

# WHAT IS THIS?

It's a low-prep room transformation!



Simply print the 10 phonics activities, put up a few included decor items, and you're ready for a great day!



This themed learning day has 10 centers that all give phonics practice with R blends.

You can use 1, 5, or all 10--it's flexible!

Room transformations can be stress-free and low-prep.

Keep scrolling to learn how!



# Let's start with the basics...

## What is a classroom transformation?

A classroom transformation changes your room into a certain setting or theme to engage students in their own learning with rigorous content.



Donut Shop Day



Rock Star Day



Camping Day

You don't have to spend hours of your time setting up a room transformation or spend lots of money to make it **SO MUCH FUN!**

# STEP 1:

Tell your class they are in a grocery store today!

They will complete R blend activities set up around the room. You can do this for a day, a few days, or over the course of a week!



**Grocery Day**

Center #1	<input type="checkbox"/>	Center #6	<input type="checkbox"/>
Center #2	<input type="checkbox"/>	Center #7	<input type="checkbox"/>
Center #3	<input type="checkbox"/>	Center #8	<input type="checkbox"/>
Center #4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Center #9	<input type="checkbox"/>
Center #5	<input type="checkbox"/>	Center #10	<input type="checkbox"/>

Name: Freya

**This or That?**  
Circle the correct picture in each box.

trophy	crow	trim	crust
draw	grin	prize	princess
from	grin	grasshopper	front

Flexibility is key.

Need to modify? No problem!

Choose how many centers students will need to complete and what time frame they have to meet YOUR needs.



Set-up is quick and easy.

Simply print the posters, 10 activities, and a recording sheet for each student. Place them around your room and you're ready to begin!



# STEP 2:

Let students move around the room and complete each center. They can be completed in any order. All centers include practice with R blends. Some centers also include phonemic awareness skills such as rhyming, identifying sounds, blending phonemes, phoneme addition/removal/substitution, and more!

## Optional Recording Sheet

When a student finishes a center, you sign that spot on their recording sheet to keep track of what they've completed.

## Freedom to choose.

Students can work in partners, rotations, groups, or independently. Your choice!

The image displays two educational worksheets. The top worksheet, titled "Grocery Day", features a brown paper bag filled with various grocery items. To the right of the bag is a grid for tracking completion, with boxes for Center #1 through Center #10. The box for Center #4 contains the letters "FA" in pink. Below the grid is a line for the student's name. The bottom worksheet, titled "This or That?", is for a student named Freya. It contains a 3x4 grid of word pairs, each with two corresponding illustrations. The words and their illustrations are: trophy (trophy and crown), crow (crow and chicken), trim (hairbrush and grapes), crust (pizza and pie), draw (drawing and girl), crown (crown and crown), prize (prize and crown), princess (princess and crown), from (from and from), grin (grin and grin), grasshopper (grasshopper and grasshopper), and front (front and front). The bottom right corner of the worksheet has the text "THE LIFETIME LEARNER".

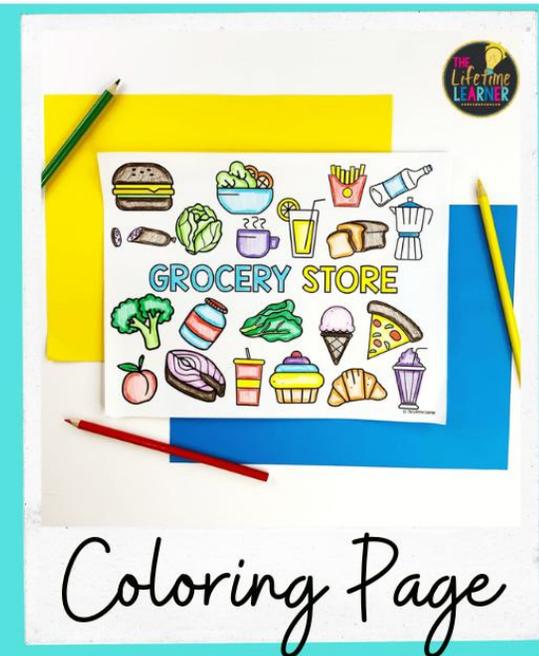
# STEP 3:

When students finish all activities you've assigned, they win! You can give them the included certificate, coloring page, or a small prize of your choice.

A shopping guide is also included to give you suggestions of optional "extras" you could add in.

## Remember:

Anything different from a "normal" day in the classroom is special to students! A reward at the end isn't required during a classroom transformation.





# THE CONTENT:

10 high-interest centers  
in 2 formats: hands-on & no prep!

## Hands-On Centers

I want  .		 cr
My dog is  .		 br
Her hat is  .		 gr
You have a  .		 pr

You can use the "Hands-On" Centers where students can manipulate and move pieces around. These are easy to laminate and can be reused for years to come.

## No-Prep Printables

Name: Seth

### COLOR IT IN

Color each box the correct color.

br-	gr-	cr-	pr-	fr-	dr-	tr-
red	orange	yellow	green	blue	purple	brown

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Or, you can use the "No-Prep Printables" where you simply print and go!

Some teachers use BOTH together!

# CENTER 1

## Pairs Activity

gr-	ill	fr-	og
gr-	in	cr-	ib
dr-	um	cr-	ack

Cut the cards out. Have students put the correct sides together. THE LIFETIME LEARNER

tr-	ap
br-	ush
tr-	uck

Students put the two sides together to form each word.

## 2 VERSIONS:

**V1:**

tr-	ap	br-	ick
tr-	ash	br-	ush
tr-	uck	tr-	im

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**V2:**

trap	ap	brick	ick
trash	ash	brush	ush
truck	uck	trim	im

Cut the cards out. Have students put the correct sides together. THE LIFETIME LEARNER

Version 1:  
Beginning Blends

Version 2:  
Full Word and Picture

# CENTER 2

## 5 Piece Puzzles

starts with cr

crane	crack	crown	crab
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starts with dr

drum	drink	dress	drive
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Students put each puzzle together.

## 2 VERSIONS:

**V1:**

starts with fr

frog	fridge	frown	fruit	fries
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starts with gr

grass	grandpa	groundhog	grandma	grapes
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Cut the puzzles out for students to put back together. THE LIFETIME LEARNER

**V2:**

starts with fr

frog	fridge	frown	fruit	fries
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starts with gr

grass	grandpa	groundhog	grandma	grapes
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Cut the puzzles out for students to put back together. THE LIFETIME LEARNER

Version 1:  
Picture & Word Given

Version 2:  
Picture Given

# CENTER 3

## Put a Fruit!

It is an ice cream cone.		cr
My dog is brown.		br
Her hat is green.		gr
You have a gift.		pr

Put the correct blend next to each sentence.

## 2 VERSIONS:

<b>V1:</b>		

<b>V2:</b>	Can you  me?	
Will you  that on?		
it up.		
The  is big.		

Version 1:  
Picture given

Version 2:  
Sentences

# CENTER 4

## Missing Letters

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Add the Letters

1.  _____	2. _____	3. _____	4.  _____
5.  _____	6. _____	7. _____	8.  _____
9.  _____	10. _____	11. _____	12.  _____

Write 1 letter in each box to show each blend.

Students fill in the missing letters on each task card.

## 2 VERSIONS:

<b>V1:</b>	_____ y _____	_____ e e z e r _____
_____	_____ o w _____	_____ e t z e l _____
_____	_____	_____

<b>V2:</b>	The _____ y i n g pan is hot.	I go to the _____ e e z e r.
_____	It will _____ o w in the _____ e t z e l.	I have a _____ e t z e l.
_____	pot. _____	_____

Version 1:  
Words

Version 2:  
Sentences

# CENTER 5

## Cut and Paste

**CUT AND PASTE**

	<input type="text"/>	ies		<input type="text"/>	osting
	<input type="text"/>	ackers		<input type="text"/>	cr umbs
	<input type="text"/>	etzel		<input type="text"/>	ink
	<input type="text"/>	apes		<input type="text"/>	ead

gr  fr br fr cr dr pr



Cut and paste each box where it belongs.

## 2 VERSIONS:

**V1: CUT AND PASTE**

	<input type="text"/>	ies		<input type="text"/>	osting
	<input type="text"/>	ackers		<input type="text"/>	umbs
	<input type="text"/>	etzel		<input type="text"/>	ink
	<input type="text"/>	apes		<input type="text"/>	ead

gr cr fr br fr cr dr pr

Cut the blends out. Glue them where they belong.

Version 1:  
Beginning Blend

**V2: CUT AND PASTE**

	<input type="text"/>			<input type="text"/>	
	<input type="text"/>			<input type="text"/>	
	<input type="text"/>			<input type="text"/>	
	<input type="text"/>			<input type="text"/>	

crumb grapes bread frosting  
pretzel drink fries crackers

Version 2:  
Full Word

# CENTER 6

## Sorting Game

fr gr cr tr

freezing frying pan grow grade cry crash trace trap train trail

grip groom crib cricket

Sorting cards:                   

Students sort each card onto the correct mat.

## 2 VERSIONS:

**V1:**

		
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**V2:**

		
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Sorting cards:                              

Version 1:  
Find the exact phrase.

Version 2:  
Find the sound.

# CENTER 7

## This or That?

	tr	 A.	
	cr	 B.	
	tr	 C.	
	cr	 D.	

Students put a checkmark on the side with the correct answer.

## 2 VERSIONS:

<b>V1:</b>		tr	 A.
		cr	 B.
		tr	 C.
		cr	 D.

<b>V2:</b>		trophy	 A.
		crow	 B.
		trim	 C.
		crust	 D.

Version 1:  
Beginning Blend

Version 2:  
Word

# CENTER 8

## Rhyming Sort

Find 4 items that rhyme with the word in the cart.

Rhymes with grape

Find 4 items that rhyme with the word in the cart.

Rhymes with tray

Find 4 items that rhyme with the word in the cart.

Rhymes with drink

Find 4 items that rhyme with the word in the cart.

Rhymes with bread

Students sort each card onto the correct mat.

## 2 VERSIONS:

<b>V1:</b>				
	bed	red	head	fed

Find 4 items that rhyme with the word in the cart.

Rhymes with bread

<b>V2:</b>				
	bed	red	head	fed

Find 4 items that rhyme with the word in the cart.

Rhymes with bread

Version 1:  
Picture given

Version 2:  
Word & picture given

# CENTER 9

## the Beginning Sound Puzzles

#1 train  brain 

#2 frog  log 

#3 dry  cry 

Students put each 2-piece puzzle together.

## 2 VERSIONS:

V1: truck  duck 

V2: truck  duck 

#5 dress  press 

#5 dress  press 

#6 crow  grow 

#6 crow  grow 

Version 1:  
Word and Picture

Version 2:  
Picture Only

# CENTER 10

## Count the Syllables

#5      4  
How many syllables are in this word?

#2 drumstick 

#3 crackers 

Count the Syllables

#1	#2	#3	#4
			1
#5			#8
#4 bread 			#12

Write the number of syllables in each box.

Students decide how many syllables each word has.

## DON'T FORGET!

Name: Dave

### COUNT THE SYLLABLES

How many syllables does each word have? Color the correct tomato.

 broccoli	 1	 2	 3	 grapes	 1	 2	 3
 pretzel	 1	 2	 3	 crackers	 1	 2	 3
 fries	 1	 2	 3	 brownie	 1	 2	 3
 bread	 1	 2	 3	 drumstick	 1	 2	 3
 drink	 1	 2	 3	 frosting	 1	 2	 3
 fruit	 1	 2	 3	 groceries	 1	 2	 3

Head over to the "no-prep printables" file if you'd like to use the print-and-go page with this activity!

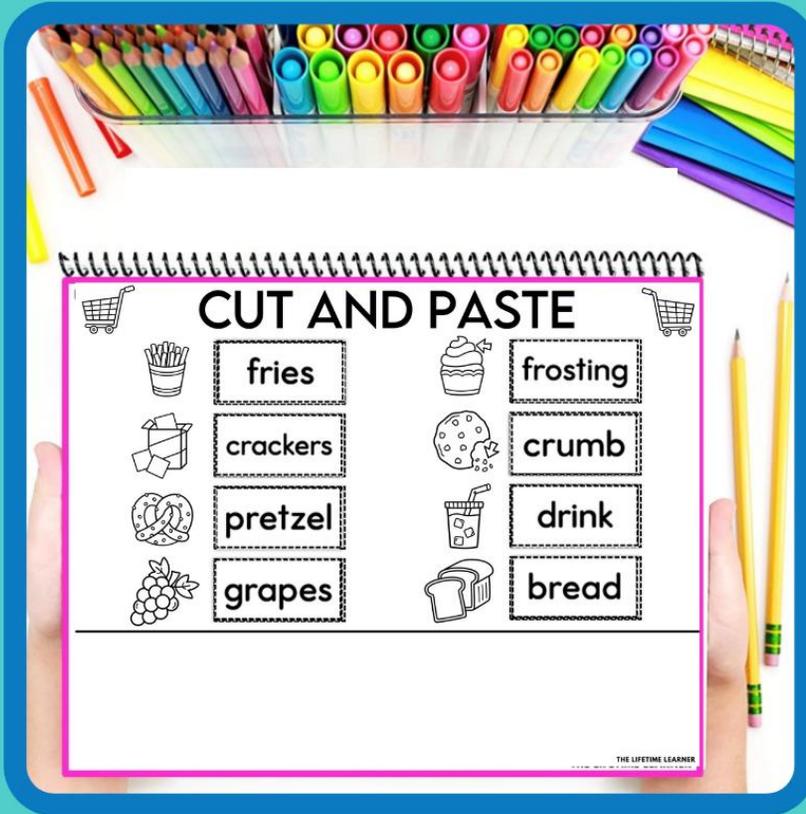
# HOW TO USE THIS:

## Ideas for Implementation:

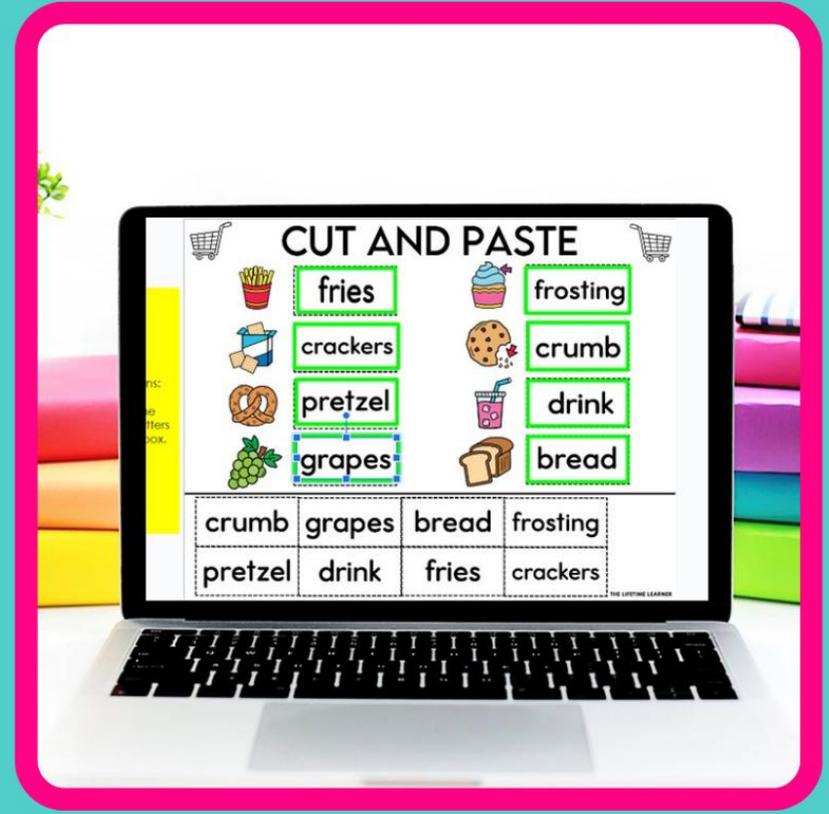
- pick and choose the centers you want to use: do what works best for your class!
- give less than 10 centers to students if you are short on time
- give students the whole day to complete all 10 centers/activities OR spread the room transformation out over a couple of days
- use the hands-on centers during your room transformation and the no-prep printables as a review during your reading block



# PRINT & DIGITAL



Print & Go



Google Slides

There is a digital version of the  
no-prep printables!

# The no prep printable questions are **100% editable!**

Name: Ced

### This or That?

Circle the correct picture in each box.

tr  	cr  	tr  	cr  
dr  	cr  	pr  	pr  
fr  	gr  	gr  	fr  

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Name: Ced

### This or That?

Circle the correct picture in each box.

tr  	cr  	tr  	cr  
dr  	cr  	pr  	pr  
fr  	gr  	gr  	fr  

edit any question!

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### Center #1



Type here  
Type here

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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10 Pre-Made  
Centers  
(Print & Go)

10 Pre-Made  
Centers:  
Editable Version

10 Blank Centers  
To Add Your  
Own Content

# 3 Versions Included

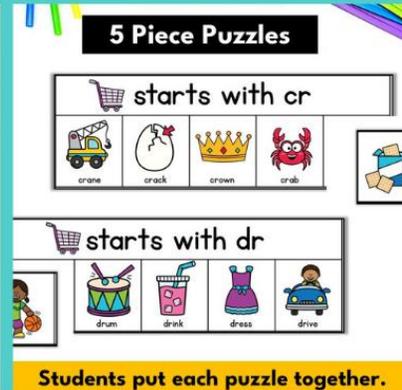
# WHAT'S INCLUDED?



10 Color & B/W Posters



Recording Sheets



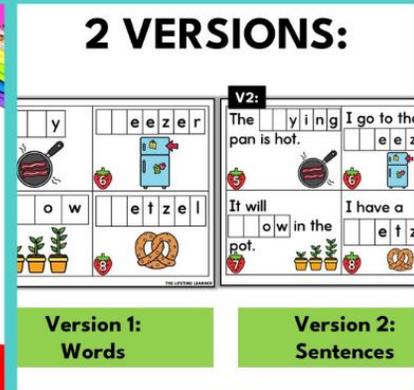
Students put each puzzle together.

10 Hands On Centers



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No Prep Printables



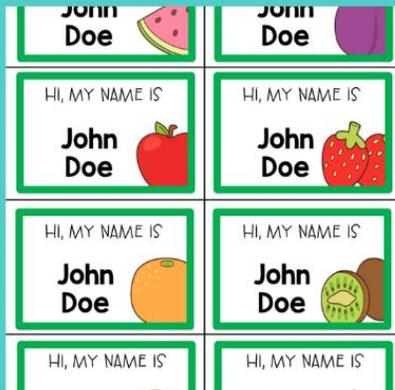
Version 1: Words

Version 2: Sentences

2 Versions of Most Activities



Printable Hats



Name Tags



Coloring Page



Folder Insert



Decor Posters

keep scrolling to see more!

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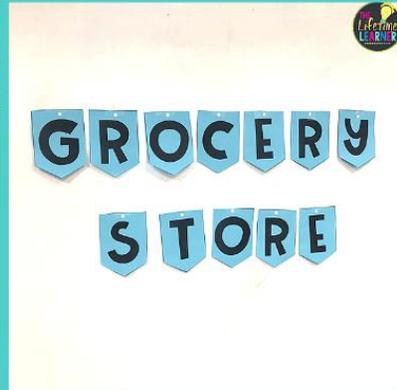


Welcome Slide



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Editable Versions



Banner



Certificate



Shopping Guide



Admission Tickets



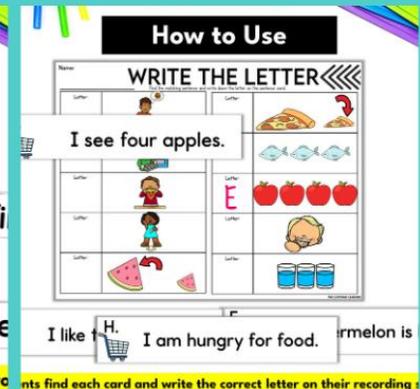
Digital Version



Answer Keys



Write the Room: Words



Write the Room: Sentences

jam-packed with fun, rigor, and engagement!

# other resources this pairs well with:

Differentiate by grabbing reading for multiple grade levels!

Or, add in some math to your themed learning day!

**GROCERY store** R blends

EDITABLE ROOM TRANSFORMATION

1ST GRADE PHONICS

By: The Lifetime Learner

This resource includes a grocery bag filled with produce and several activity cards: 'R BLEND PUZZLE', 'ADD THE LETTERS', 'COLOR THE RHYMES', and 'ROLL & FIND'. A large blue circle with the letter 'R' is prominent.

**GROCERY store** letter G

EDITABLE ROOM TRANSFORMATION

ALPHABET LETTERS

By: The Lifetime Learner

This resource includes a grocery bag filled with produce and several activity cards: 'ROLL & FIND', 'TRACE & WRITE', and 'COLOR BY CODE'. A large blue circle with the letter 'G' is prominent.

**GROCERY store** counting how many

EDITABLE ROOM TRANSFORMATION

KINDERGARTEN MATH

By: The Lifetime Learner

This resource includes a grocery bag filled with produce and several counting activity cards. A large green circle with the text 'counting how many' is prominent.

**GROCERY store** compare 2 digit numbers

EDITABLE ROOM TRANSFORMATION

1ST GRADE MATH

By: The Lifetime Learner

This resource includes a grocery bag filled with produce and several math activity cards. A large green circle with the text 'compare 2 digit numbers' is prominent.

**phonics** MEGA BUNDLE

CLASSROOM TRANSFORMATIONS

40 THEME DAYS! KINDERGARTEN

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This bundle features a grid of 40 colorful theme cards for kindergarten, including 'ARTIST', 'PARTY', 'SPACE', 'PIRATE', 'DETECTIVE', 'SCIENTIST', 'RESTAURANT', 'BENDSAUR', 'THE FLOOR', 'HAWAIIAN', 'ROCK STAR', 'REALTOR', 'GROCERY', 'FARMER', 'FALL', 'ROYALTY', 'HOSPITAL', 'PILOT', 'RACE CAR', 'ATHLETES', 'AFRICAN', 'BURGER', 'WEATHER', 'ICE CREAM', 'FARMER', and 'SPRING'. A large pink circle with 'MEGA BUNDLE' is at the top right.

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**math** MEGA BUNDLE

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# classroom transformations

## low prep, fun, and engaging!



1st grade math



2nd grade math



3rd grade math



4th grade math



5th grade math



kindergarten math

# K-5 MATH & READING



kindergarten reading



1st grade reading



2nd grade reading



GR 3-5 reading comprehension



3-5 reading add-on packs



alphabet letters

# THE LIFETIME LEARNER'S CLASSROOM TRANSFORMATIONS ARE:

1. Engaging to Students
2. Classroom Tested (and Student-Approved)
3. Print and Digital Compatible
4. Jam-Packed with Content
5. Aligned to Reading Standards
6. Easy to Implement
7. Flexible for Every Classroom
8. Versatile Ways to Reward Students
9. Rigorous Student Learning Activities

**All content is included** so you can simply **print**  
**and get ready** for an **AMAZING** experience  
**with your students!**

# Please Note:

- **There are 10 phonics centers and activities provided as well as décor and other extras!**
- **The digital version is provided in Google Slides.**
- **The hands-on centers are not editable. The no prep version is editable (except for the clipart).**
- **Nervous about trying your first room transformation? You'll be hooked once you try one! I promise!**
- **Feel free to contact me if you have questions or want to chat about room transformations! You can email me at [lindsaythelifetimelearner@gmail.com](mailto:lindsaythelifetimelearner@gmail.com)**