## Progression in Reading

<sup>\*</sup>EYFS outcomes taken from DfE EYFS proile - statutory requirements \*

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3/Year 4	Year 5/Year 6
Word Reading	Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs.  Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound- blending.  Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.	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	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.	Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) as listed in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words they meet.  Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word.	Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), as listed in English Appendix 1, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet.

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where these occur in the Read further common exception words, noting word. Read words containing unusual correspondences taught GPCs and -s, -es, between spelling and ing, -ed, -er and -est sound and where these occur in the word. endings. Read other words of more Read most words quickly and accurately, without than one syllable that contain taught GPCs. overt sounding and blending, when they have Read words with been frequently encountered. contractions (for example, I'm, I'll, we'll], and understand that the Read aloud books closely apostrophe represents matched to their improving phonic the omitted letter(s) knowledge, sounding out Read aloud accurately unfamiliar words books that are consistent accurately, automatically with their developing and without undue phonic knowledge and that hesitation. do not require them to use other strategies to Re-read books to build work out words. up their fluency and confidence in word Re-read these books to reading. build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.

## Comprehension

Develop pleasure in reading, motivation to read, vocabulary and understanding. Anticipate - where appropriate - key events in stories.

Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play. Listen to and discuss a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently.

Link what they are reading or heard read to their own experiences.

Become very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retell them and consider their particular characteristics.

Recognise and join in with predictable phrases.

Learn to appreciate rhymes and poems and recite some by heart.

Discuss word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known. Listen to, discuss and express 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.

Discuss the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related.

Become increasingly familiar with and retell a wider range of stories, fairy stories and traditional tales.

Be introduced to nonfiction books that are structured in different ways.

Recognise simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry. Listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, nonfiction and reference books or textbooks.

Read books that are structured in different ways and read for a range of purposes.

Use dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read.

Increase their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths and legends, and retelling some of these orally.

Identify themes and conventions in a wide range of books

Prepare poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing

Continue to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks.

Read books that are structured in different ways and read for a range of purposes.

Increase their familiarity with a wide range of books, including myths, legends and traditional stories, modern fiction, fiction from our literary heritage, and books from other cultures and traditions.

Recommend books that they have read to their peers, giving reasons for their choices.

			Discuss and clarify the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary.  Discuss their favourite words and phrases.  Continue to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear.	understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action.  Discuss words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination.  Recognise some different forms of poetry [for example, free verse, narrative poetry].	Identify and discuss themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing.  Make comparisons within and across books.  Learn a wider range of poetry by heart.  Prepare poems and plays to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone and volume so that the meaning is clear to an audience.
Comprehension Understanding	Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary.	Draw on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by a teacher. Check that the text makes sense as they read.	Draw on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher.  Check that the text makes sense to them as	Check that the text makes sense to them, discuss their understanding and explain the meaning of words in context.	Check that the book makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and exploring the meaning of words in context.

	Correct inaccurate reading.  Discuss the significance of the title and events.  Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done.  Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.	they read and correct inaccurate reading.  Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done.  Answer and ask questions.  Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.	Ask questions to improve their understanding of a text.  Draw inferences by inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence.  Predict what might happen from details stated and implied.  Identify main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarising these.	Ask questions to improve their understanding. Draw inferences by inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence.  Predict what might happen from details stated and implied.  Summarise the main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph, identifying key details that support the main
Comprehension	Participate in discussion about what is being read to them.	Participate in discussion about books, poems and other works that are read to them and those	Retrieve and record information from non- fiction.	Discuss and evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language,

Discuss and	Take turns and listen to	that they can read for	Participate in discussion	considering the impact
Explain	others.	themselves.	about both books that	on the reader.
			are read to them and	Distinguish between
	Explain clearly their	Take turns and listen to	those they can read for	statements of fact and
	understanding of what is being read to them.	what others say.	themselves.	opinion.
		Explain and discuss their	Take turns and listen to	Retrieve, record and
		understanding of books,	what others say.	present information
		poems and other		from non-fiction.
		material, both those		
		that they listen to and		Participate in
		those that they read for		discussions about
		themselves.		books that are read to
		W. C.		them and those they
				can read for
				themselves, building or
				their own and others'
				ideas and challenging
				views courteously.
				Explain and discuss
				their understanding of
				what they have read,
				including through
				formal presentations
				and debates,
				maintaining a focus on
				the topic and using
				notes where necessary

		Provide reasoned justifications for their views.
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