

Rocket Phonics Outdoors Treasure Hunt Bonus

Children will have fun reading the clues and finding the treasure in this Rocket Phonics Treasure Hunt Bonus. Each clue is two-sided. One side is printed with regular type, and tells you where to hide the clue. The backside has the same clue with Rocket Phonics' unique prompts, or helpers.

Children all ages can join in the hunt. Even if your child is just starting to read, your child can read the clues – if your child has learned the 36 symbols of English from the Rocket Phonics Play & Read cards or the Rocket Phonics kit. Children already reading can just read the side with the plain clue. Your children will love the independence of reading the clues on their own.

What you will need: sticky tape, scissors. Treasure included for four children.

Instructions to the parent or leader:

1. Preview all clues before starting. Make sure you have in your hunt area the items named in the clues (for example, a TV, a closet door, and a Yellow Pages book). If you don't have an item, change the clue to an item you do have, such as a radio. OR draw or find a picture of that object and put the clue under that picture.
2. Notice that the introduction and each clue tell you where to put each clue.
3. Cut the clues apart. Depending on the number of children playing, you can split the introduction in two parts or not. Children all like to have an equal number of turns reading, so try to arrange that. If the turns aren't equal, just let them know ahead.
4. Hide the clues and treasure where each clue directs. Here is where they go:

Introduction: hold to give to first reader

Clue 1: Put on a stair

Clue 2: Put under blue paper or cloth or other blue object

Clue 3: Put on a rug, especially under a chair, table or sofa

Clue 4: Put on the back door

Clue 5: Put on a tree

Clue 6: Put under some sticks

Clue 7: Put under a plant

Clue 8: Put by or on the sidewalk

Clue 9: Put in the grass

Clue 10: Put under a bush

Clue 11: Put beside a flower

Clue 12: Put under a rock

Treasure: Put paper with treasure in mailbox or with picture of mailbox

5. Ask your children to read the clues aloud. You can have them read the clues either with or without helpers (prompting).

For more, see ***Treasure Hunt Instructions and Tips*** in your Rocket Phonics kit.

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Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt Clues

Treasure Hunt Tips: This hunt takes your child outside. If you don't have some of the objects named in the hunt, you can use a picture or drawing of the object, or a paper with that word written on it. Read the clues with or without helpers. Have fun!

Introduction

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Are you in the mood to have fun?

o oo oo

We sure hope so! Because now you will run --

ea sh oa oa i k o z oo

And look for clues, and win a prize.

ou oa k oo z ie

Almost ready? You'll need sharp eyes.

o oa ea oo ea o ie z

To Find Clue One

oo ie k oo wu

To find Clue One go right to a stair.

oo ie k oo wu oa ie oo ay

Look carefully, and you'll see it there.

ou kay ea oo ea ay

Clue # 1

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

You're off to a great start! Now on to Two.

oo oo ay o oo oo

Don't go far. Clue 2 is under something blue.

oa oa o k oo z u oo

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Hand introduction to the first reader

Clue # 1

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

You're off to a great start! Now on to Two.

Don't go far. Clue 2 is under something blue.

(Put on a stair.)

Clue # 2

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Good for you! For Clue # Three look on a rug.

ou oa oo oa k oo ea ou

To see it, you may need to get down low, like a bug!

oo ea oo ea oo oa ie

Clue # 3

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Very nice. Next, let's head for # Four.

ea ies ks oa oa

It's easy to spot -- it's on the back door.

zea oo oa

Clue # 4

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Yay for you! For Clue #5, go outside and see,

oa oo oo k oo oa ow ie ea

There you will find it -- it's on a tree.

ay oo ie ea

Clue # 5

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Well done! Now look carefully for Clue # Six.

u ou kay ea oa k oo ks

It's not in sight, because it's under some sticks.

ie i k o z u

Clue # 2

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Good for you! For Clue # Three look on a rug.

To see it, you may need to get down low, like a bug!

(Put under blue paper or cloth or other blue object.)

Clue # 3

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Very nice. Next, let's head for # Four.

It's easy to spot -- it's on the back door.

(Put on a rug, especially under a chair, table or sofa.)

Clue # 4

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Yay for you! For Clue #5, go outside and see,

There you will find it -- it's on a tree.

(Put on the back door.)

Clue # 5

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Well done! Now look carefully for Clue # Six.

It's not in sight, because it's under some sticks.

(Put on a tree.)

Clue # 6

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Very good! You'd find Clue Seven if you were an ant.
ea ou oo ie k oo oo u

An ant might climb on it, since it's under a plant.
ie k ie s

Clue # 7

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Terrific! Now walk, walk, walk, to Clue # Eight
k o o o oo k oo ay

It's where the sidewalk is nice and straight.
ay ie o z ies ay

Clue # 8

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Super! You're going through this hunt mighty fast.
oo oa oo ie ea

Next find Clue 9 partly hidden in the grass.
ks ie k oo o ea

Clue # 9

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Good job! Where is Clue 10? You may well wonder.
ou ay z k oo oo u

You'll see it when you look at the bush it is under.
oo ea oo ou ou z

Clue # 6

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Very good! You'd find Clue Seven if you were an ant.

An ant might climb on it, since it's under a plant.

(Put under some sticks.)

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(Put by or on the sidewalk.)

Clue # 9

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Good job! Where is Clue 10? You may well wonder.

You'll see it when you look at the bush it is under.

(Put in the grass.)

Clue # 10

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Nice! You have great Treasure Hunt Power!

ie s oo ay zh

Now find Clue Eleven beside a flower.

ie k oo i ie

Clue # 11

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

Very fine! To find Clue Twelve you might need to dig.

ea ie oo ie k oo oo ie ea oo

It's under a rock, but the rock's not too big!

Clue # 12

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

k oo

This clue leads you right to your prize

k oo z oo ie oo ie

Look inside a mailbox -- use those sharp eyes!

ou ie ay ks yooz oa z o ie z

Hooray for you

oa oo

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

for reading that was well done.

oa uz u

We hope this outdoors treasure hunt was fun!

ea oa ow oa z zh uz

Clue # 10

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Nice! You have great Treasure Hunt Power!

Now find Clue Eleven beside a flower.

(Put under a bush.)

Clue # 11

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

Very fine! To find Clue Twelve you might need to dig.

It's under a rock, but the rock's not too big!

(Put beside a flower.)

Clue # 12

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

This clue leads you right to your prize

Look inside a mailbox -- use those sharp eyes!

(Put under a rock.)

Hooray for you

Bonus Outdoors Treasure Hunt

for reading that was well done.

We hope this outdoors treasure hunt was fun!

Put with treasure in mailbox or with picture of mailbox