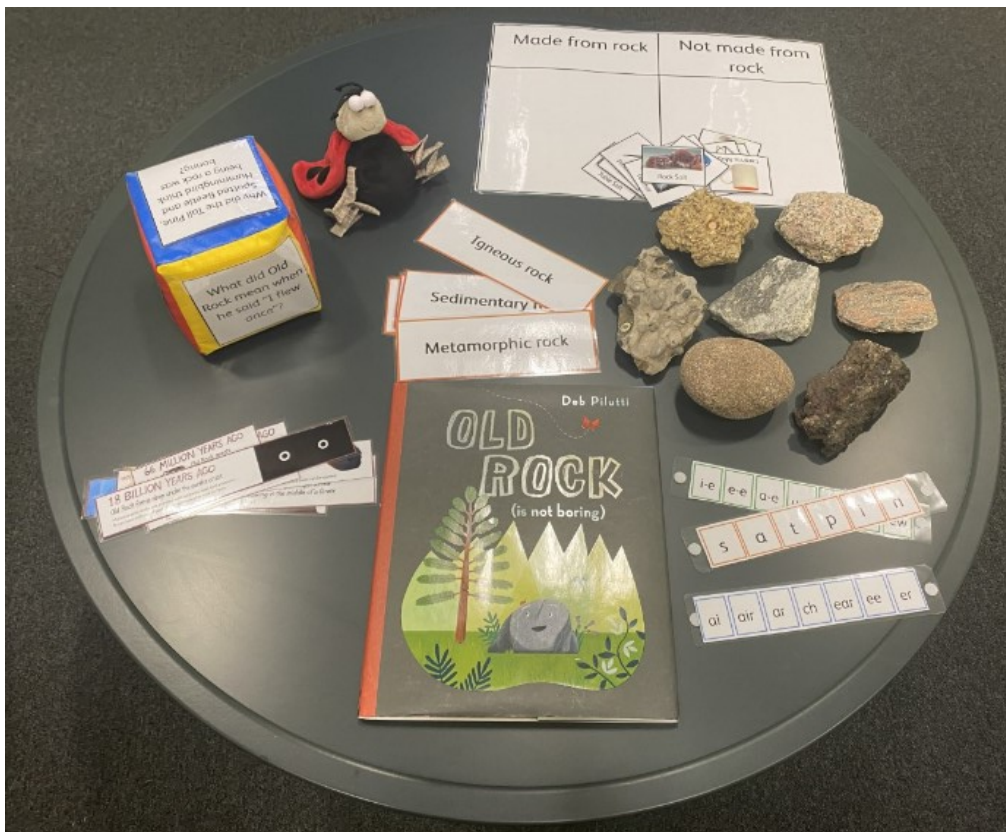
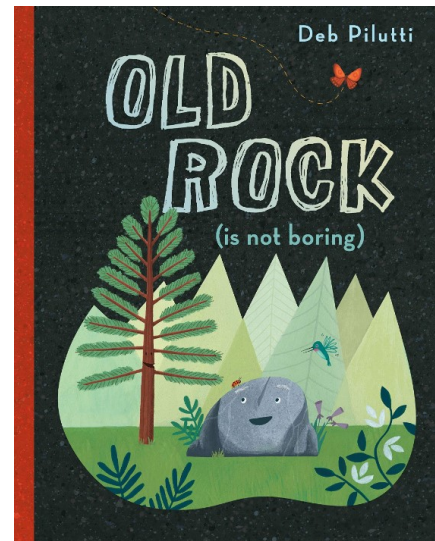


# Old Rock (is not boring)

## The 'Old Rock' Contents:

- Old Rock (is not boring) story book
- Ladybird Story buddy
- Phonics wristbands (Phase 2,3 and 5)
- Reading comprehension dice
- Sequencing challenge
- Rock Investigators!
- 'It's Not Rock-et Science' Sorting Challenge



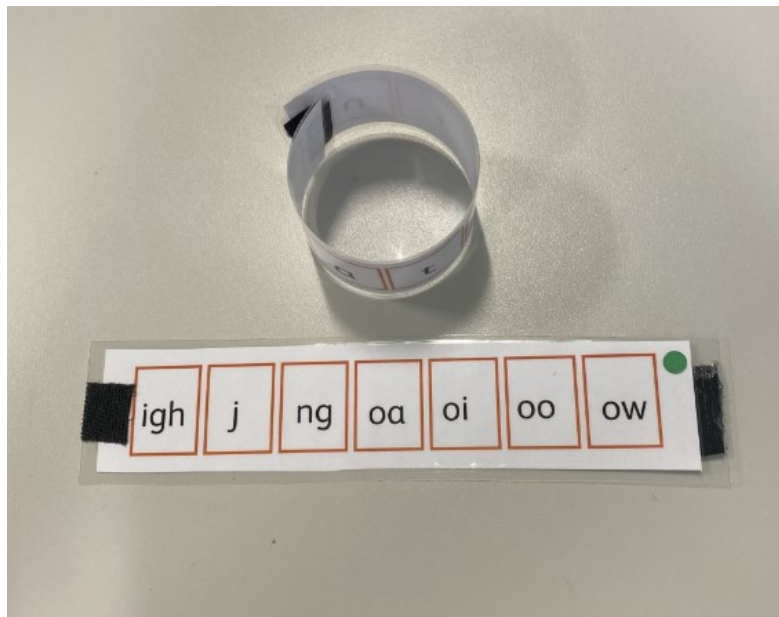
**Where can I use this story kit? We suggest using the Fossils and Dinosaurs gallery or the Ice Age to Iron Age Gallery. Once you've finished, please ensure all items are placed back in the suitcase and is stored under the stairs in the butterfly corner or left with staff at the front desk.**

# Phonics Wristbands

**Where can I use the phonics wristbands?** These phonics wristbands can be used in any gallery.

**What phases are the phonics wristbands?** Wristbands are available from phases 2, 3 and 5.

**How do I use these wristbands?** Wear the wristband and turn it to the sound you'd like to practice or use.



## Activity Ideas

- **Spin the wristband to read all the sounds.** Pick a character from the story and read the sounds like the character.
- **Phonics detectives:** Pick a sound and find an object or animal that has the sound in the name.
- **Object detectives:** Find an object and check, does it include any of the sounds on your wheel?

## Rock Investigators!

### What type of Rock is Old Rock?

Rocks can be sorted into the following categories:

- Igneous
- Sedimentary
- Metamorphic

Now match the definitions of these rocks.

**Challenge:** What type of rock was Old Rock in the story?

## It's Not Rock-et Science

### Sorting Challenge

#### Task

Sort the examples of everyday objects into whether they are made from rock or not. If you find an object that could be both, place it in the middle of the grid.

**Challenge:** Take a walk and count how many objects you can find that are made from rock. Can you show a friend the best example you found?