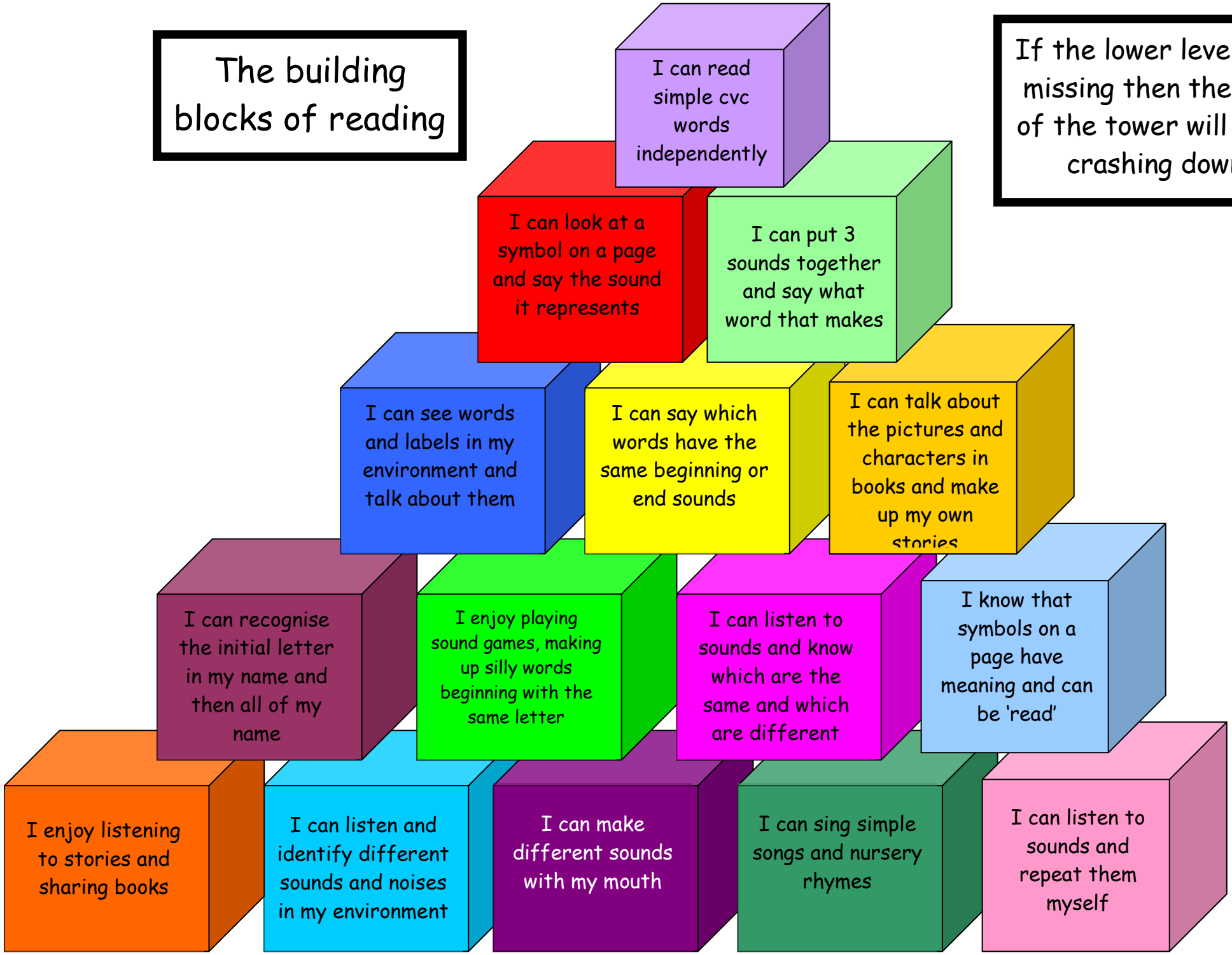
The building blocks of reading

If the lower levels are missing then the rest of the tower will come crashing down!