

# The Singing Mermaid

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Click on the English lesson you would like to complete:

Lesson 1 - Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June

Lesson 2 - Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June

Lesson 3 - Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July

Lesson 4 - Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July



# spellings

The last two words are challenge words. Your child may need more support learning these. Remember to use the honeycomb spelling activities shared week 2 of distance learning

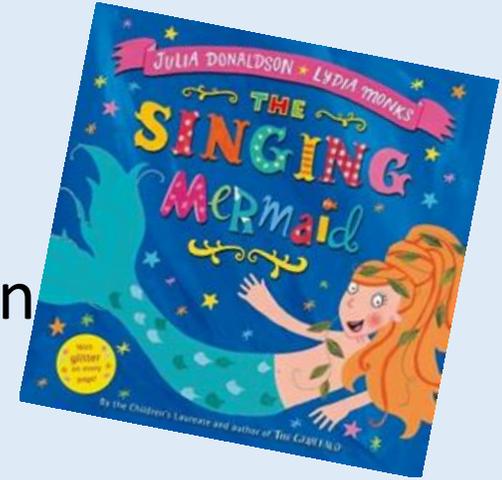
Spellings will be tested on July 2nd and scores are to be sent to teachers. When testing, mix up word order to ensure understanding.

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
nice	white	driveway
like	smile	beehive
home	broke	throne
hope	phone	drone
new	grew	newer
few	threw	fewer
law	lawn	awful
paw	pawn	jigsaw
spare	careful	caretaker
		warehouse

Good luck!

# Lesson 1

Watch the story: The Singing Mermaid by Julia Donaldson



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kznvl5gnnvQ>

The Mermaid is a very special Mermaid, can you describe what she looks like?  
Can you also think about what kind of character she is? How would you describe her singing?

Use the sheet that is saved on the website to help you with your learning.

LO: I can write a character description for "The Singing Mermaid"	
I can...	My teacher thinks...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Use adjectives to describe the singing mermaid</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Describe the skills the singing mermaid has</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Read through my writing to check it makes sense</li></ul>	

# Lesson 2

As you know from the story, Sam Sly's circus came to town and Sam wanted the mermaid to join. We would like you create a fantastic, sparkling poster that the circus can use to advertise her act? Have a look at some examples of a circus poster to help you.

Use the sheet that is saved on the website to help you with your learning.

LO: I can create a poster to advertise the mermaid's circus act	
I can...	My teacher thinks...
• Use clues from the story	
• Use language for my poster	
• Present my work neatly	



# Lesson 3

Why don't you listen to the story again to remind yourself of what happens in it.

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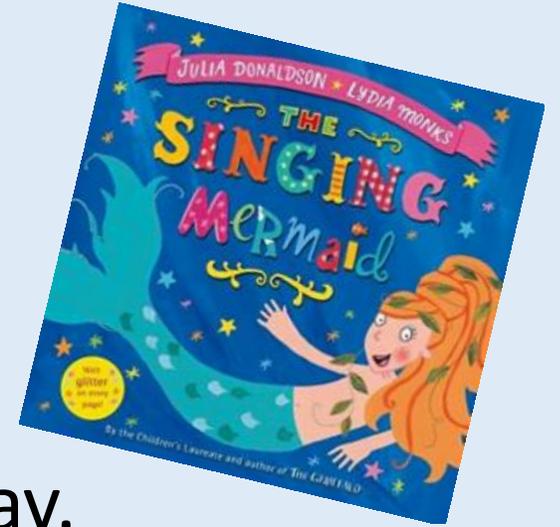
Can you imagine what you would do if you were a mermaid for the day? How would your day start? What adventures would you get up to? Use a piece of paper to plan your ideas. Now, have a go at writing the start of your adventure.

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LO: I can describe my adventure if I were a mermaid for the day	
I can...	My teacher thinks...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Use my imagination to think of my own adventure</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Use adjectives in my writing</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Use punctuation accurately</li></ul>	



# Lesson 4



Please finish off your work from yesterday.  
Don't forget to edit and improve your work.

**We can not wait to see your ideas!**