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40-60 Months							
 Continues a rhyming string. Hears and says the initial sounds in words. Segments the sounds in simple words and blend them together and knows which letters. Links sounds to letters naming and sounding the letters of the alphabet. Begins to read words and simple sentences. Uses vocabulary and forms of speech that are increasingly influenced by their experience of books. Knows that information can be retrieved from books and computers. Talks about a favourite book they have read. ELG (Expected) Children read and understand simple sentences. They use phonic knowledge to decode regular words and read them aloud accurately. They also read some common irregular words. They demonstrate understanding when talking with others about what they have read. ELG (Exceeded) Reads phonetically regular words of more than one syllable as well as many irregular but high frequency words. Uses phonic, semantic and syntactic knowledge to understand unfamiliar vocabulary. 							
	Describes the main events in the simple stories they have read.						
Year 1	Term 1 Year 1 Term 2	Year 1	Term 3 Year 1 Term 4	Year 1	Term 5 Year 1 Term 6		
1)	Knows when to use phonic knowledge to decode words.	1)	Knows which parts of words can be decoded using	1)	Hears and recognises all 40+ phonemes.		
2)	Reads common words using phonic knowledge, where		phonics.	2)	Matches all 40+ graphemes to their phonemes (phase 3).		
	possible.	2)	Blends sounds in unfamiliar words based on known	3)	Identifies all 40+ graphemes in their reading.		
3)	Reads words of more than one syllable that contain	- 1	GPCs.	4)	Knows that words can have omitted letter and that an		
	taught GPCs.	3)	Reads words with familiar endings –s, es, ing, ed, er, est.	->	apostrophe represents the omitted letters.		
4)	Reads phonetically decodable texts.	4)	Reads words which have the prefix –un added.	5)	Finds contractions in their reading.		
5) 6)	Knows there are different kinds of books. Knows the difference between a story book and an	5) 6)	Reads phonically decodable texts with confidence. Divides words into syllables, for example, pocket, rabbit.	6) 7)	Reads compound words, for example, football. Says whether they agree or disagree with others' ideas.		
0)	information book.	6) 7)	Says what they like or dislike about a book.	7) 8)	Recognises repeated or patterned language.		
7)	Can find the title, author and the illustrator of a book.	8)	Says if a story reminds them of another story or	9)	Recognises patterned language in known poems and		
8)	Knows some familiar stories.	5)	something they have experienced.	5)	rhymes.		
9)	Recognises familiar story language.	9)	Listens to others' ideas about a book.	10)	Knows some poems and rhymes by heart.		
10)	Uses picture clues to support understanding.	,	Finds familiar story language in stories read aloud to	11)	Discusses the meaning of unfamiliar words with others.		
11)	Uses picture cues to deepen understanding.	-	them or ones read independently.	12)	Knows that stories can have similar patterns of events.		
12)	Identifies the characters in a story.	11)		13)			
13)	Recognises a character's feelings.	12)	Recognisee rhyming language.	14)	Makes links with characters in other stories.		
14)	Can say why a character has a feeling.	13)	Uses prior knowledge to understand texts.	15)	Can answer retrieval questions about a book.		
		14)	Identifies unfamiliar words and asks about meaning.	16)	Uses information from the story to support an opinion.		
		15)	Uses the context to make informed guesses about the	1/)	Understands that a writer can leave gaps for the reader to fill.		
		16)	meaning of unfamiliar words.		to III.		
		TQ)	Makes predictions based on the events in the story.				

Year 2 Term 1 Year 2 Term 3 Year 2 Term 4 Year 2 Term 5 Year 2 Term 6 1. Understands the importance of decoding words automatically. 1. Knows that the same grapheme may be read in different automatically. 1. Reads words of two or more syliables accurately. 2. Understands the importance of decoding words accurately. automatically. 1. Knows that the same grapheme may be read in different automatically. 2. Reads aloud books closely matched to ther improvi phonic knowledge, sounding or unfamiliar words. 3. Uses the graphemes may be represented by different graphemes. 8. Recognises syliables in words. 8. Recognises syliables in words. <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th colspan="2">17) Gives an opinion about a character.18) Knows that stories can have similar characters.</th> <th colspan="3"> Answers questions which fill the gaps in a story (inference). </th>				17) Gives an opinion about a character.18) Knows that stories can have similar characters.		 Answers questions which fill the gaps in a story (inference). 			
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	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18.	automatically. Understand that som phonic strategies. Uses the graphemes Knows that phoneme graphemes. Knows that familiar w out and blended. Reads these familiar w without sounding or Knows that there are Listens to or reads a u Makes choices about Knows that non-fictio from fiction texts. Knows that books or Knows that books or Knows the difference Knows the difference Knows the are diffe Talks about books or Knows that stories ar recurring literary lang Knows that the purpo Knows that there is a Checks that reading r	e words cannot be decoded with taught to blend sounds. ta may be represented by different words do not need to be sounded words automatically and accurately blending. different kinds of stories. trange of different kinds of stories. the kinds of books they read. on books are organised differently texts have a purpose. between poetry and narrative. trent kinds of poetry. poems read. d poems can have patterned or guage. ose of reading is to make meaning. range of decoding strategies. nakes sense.	 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 	ways. Recognises alternatives more sense. Recognises syllables in 1 Knows that breaking we decoding. Knows that other strate unfamiliar words. Uses other strategies to Explains why they prefe Retells astories with the sequence. Retells a story with key Knows how to find info Identifies the purpose of Knows that books and s and times. Talks about the meanin Recognises that poems Learns poems by heart. Gives an opinion on boo Finds patterned or recu and stories. Finds favourite words a Self corrects when meaa understand text. Uses the context to und Asks questions to clariff Finds the answers to re poems, or non-fiction to Recognises that a write reader.	and considers which will make words. ords into syllables helps fluent egies can be used to read o support fluent decoding. er certain books and stories. key events in the correct events and characters. rmation in a non-fiction book. of a book or a text. stories are set in different places g of different poems. can tell a story. oks or poems read. irring literary language in poems nd phrases. ning is lost. nd reading experiences to derstand texts. y understanding. trieval questions about stories, exts. r may have a message for the	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16.	Reads aloud books clos phonic knowledge, sou accurately, automatica Reads these books flue Decides how useful a m information they need Finds the setting or tim Discusses the setting or Recites or performs a p Talks about favourite v Knows that word choic Explains why a writer h meaning. Knows what the infere Finds inferences about Explains inferences about Explains inferences about thoughts. Gives reasons for chara Recognises key ideas in Explains a writer's mes	sely matched to their improving unding our unfamiliar words illy and without undue hesitation. ently and confidently. toon-fiction book is to find the me in books and stories. If time in books. Doem making the meaning clear. Words and phrases. The areas affects the meaning. The areas affects the meaning. The areas affect of the meaning. The areas areas and thoughts. The areas and the areas and the areas and the areas affects or behaviour. The a text. The areas affect.
	Year 3	Term 1	Year 3 Term 2		·	Year 3 Term 4	Year 3	Term 5	Year 3 Term 6
1) Read books at an age-appropriate interest level 1) Read about a wide range of non-fiction subjects 1) Make meaningful contributions to discussions about			-		-	-		-	
				2) Begin to identify conventions of different types of writing,			books read to them and books they have read 2) Recognise some conventions of poetry, e.g. rhyming		
books they have reade.g. the greeting in letters / humbering in instructions2) Recognise some conventions of poetry, e.g. rhyming3) Briefly summarise the content of a paragraph3) Use the contents page to locate informationcouplets, repetition, alliteration,	books they have read			e.g. the greeting in letters / numbering in instructions					

4) Recognise the function of inverted commas They show me which words were spoken by the character 5) Ask questions to improve their understanding of a text 6) Read at a speed where they can focus on understanding rather than decoding individual words 7) Correct independent decoding of some words from the Years 3 & 4 word list (see National Curriculum, p64)	 4) Willingly participate in performances of poems and plascripts 5) Orally retell content from a range of books including fastories, myths and legends, focusing on the main events 6) Check that a text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding 7) Identify how presentation contributes to meaning The layout helped me to find the infol needed T bullet points showed me that it was a list The diagram helped me to understand 8) Recognise the use of pronout to avoid repetition she he they we us 9) With support, check meanings of words using a diction 10) Sometimes infer characters' feelings from what they she was annoyed because he shouted, "Leave me alone!" 11) Justify their views with support Describe favourite pa of the book – giving reasons – when prompted 12) Answer questions to retrieve facts from non-fiction texts 13) Correct independent reading of many words from the Years 3 & 4 word list (see National Curriculum, p64) 14) Correct independent reading of many words from the spelling work for Years 3 & 4 (see National Curriculum, p59-63) 	3) Perform poems and play scripts, beginning to show some understanding through intonation, tone, volume or action 4) Begin to use punctuation such as exclamation marks and questions marks to inform intonation used 5) Add detail when retelling stories, including brief descriptions of characters and settings 6) Explain why an author has used new paragraphs A change of time, place, topic or speaker 7) Predict how the story might end, based on similar stories read I think he will find his way home in the end		
Year 4 Term 1 Year 4 Term 2	Year 4 Term 3 Year 4 Term 4	Year 4 Term 5 Year 4 Term 6		
 1) Express opinions when participating in discussion about books read to them and books they have read 2) With support, use the index to locate information 3) Identify words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination The author used 'darted' to show how quickly it happened 4) Summarise some of the main ideas from a text 5) When prompted, check meanings of words using a dictionary 6) Explain why different subheadings have been used in nonfiction 	 Identify themes and conventions in a wide range of books I th the theme of this story is friendship / courage / loyalty The mora the story is that honesty is the best policy Independently use the index to locate information Confidently perform poems and play scripts, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action Orally retell content from a range of books including fairy stor myths and legends, including some detail and using newly-learn vocabulary from the text Summarise the main ideas drawn from more than one paragra Identify how structure contributes to meaning The order of events, e.g. flashback / 'twist' at the end of a story Headings / bu points Question and answer 7) Recognise plural possessive apostrophes girls' boys' children's Independently check meanings of words using a dictionary Infer the meanings of new words in context 10) Infer characte feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions You can tell the she was really angry 	 1) Recognise different forms of poetry, e.g. free verse, narrative poetry 2) Continue to identify conventions of different types of writing, e.g. use of 1st person in diary writing 3) Begin to provide voices for some characters 4) Identify how language contributes to meaning Literary devices e.g. simile / metaphor / rhetorical question Subject-specific / technical language Language for effect Addressing the reader (2nd person) Precise adjectives, e.g. 'scarlet' rather than 'red' 5) Infer characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, justifying inferences with specific evidence I know she was angry because it says, "She pushed her sister out of the way and stormed off." 6) Correct independent reading of all words from the Years 3 & 4 word list (see National Curriculum, p64) 7) Correct independent reading of all words from the spelling work for Years 3 & 4 (see National Curriculum, pp59-63) 		

		11) Predict what might happen from think they will run away because to 12) Justify their views independen because it meant she found her br 13) Answer questions to retrieve of Correct independent reading of m word list (see National Curriculum 15) Correct independent reading of work for Years 3 & 4 (see National	hey must be scared tly I think she did the right thing rother letails from fiction texts 14) ost words from the Years 3 & 4 , p64) of most words from the spelling		
Year 5 Term 1	Year 5 Term 2	Year 5 Term 3	Year 5 Term 4	Year 5 Term 5	Year 5 Term 6
reasonable speaking pace 2) Read outside of school for ple 3) Read aloud with appropriate i 4) Summarise and present a fam 5) Distinguish between statemen 2015, Messi was named World F time Opinion: Messi is the best f 6) Infer meanings of unfamiliar v read 7) Read most words efforth	ntonation to show understanding iliar story in their own words its of fact and opinion Fact: In ootballer of the Year for the fifth ootball player of all time words and discuss what they have essly 8) Automatically work out how b) Demonstrate an understanding of m the Year 5 and 6 spelling rules rriculum, pp66-7	 With encouragement, read a range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks Being to identify themes in fiction texts friendship loss revenge heroism Begin to learn some poems by heart Recommend books to peers, giving reasons for their choices 5) Take notes when reading a text and refer to them when explaining and discussing what they have read through a formal presentation or debate Discuss viewpoints (both of authors and of fictional characters) within a text and across more than one text. Show how the use of language differs Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning Literary devices e.g. simile / metaphor / rhetorical question The order of events Layout / bullet points Recognise and use the terminology: metaphor a blanket of snow 9) simile as brave as a lion to eat like a pig 10) Explain how suffixes affect the meanings of words -ant / -ance e.g. assistant à assistance -able -ible e.g. enjoyable possible 11) Retrieve information, referring to the text but providing short answers with little evidence or explanation provided Because it says that it was raining 12) Compare characters, referring explicitly to the ways they are described and to their actions 13) Demonstrate an understanding of the meanings of many words from the Year 5 and 6 spelling rules and spelling list (see National Curriculum, p66-72) Year 6 Term 4 		the terminology: 7) analogy Like a fish out of water on his shoulders 9) style Descripti 10) effect 'It makes the reader fee	ses, e.g. pleasure and finding in a wide range of writing ding on their own and others' eously for their views on a text the same event Recognise and use 8) imagery Golden sunlight rested ve / persuasive / narrative el angry' sed to join a prefix to a root word, co-ordinate co-operate re-enter compare different times and the setting, obstacles and other
Year 6 Term 1	Year 6 Term 2	Year 6 Term 3	Year 6 Term 4	Year 6 Term 5	Year 6 Term 6
 1) Express preferences about books e.g. genre, author, style, giving reasons 2) Rehearse and perform poems before a small audience, using appropriate intonation, tone, volume and gesture 3) Recognise similarities between texts Both texts use rhetorical questions to engage the reader 		1) Independently read a range of age appropriate fiction (including novels) and nonfiction1) Independently read a range of age appropriate some classic novels) and non-fiction and discus confidence2) Have read a range of fiction books and can identify some of their characteristics, e.g. myths, legends, traditional, modern, and books from other cultures 3) Read aloud with some intonation that shows understanding, going back to self-correct when appropriate1) Independently read a range of age appropriate some classic novels) and non-fiction and discus confidence		on and discuss the content with onation based on the ways in	

 4) Recognise the use of simile and metaphor, distinguish between them and identify why they were used in a text 5) Confidently ask appropriate questions to help when answering questions about a text 6) Correct independent decoding of most words from the Year 5 and 6 spelling rules and spelling list (see National Curriculum, pp66-72) 7) Demonstrate understanding of the meanings of most words from the Year 5 and 6 spelling rules and spelling list (see National Curriculum, pp66-72) 7) Demonstrate understanding of the meanings of most words from the Year 5 and 6 spelling rules and spelling list (see National Curriculum, pp66-72) 	Emphasising words and phrases Change of pitch to indicate exclamation / question' 4) Learn a wider range of poetry by heart 5) Summarise main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph, identifying key details and using quotations for illustration 6) Make comparisons within and across books. Both texts use emotive adjectives such as 'magnificent' and 'destructive' to persuade the reader. Both writers use exaggeration but to make different points Both writers make the same point but in very different ways to appeal to different audiences. 7) Evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader The idiom 'raining cats and dogs' is not meant to be taken literally, but it emphasises to the reader just how heavy the rain is. 'The crops begged for water' is an example of personification – giving human characteristics to the crops. 8) Routinely check meanings of words using a dictionary 9) Work out the meanings of words from the context 10) Infer meanings of new words from the context in which they appear 'Impertinent' must mean 'rude' because it says he was given detention for being impertinent 11) Predict what might happen next in a fiction text from details stated/implied We know he is clumsy so I think he will knock something over and wake his parents up 12) Make inferences about characters' feelings, thoughts and motives based on their behaviour & justify these inferences with evidence I know he didn't really want to go there because he walked slowly and 'took the long way around' 13) Quote from a fiction text in order to provide evidence of their understanding They are brothers because the text says, "Malcolm may have disappointed me but he was still my sibling." 14) Retrieve information from non-fiction texts, providing quotations where appropriate It says on page 4 that "ladybirds have as many as 22 spots"	 3) Provide consistent voices for a range of characters 4) Comment on the writer's use of language including vocabulary to create atmosphere The echoes 'rang up and down' before he 'stopped dead still.' This creates tension. 5) Retrieve information from fiction and non-fiction texts, providing quotations and detailed explanations to add weight to their responses Henry dislikes Sam because he responds 'reluctantly' and adds, 'But you owe me one!' – this demonstrates that he doesn't want to help her and is only doing it as a favour to his parents
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