



Call out a child's name and make up a fun sentence starting with the name

Tamsin's top tap, Sophia's soapy suds use the bathroom word labels to help prompt

Ask the children to think up similar sentences for their own names to share with others



Have a feely bag hung up on a hook or on a high shelf with items in it beginning with the same initial sound. Show the objects one at a time singing 'What have we got in the box today?' Emphasis the initial sound e.g. t-t-t-toothbrush, t-t-t-tap



Play at making faces and copying movements of the lips and tongue.

Introduce sound making using the bathroom mirror the mirror and discuss the way the lips move, for example, when sounding out 'p' and 'b', the way that tongues poke out for 'th', the way teeth and lips touch for 'f' and the way the lips shape the sounds 'sh' and 'm'



- Have a little was wash bag or net with objects in starting with the same to stimulate conversation
- Hide objects in a bubbly sink and talk about the initial sounds



Make up little phrases to say when washing hands e.g.
Slide soft soap suds
Trickling taps tip top tip top
Splish splash, splish splash



Alien hand washing chant -
"Which alien is washing his hands today?"
"Hog Hun Hick Hay"