## Phonics: air, ear, are

- Look at the word
- Say each phoneme (look for digraphs/trigraphs and split digraphs)
- Blend them together to read the word
e.g. sheep would be sh ee p then say sheep.


| bear | grass |
| :--- | :--- |
| snow | chair |
| door | hunter |
| stairs | ears |
| stream | fair |
| flare | hair |
| seed | town |
| care | flower |
| dog | fairy |
| sister | plant |

## Can you read the sentences?

The bear ran up the stairs.
Goldilocks has very long hair.
The fairy has sparkles in her hair.

You might want to discuss how 'ear' can make 'ear' like in 'bear' but also 'ear' like in 'hear.' The way to decide is if the word makes sense. (If they were reading alien words we would let them use either way of saying it.)

