

KS1 READING PROGRESSION DOCUMENT

Year 1			
Aspect	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Applying Phonics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know when to use phonic knowledge to decode words. ▪ I read common words using phonic knowledge, where possible. ▪ I read words of more than one syllable that contain taught GPCs. ▪ I read phonically decodable texts. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know which parts of words can be decoded using phonics. ▪ I blend sounds in unfamiliar words based on known GPCs. ▪ I read words with familiar endings - s, es, ing, ed, er, est. ▪ I read words which have the prefix –un added. ▪ I read phonically decodable texts, with confidence. ▪ I divide words into syllables, for example, pocket, rabbit, carrot, thunder, sunset. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I hear and recognise all 40+ phonemes. ▪ I match all 40+ graphemes to their phonemes (Phase 3). ▪ I identify all 40+ graphemes in my reading. ▪ I know that words can have omitted letters and that an apostrophe represents the omitted letters. ▪ I find contractions in my reading. ▪ I read words with contractions. ▪ I read compound words, for example, football, playground, farmyard, bedroom.
Reading for Pleasure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know that there are different kinds of books. ▪ I know the difference between a story book and an information book. ▪ I can find the title, author and the illustrator of a book. ▪ I know some familiar stories. ▪ I recognise familiar story language. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I say what I like or dislike about a book. ▪ I say if a story reminds me of another story or something that I have experienced. ▪ I listen to others' ideas about a book. ▪ I find familiar story language in stories read aloud to me or ones I have read independently. ▪ I retell key stories orally using narrative language. ▪ I recognise rhyming language. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I say whether I agree or disagree with other's ideas. ▪ I say whether I agree or disagree with others' ideas. ▪ I say why I agree or disagree with ideas. ▪ I recognise repeated or patterned language. ▪ I recognise patterned language in the poems and rhymes I know. ▪ I know some poems and rhymes by heart.
Reading Accurately, with Fluency and with Understanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I use picture clues to support my understanding. ▪ I use picture cues to deepen my understanding. ▪ I identify the characters in a story. ▪ I recognise a character's feelings. ▪ I say why a character has a feeling. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I use prior knowledge to understand texts. ▪ I identify unfamiliar words and ask about meaning. ▪ I use the context to make informed guesses about the meaning of unfamiliar words. ▪ I make predictions based on the events in the story. ▪ I give an opinion about a character. ▪ I know that stories can have similar characters. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I discuss the meaning of unfamiliar words with others. ▪ I know that stories can have similar patterns of events. ▪ I make links to other stories. ▪ I make links with characters in other stories. ▪ I can answer retrieval questions about a book. ▪ I use information from the story to support my opinion. ▪ I understand that a writer can leave gaps for the reader to fill. ▪ I answer questions which fill the gaps in a story. (Inference)

Year 2

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Applying Phonics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I understand the importance of decoding words automatically. ▪ I understand that some words cannot be decoded with phonic strategies. ▪ I use the graphemes taught to blend sounds. ▪ I know that phonemes may be represented by different graphemes. ▪ I know that familiar words do not need to be sounded out and blended. ▪ I read these familiar words automatically and accurately without sounding or blending. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know that the same grapheme may be read in different ways. ▪ I recognise alternatives and consider which will make more sense. ▪ I recognise syllables in words. ▪ I know that breaking words into syllables helps fluent decoding. ▪ I know that other strategies can be used to read unfamiliar words. ▪ I use other strategies to support fluent decoding. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I read words of two or more syllables accurately. ▪ I read aloud books closely matched to my improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation. ▪ I read these books fluently and confidently.
Reading for Pleasure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know that there are different kinds of stories. ▪ I listen to or read a range of different kinds of stories. ▪ I make choices about the books I read. ▪ I know that non-fiction books are organised differently from fiction texts. ▪ I know that books or texts have a purpose. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I explain why I prefer certain books or stories. ▪ I can retell stories with the key events in the correct sequence. ▪ I can retell a story with the key events and the characters. ▪ I know how to find information in a non-fiction book. ▪ I identify the purpose of a book or a text. ▪ I know that books and stories are set in different places and times. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I decide how useful a non-fiction book is to find the information I need. ▪ I can find the setting or time in books or stories. ▪ I can discuss the setting or time in books.
Reading for Pleasure – Poetry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know the difference between poetry and narrative ▪ I know that there are different kinds of poetry. ▪ I listen to different kinds of poetry. ▪ I talk about books or poems read. ▪ I know that stories and poems can have patterned or recurring literary language. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I talk about the meaning of different poems. ▪ I recognise that a poem can tell a story. ▪ I learn a poem by heart. ▪ I give an opinion on books or poems read. ▪ I find patterned or recurring literary language in poems and stories. ▪ I find favourite words and phrases. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I recite or perform a poem making the meaning clear. ▪ I talk about favourite words and phrases. ▪ I know that word choice affects meaning. ▪ I can explain why a writer has chosen a word to affect meaning.
Reading Accurately, with Fluency and with Understanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know that the purpose of reading is to make meaning. ▪ I know that there is a range of decoding strategies. ▪ I check that text I read makes sense. ▪ I re-read when I have lost the meaning. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I self-correct when I have lost the meaning. ▪ I use prior knowledge and reading experiences to understand text. ▪ I use the context to understand texts. ▪ I ask questions to clarify understanding. ▪ I can find the answers to retrieval questions about stories, poems or non-fiction texts. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ I know what the inference - 'reading between the lines'- means. ▪ I find inferences about characters' feelings and thoughts. ▪ I can explain inferences about characters' feelings and thoughts. ▪ I give reasons for characters' actions or behaviour.

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| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ I recognise that a writer can have a message for the reader.▪ I can make predictions about possible events. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ I recognise key ideas in a text.▪ I can explain a writer's message.▪ I can make predictions about how characters might behave. |
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What the National Curriculum requires in reading at Y1

Word reading

- apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words
- respond speedily with the correct sound to graphemes (letters or groups of letters) for all 40+ phonemes, including, where applicable, alternative sounds for graphemes
- read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words containing GPCs that have been taught
- read common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word
- read words containing taught GPCs and –s, –es, –ing, –ed, –er and –est endings
- read other words of more than one syllable that contain taught GPCs
- read words with contractions [for example, I'm, I'll, we'll], and understand that the apostrophe represents the omitted letter(s)
- read aloud accurately books that are consistent with their developing phonic knowledge and that do not require them to use other strategies to work out words
- re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.

Comprehension

- develop pleasure in reading, motivation to read, vocabulary and understanding by:
 - listening to and discussing a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently
 - being encouraged to link what they read or hear read to their own experiences
 - becoming very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics
 - recognising and joining in with predictable phrases
 - learning to appreciate rhymes and poems, and to recite some by heart
 - discussing word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known
- understand both the books they can already read accurately and fluently and those they listen to by:
 - drawing on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher
 - checking that the text makes sense to them as they read and correcting inaccurate reading
 - discussing the significance of the title and events
 - making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done
 - predicting what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far
- participate in discussion about what is read to them, taking turns and listening to what others say
- explain clearly their understanding of what is read to them.

What the National Curriculum requires in reading at Y2

Word reading

- continue to apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words until automatic decoding has become embedded and reading is fluent
- read accurately by blending the sounds in words that contain the graphemes taught so far, especially recognising alternative sounds for graphemes
- read accurately words of two or more syllables that contain the same graphemes as above
- read words containing common suffixes
- read further common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word
- read most words quickly and accurately, without overt sounding and blending, when they have been frequently encountered
- read aloud books closely matched to their improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation
- re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.

Comprehension

- develop pleasure in reading, motivation to read, vocabulary and understanding by:
 - listening to, discussing and expressing views about a wide range of contemporary and classic poetry, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently
 - discussing the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related
 - becoming increasingly familiar with and retelling a wider range of stories, fairy stories and traditional tales
 - being introduced to non-fiction books that are structured in different ways
 - recognising simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry
 - discussing and clarifying the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary
 - discussing their favourite words and phrases
 - continuing to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear
- understand both the books that they can already read accurately and fluently and those that they listen to by:
 - drawing on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher
 - checking that the text makes sense to them as they read and correcting inaccurate reading
 - making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done
 - answering and asking questions
 - predicting what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far
- participate in discussion about books, poems and other works that are read to them and those that they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say
- explain and discuss their understanding of books, poems and other material, both those that they listen to and those that they read for themselves.