5. Practice fluency with words, phrases, and sentences. Sound/Spellings Small Group Strategic – words, sentences, decodable text
Step 6 TRANSFER TO TEXT	6. Transfer phonics pattern to decodable text; then to authentic text. Decodable Text