



ph saying /f/

# At the Zoo



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Today, we are learning to read words that contain **ph** saying /f/.



Let's practise reading some of this week's focus words that contain the 'ph' sound.

phone  
dolphin  
elephant  
alphabet





Kit, Sam, Jake and Jake's dad, Philip, were in the car on their way to the zoo. "What would you like to see first?" asked Jake. "I'd like to see the elephants and rhinos!" said Kit excitedly.



“And I’d like to see the dolphins,” said Sam. “I’m going to do my project on dolphins so it would be helpful to see them in real life. What about you, Philip?”

“I have just got a fantastic new camera,” said Philip. “I want to try to photograph as **many** of the animals as possible!”





It was a long journey to the zoo and Kit, Sam and Jake soon began to get bored. “How about a game of I Spy,” suggested Jake. “Pick a letter of the alphabet, then everyone has to try to guess what you have seen beginning with that letter.”

# I Spy

Look at the letters of the alphabet. Read the words to find out which animals or objects Jake, Kit or Sam have seen at the zoo.





**a**

alphabet

**p**

photos

**d**

dolphin

**e**

elephant





**p**  
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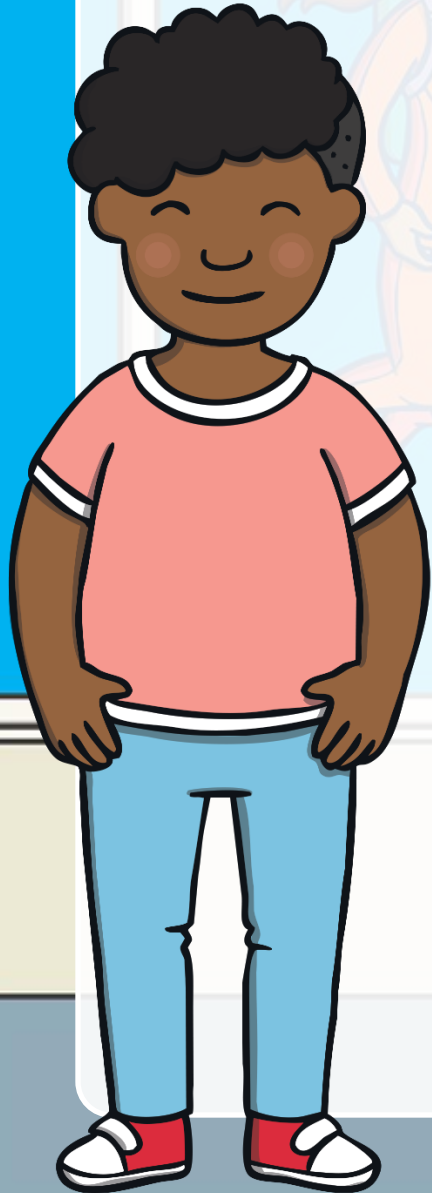
# What's My Word?

Jake teaches Kit and Sam a new game. He thinks of a word and writes a dash for each letter. Kit and Sam have to guess the missing letters for Jake to write in.  
Can you help?

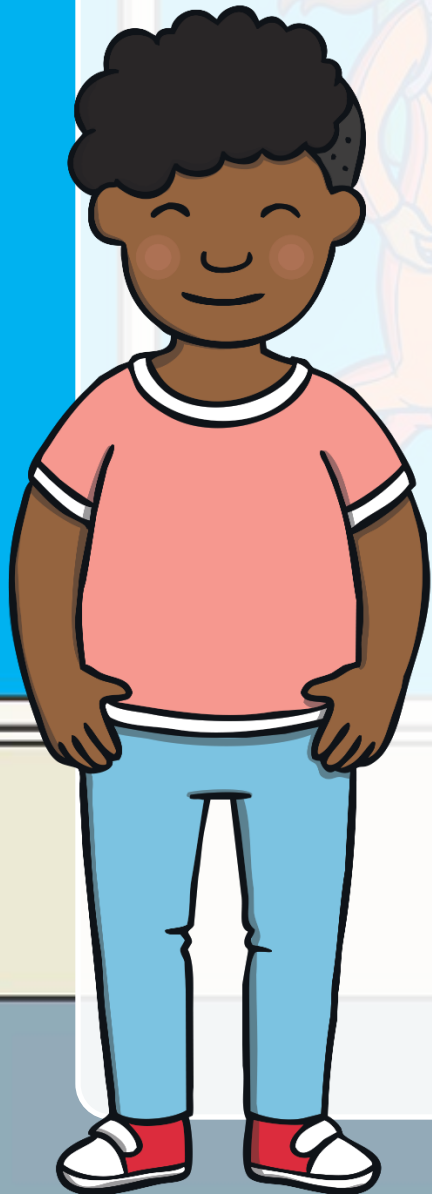


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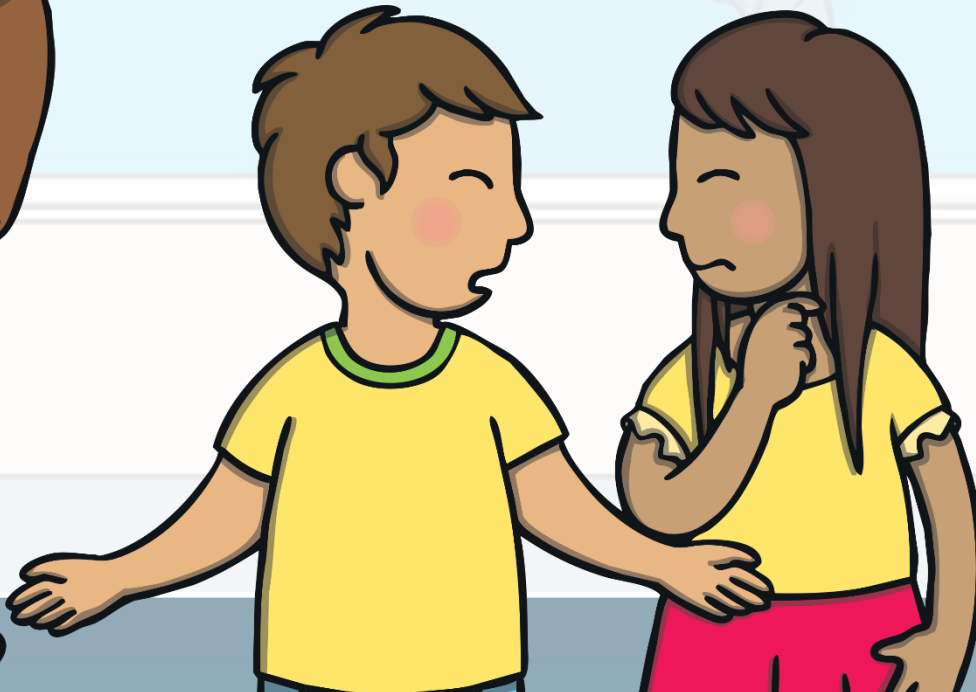
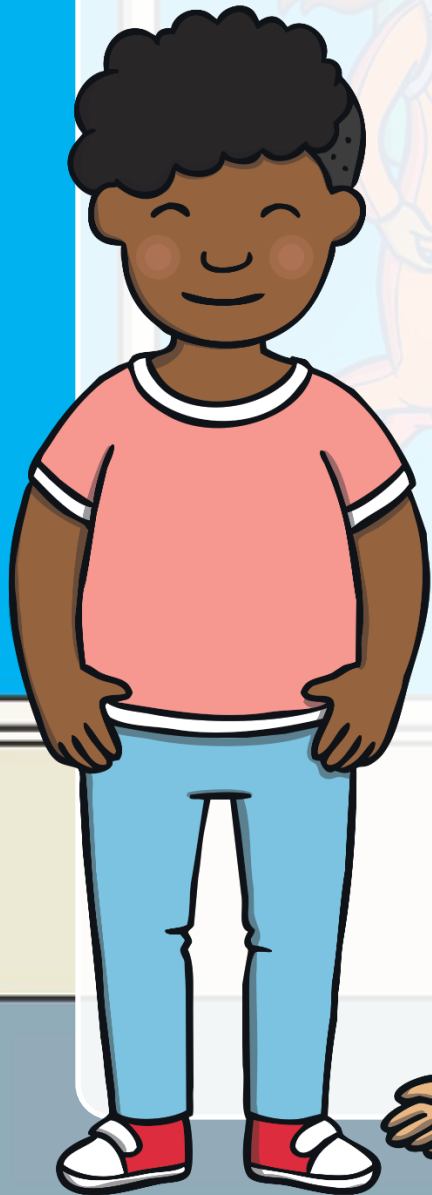
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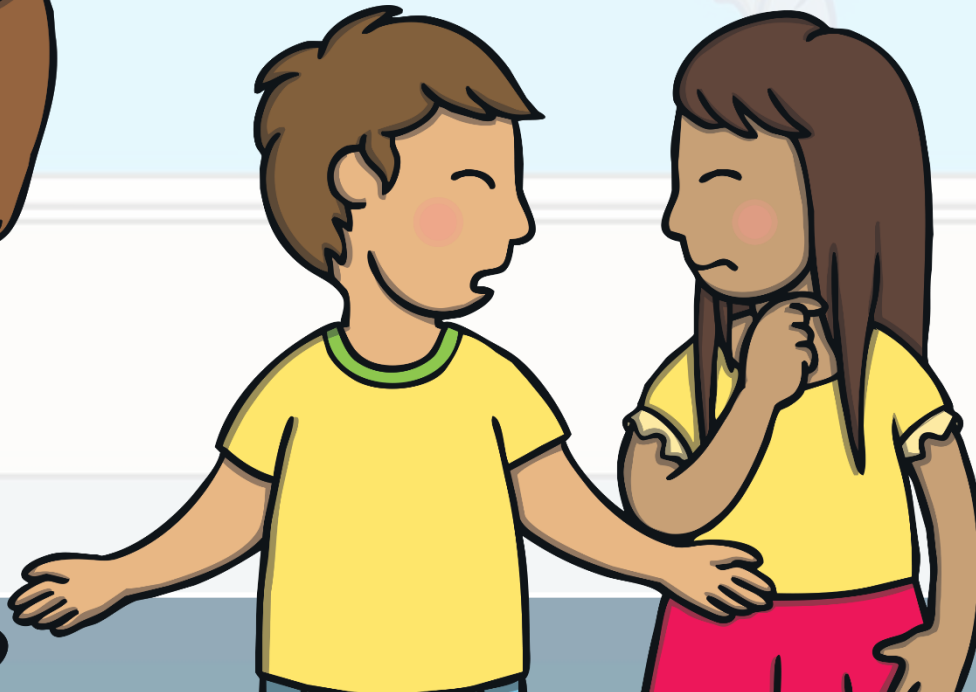
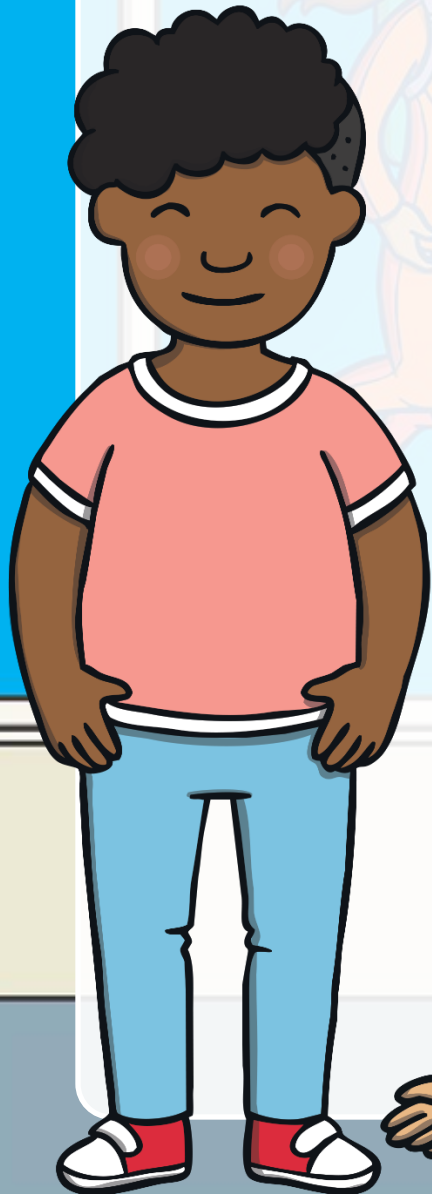
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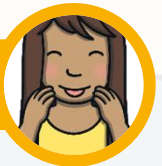


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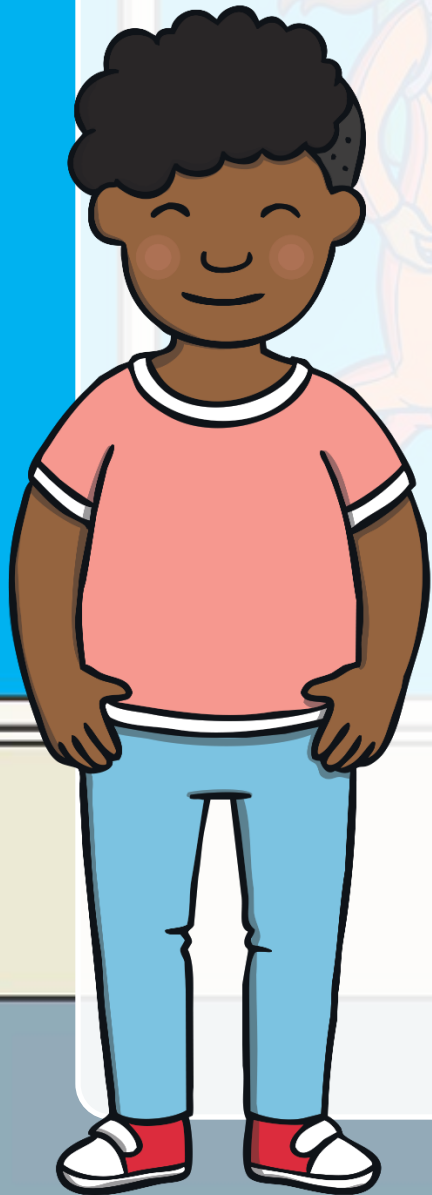
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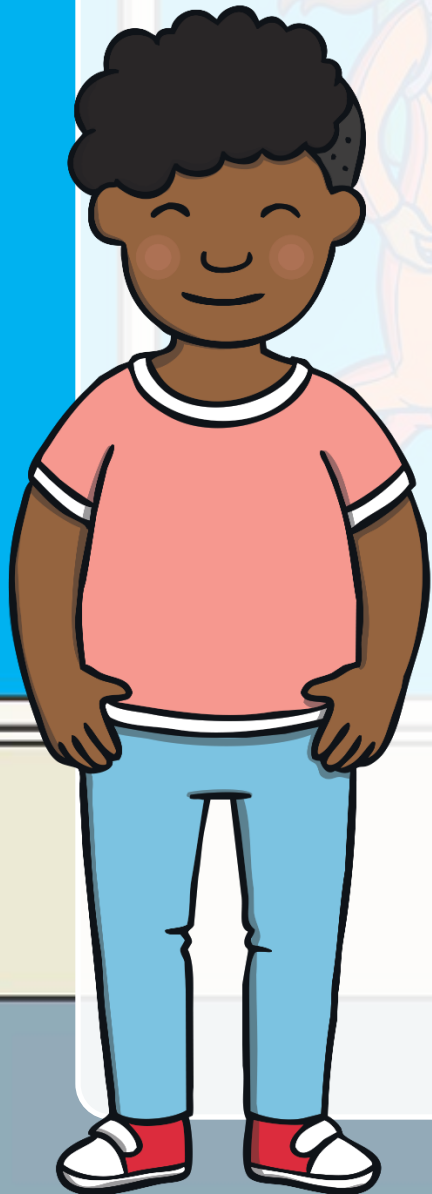


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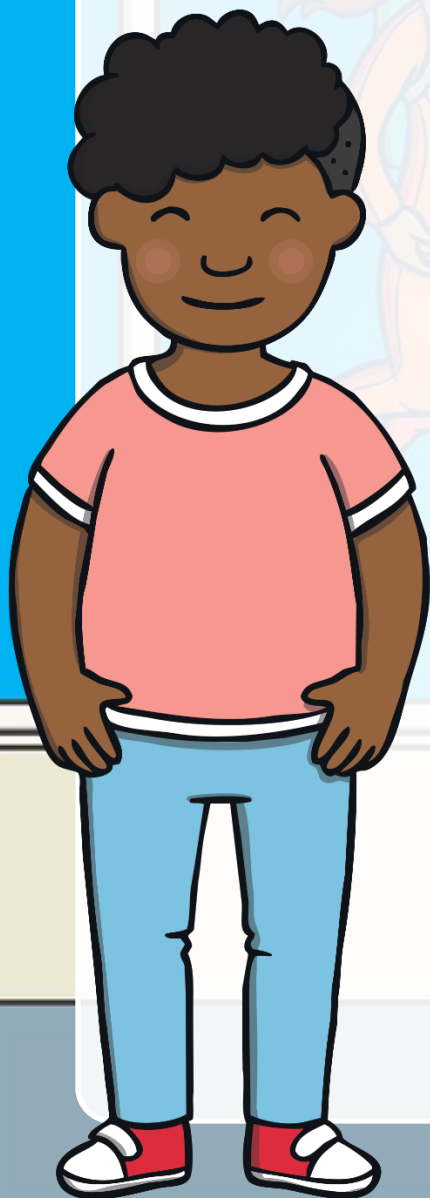
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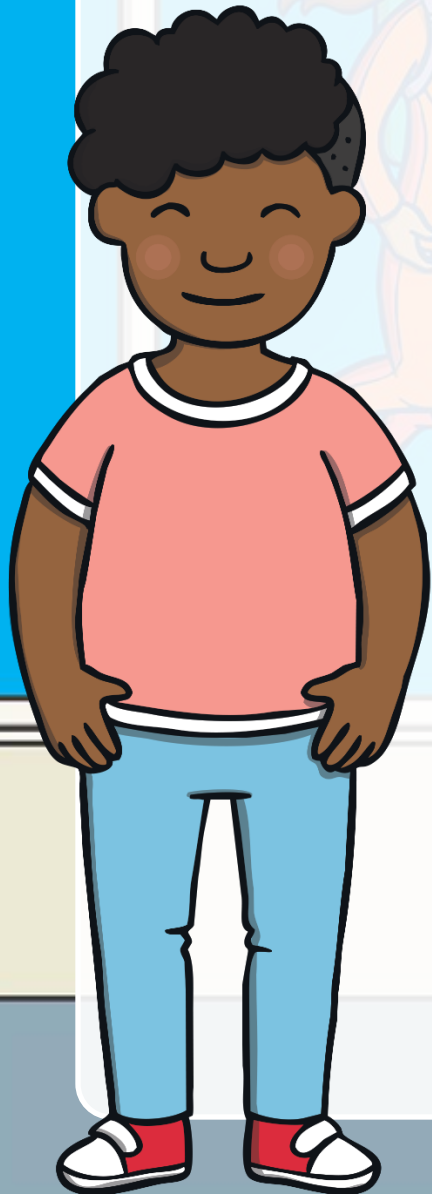
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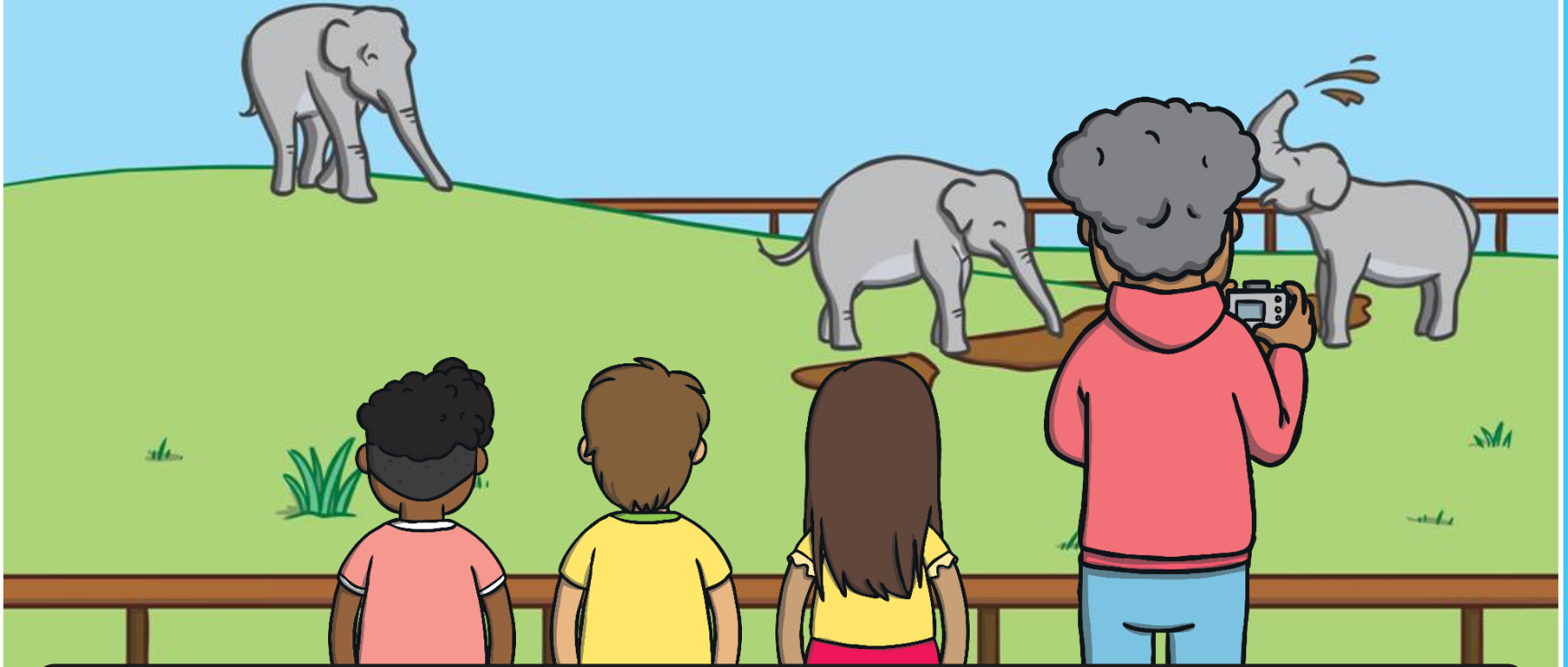


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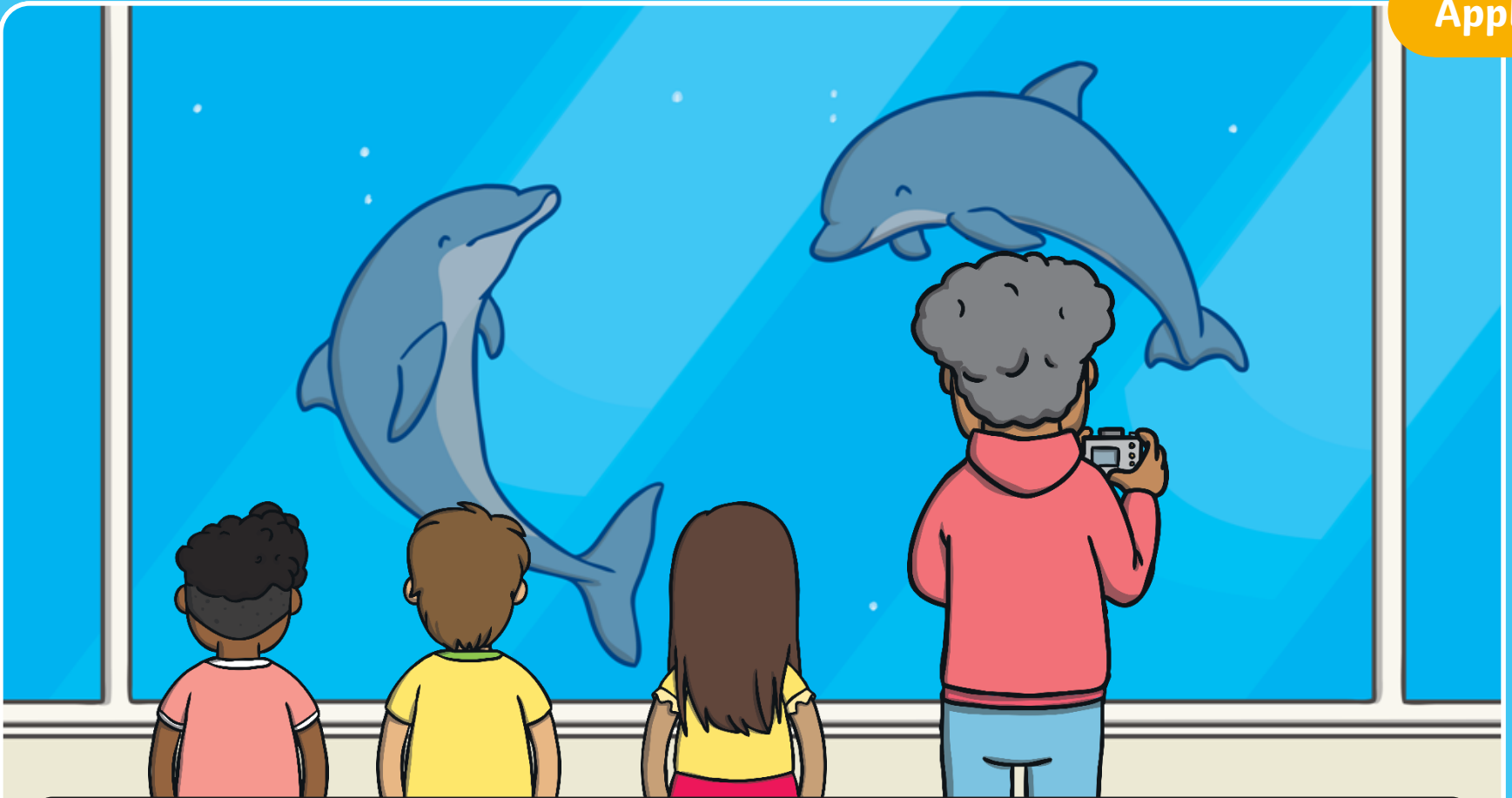
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Eventually, they all arrived at the zoo. First of all, they went to see the elephants. Kit loved how they splashed water with their long trunks. “Phew! I’m glad that they are so far away or we would all be wet,” chuckled Kit.



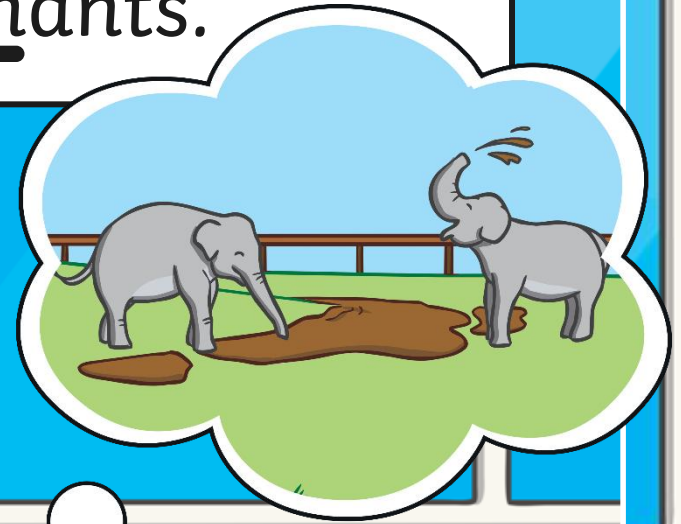
Then, they went to see the dolphins. “They are so beautiful,” said Sam. Philip took lots of photographs of them with his camera. “Have you seen **any** animals you’d like to do your project on?” Jake asked Kit.

# Sentence Time

What is Kit thinking about doing his project on?  
Read the sentence.



I would like to do a  
project about elephants.



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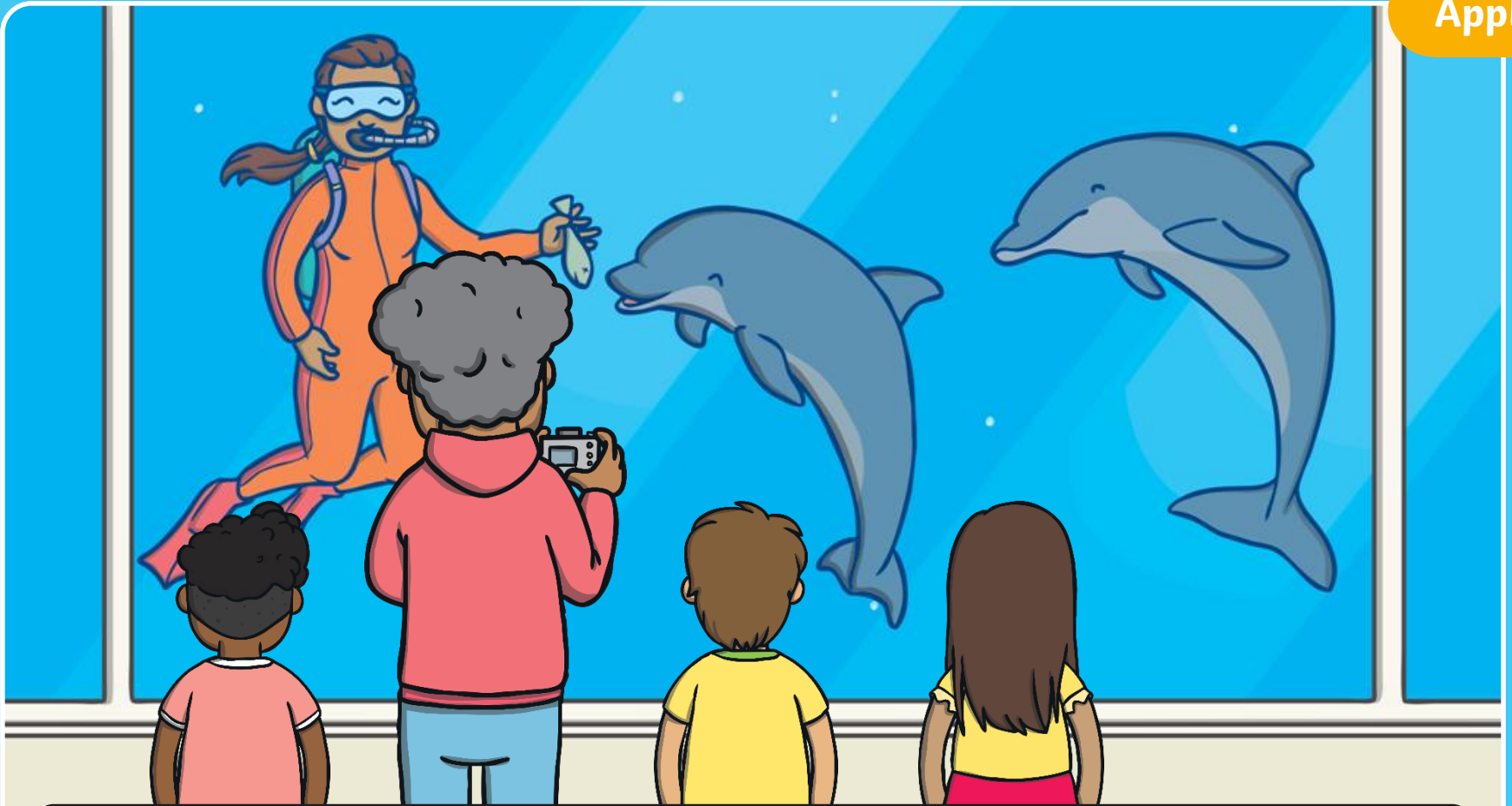
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Kit, Sam, Jake and Philip enjoyed the rest of their day looking at lots of **different** animals in the zoo. "Is there **anything** that you would like to see before we have to go?" asked Philip. "Could we go back to the dolphins **please**?" asked Sam. "I would like to have one last look before I start to write my project."





When they arrived back at the dolphin tank, they saw one of the keepers in the tank with the dolphins feeding them. "It would be great to get that close to the animals that we are going to do our projects on," Kit whispered to Sam.



“Quick, come with me!” whispered Sam, pulling Kit around a corner and out of sight of the others.

Today, we have learnt...

**ph**  
saying /f/

