**My Phonics Mat**

I ran across a couple of wonderful ideas to teach phonics; however, being the person I am, these only got the wheels turning in my mind. I had to modify them, then modify them some more, until they were just what I wanted!

I am going to cut this out and adhere it to pretty patterned paper and then laminate one for each preschool student. We are going to use these for:

1. Letter writing with dry erase markers
2. Placing my ABC cards (another free download) onto mat and using our “Sally the Sound Snail” to help blend sounds together
3. Pointing out which letter in word makes the phonics sound dictated
4. Building words with our ABC cards by copying words from a card/poster
5. Finger tracing letters that we write onto the mat.
6. Whatever else I come up with!

I hope you enjoy this. As with all my creations, you are free to use them for your educational needs; however, you may not sell them or any finished product made from them. Thank you- Dari.

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