

#### NATIONAL CURRICULUM **WORD READING COMPREHENSION** • Vocabulary Growth: Expanding their vocabulary through conversations, songs, and stories. • Listening Skills: Children should be able to listen to stories and respond to questions about them. • Sound Awareness: Beginning to recognize and play with sounds in words, including rhymes. • Interest in Print: Showing curiosity about books and print, including recognizing that text has meaning. • Storytelling: Beginning to tell their own stories and express ideas verbally. Phonological Awareness: Children should be able to listen to and recognize sounds in words, including rhyming Vocabulary Development: A growing vocabulary is essential, with an emphasis on understanding and using and syllable segmentation. new words in context. • Print Awareness: Recognising that print carries meaning and understanding basic concepts about books, such as • Comprehension Skills: Children should begin to understand stories, make predictions, and answer questions front and back covers. about texts. • Emergent Writing: Encouraging attempts at writing letters and words, fostering an understanding of how print works. • apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words • develop pleasure in reading, motivation to read, vocabulary and understanding by: • respond speedily with the correct sound to graphemes (letters or groups of letters) for all 40+ phonemes, listening to and discussing a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they including, where applicable, alternative sounds for graphemes can read independently • read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words containing GPCs that have been taught • being encouraged to link what they read or hear to their own experiences • read common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these • becoming very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retelling them and considering their occur in the word particular characteristics • read words containing taught GPCs and -s, -es, -ing, -ed, -er and -est endings recognising and joining in with predictable phrases • read other words of more than one syllable that contain taught GPCs • learning to appreciate rhymes and poems, and to recite some by heart • read words with contractions [for example, I'm, I'll, we'll], and understand that the apostrophe represents the • discussing word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known omitted letter(s) • understand both the books they can already read accurately and fluently and those they listen to by: • read books aloud, accurately, that are consistent with their developing phonic knowledge and that do not drawing on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher require them to use other strategies to work out words • checking that the text makes sense to them as they read, and correcting inaccurate reading • reread these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word 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 • continue to apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words until automatic decoding has develop pleasure in reading, motivation to read, vocabulary and understanding by: become embedded and reading is fluent listening to, discussing and expressing views about a wide range of contemporary and classic poetry, stories and read accurately by blending the sounds in words that contain the graphemes taught so far, especially recognising 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 alternative sounds for graphemes • read accurately words of two or more syllables that contain the same graphemes as above • becoming increasingly familiar with and retelling a wider range of stories, fairy stories and traditional tales read words containing common suffixes being introduced to non-fiction books that are structured in different ways • read further common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where recognising simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry these occur in the word discussing and clarifying the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary read most words quickly and accurately, without overt sounding and blending, when they have been frequently • discussing their favourite words and phrases • continuing to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with read aloud books closely matched to their improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear



	accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation  • reread these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading	<ul> <li>understand both the books that they can already read accurately and fluently and those that they listen to by:</li> <li>drawing on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher</li> <li>checking that the text makes sense to them as they read, and correcting inaccurate reading</li> <li>making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done</li> <li>answering and asking questions</li> <li>predicting what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far</li> <li>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</li> <li>explain and discuss their understanding of books, poems and other material, both those that they listen to and those that they read for themselves</li> </ul>
3&4	<ul> <li>apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) as listed in - see English appendix 1, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words they meet</li> <li>read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>develop positive attitudes to reading, and an understanding of what they read, by:</li> <li>listening to and discussing a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks</li> <li>reading books that are structured in different ways and reading for a range of purposes</li> <li>using dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read</li> <li>increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths and legends, and retelling some of these orally</li> <li>identifying themes and conventions in a wide range of books</li> <li>preparing poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action</li> <li>discussing words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination</li> <li>recognising some different forms of poetry [for example, free verse, narrative poetry]</li> <li>understand what they read, in books they can read independently, by:</li> <li>checking that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding, and explaining the meaning of words in context</li> <li>asking questions to improve their understanding of a text</li> <li>drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence</li> <li>predicting what might happen from details stated and implied</li> <li>identifying main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph and summarising these</li> <li>identifying main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph and summarising these</li> <li>identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning</li> <li>retrieve and record information from non-fiction</li> <li>participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say</li> </ul>
5&6	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	<ul> <li>maintain positive attitudes to reading and an understanding of what they read by:</li> <li>continuing to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks</li> <li>reading books that are structured in different ways and reading for a range of purposes</li> <li>increasing 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</li> <li>recommending books that they have read to their peers, giving reasons for their choices</li> <li>identifying and discussing themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing</li> <li>making comparisons within and across books</li> <li>learning a wider range of poetry by heart</li> <li>preparing 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</li> <li>understand what they read by:</li> </ul>



- checking that the book makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and exploring the meaning of words in context
- asking questions to improve their understanding
- drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence
- predicting what might happen from details stated and implied
- summarising the main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph, identifying key details that support the main ideas
- identifying how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning
- discuss and evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader
- distinguish between statements of fact and opinion
- retrieve, record and present information from non-fiction
- participate in discussions about books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, building on 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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COVERAGE							
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N	<b>Story Time</b> Naughty bus Meg and Mog No Dragons for Tea	Story Time  Real Superheroes  People who help us - Doctor,  Firefighter etc.  Cops and Robber	Story Time The Runaway Pancake Harry and His Bucketful of Dinosaurs Chinese New Year story	Story Time Slug in Love Love From the Crayons We're Going on an Egg Hunt George Saves the World by Lunchtime	Story Time Oliver's Vegetables Titch and the Sunflower The Tiny Seed Jaspers Beanstalk	<b>Story Time</b> Spinderella Starting School	
R	Story Time  Monkey Puzzle  Little Rabbit Foo Foo  Elmer  Rainbow Fish  Room on the Broom	Story Time Diwali Story Nativity Story Dragon post Each Peach Pear Plum Goldilocks and Just One Bear	Story Time Aliens Love underpants Smeds and the Smoos Non-Fiction texts about space Dinosaur Roar Aliens Love Dinopants	Talk Through Stories Mr Wolf's Pancakes We're going on a Lion Hunt Bringing the rain to Kapiti Plain Kitchen Disco	Talk Through Stories Twist and Hop Minibeast Bop Non-Fiction texts around life cycles The Teeny Weeny Tadpole	Talk Through Stories  My Name is Not Refugee  100 Decker Bus  Titch  Mr Gumpy's Outing  A Sailing Boat in the Sky  Julian is a Mermaid	
1	Talk Through Stories  Hugless Douglas  Where The Wild Things Are  Lost and Found  Can't You Sleep Little Bear	Talk Through Stories  Room on the Broom  Dogger  One Snowy Night	Talk Through Stories  Burglar Bill  Cop and Robbers  The Rapping Princess	Guided Reading Aliens Loves Underpants The Marvellous Moon Map Beegu	Guided Reading Farmer Duck Billy and the Beast The Wall and the Wild	<b>Guided Reading</b> The Invisible After the Fall Ruby's Worry	







A Walk in London by Salvatore



The Great Fire of London by Comprehension Ninja



Vlad and the Great Fire of London by Kate Cunningham



Can't You Sleep Little Bear? By Martin Waddell



Materials by Comprehension Ninja



The Polar Express by Chris Van Allsburg



The Girl and the Dinosaur by Hollie Hughes



How Plants Grow by Comprehension Ninja



Where Does My Food Come From? By Annabel Karmel



Lila and the Secret of Rain by **David Conway** 



**Animal Offspring** by Comprehension Ninja



Somewhere Over the Rainbow by Israel Kamakawiwoʻole



The Owl and the Pussy-Cat by **Edward Lear** 



The Further Adventures of The Owl and the Pussy-Cat by Julia Donaldson



Coasts by Comprehension Ninja



The Snail and the Whale by Julia Donaldson



The Seaside Holiday of the Past by Comprehension Ninja



When Lola Visits by Michelle Sterling



The First Drawing by Mordicai Gerstein



Goodbye Stone Age, Hello **Bronze** by Stone Times



The Secrets of Stonehenge by Mick Manning & Brita Granström



The Boy With The Bronze Axe by Kathleen Fidler



The Twits by Roald Dahl



Magnets by Comprehension Ninja



Faruq and the Wiri Wiri by Sophia Payne



**Your Growling Guts and Dynamic** Digestive System by Paul Mason



**Bloom** by Nicola Skinner



**Plants** by Comprehension Ninja

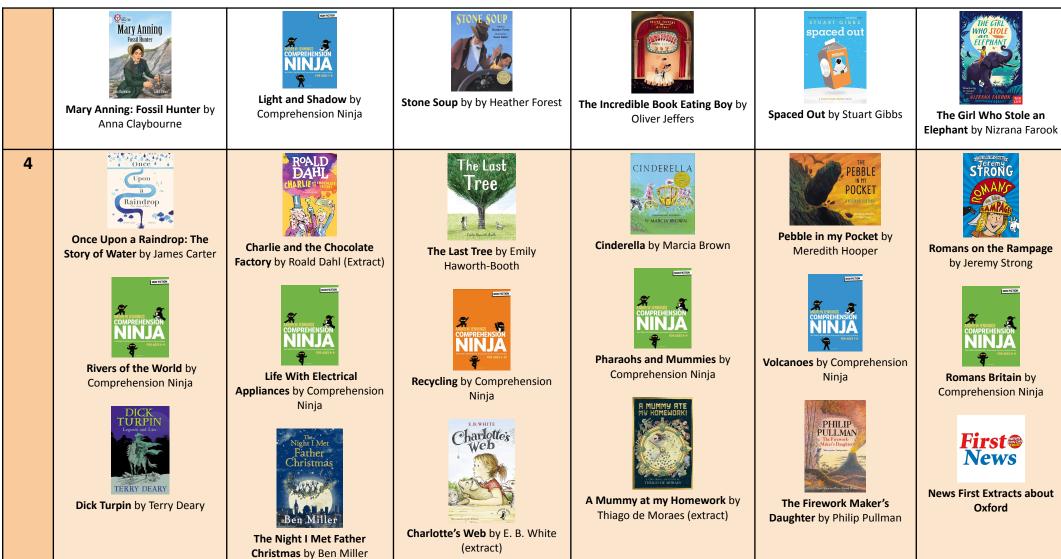


When the Mountains **Roared** by Jess Butterworth



Mountains of the World by Comprehension Ninja







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**Beowulf**By Michael Morpurgo



**Anglo Saxons** by Comprehension Ninja



**Odd and the Frost Giants** by Neil Gaiman



Stig of the Dump by Clive King



D'aulaires Book of Norse Myths by Ingri D'Aulaire



Vikings and Lindisfarne by Comprehension Ninja



**Hidden Figures**By Margot Lee Shetterly

#### **Non-Fiction and Fiction Texts:**

Hidden Figures extracts; The Week Junior 1969 moon landing NF article; space themed poem; space-themed songs; model BHPS magazine article on the 'hidden figures'



**King Kong** By Anthony Browne

#### **Non-Fiction and Fiction Texts:**

King Kong extracts; The Week
Junior Apes - Smartest Animals on
Planet NF article; The Alps
encyclopaedia article (needs
replacing with an NG Animal
Habitats article now the unit has
changed); First News Features of
Newspaper Reports NF article;
model BHPS King Kong newspaper
article



Anne Frank
By Josephone Poole and
Anglea Barrett

#### Non-Fiction

(Anne Frank diary and BBC Bitesize major UK cities)



Fantastically Great Women Who Changed The World by Kate Pankhurst



**Unspoken**By Henry Cole



**Fair Trade** by Comprehension Ninja



Who Let the Words Out?

By Joshua Seigal

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Running on Empty by S E Durrant

#### Non-Fiction

Collection of war-related texts e.g. war poetry, propaganda posters

#### Non-Fiction

Collection of olympic related texts



**Friend or Foe**By Michael Morpurgo





Uncle Montagues's Tales of Terror By Chris Priestley





Banksy: Art Breaks the Rules by Hettie Bingham

#### **Non-Fiction & Fiction**

Collection of urban development master plans (linked to Geog) and A Short History of Graffiti magazine article (Eng)



Percy Jackson & the Lightning
Thief
by Rick Riordan

#### **Non-Fiction & Fiction**

Collection of Ancient Greek texts: Ancient Greek inventions, myths and legends and Odyssey extracts



**The Explorer** by Katherine Rundell

#### Poetry

Tyger by Willam Blake, & selected poem from anthologies: Poems to Help You Save the World and Poems Aloud (by Joseph Coelho



Private Peaceful by Michael Morpurgo	Francis (animated film short) by  Dave Eggars		
WarHorse War Horse by Michael Morpurgo Non-Fiction	Gothic Poems The Raven by Edgar Allan Poe Spellbound By Emily Bronte  Non-Fiction & Fiction Collection of climate change related texts: poems, songs, news & magazine articles		
Collection of war-related texts			
e.g. war poetry, propaganda			
posters			

	NURSERY			
		Book Talk		
DAY 1 <b>Explore</b>	Can I explore a new text	<ul> <li>Print has meaning.</li> <li>Print can have different purposes.</li> <li>We read English text from left to right and from top to bottom.</li> <li>The names of the different parts of a book.</li> <li>Enjoy listening to longer stories and can remember much of what happens.</li> <li>Understand 'why' questions, like: "Why do you think the caterpillar got so fat?"</li> <li>Sing a large repertoire of songs.</li> <li>Know many rhymes, be able to talk about familiar books, and be able to tell a long story.</li> </ul>		
DAY 2 <b>Vocabulary</b>	Can I explore new <b>vocabulary</b> and participate in discussions?	<ul> <li>Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary.</li> <li>Pay attention to more than one thing at a time, which can be difficult.</li> <li>Use a wider range of vocabulary.</li> <li>Understand a question or instruction that has two parts.</li> </ul>		
DAY 3 Sequence/ Summarise	Can I retell stories and narratives?	❖ Page sequencing.		



### **Home Reading**

- Children take home a book of their choice from the School Library each week and also get to experience checking a book out of a library.
- ❖ In the Summer Term, children are introduced to the Level 1 Floppy's Phonics books in school but do not take these home.

### **Reading for Pleasure**

- Engage in storytimes.
- Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.
- ❖ Listen carefully to rhymes and songs, paying attention to how they sound.
- Learn rhymes, poems and songs.
- Engage in non-fiction books.

	RECEPTION & YEAR 1				
	Talk Through Stories				
DAY 1 Predict	Can I make verbal predictions about the text read?	<ul> <li>Anticipate – where appropriate – key events in stories.</li> <li>Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important.</li> <li>Ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them.</li> </ul>			
DAY 2 Vocabulary  Can I explore new vocabulary and verbally use it in a sentence?  Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during Learn new vocabulary.  Use new vocabulary throughout the day.  Use new vocabulary in different contexts.  Use new vocabulary in different contexts.  Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary.		<ul> <li>Use new vocabulary throughout the day.</li> <li>Use new vocabulary in different contexts.</li> </ul>			
DAY 3 Sequence/ Summarise	Sequence/ narratives in a sequential vocabulary.				
	Home Reading				



Children take home a Floppy's Phonics/Oxford Reading Tree fully decodable book at their level once a week:

- 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.

Children take home a second book of their choice from the School Library each week and also get to experience checking a book out of a library.

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#### **Reading for Pleasure**

'Love of Reading' sessions happen once/twice a term to celebrate different authors, discuss and compare books, authors and themes, etc. Story Times happen 3-5 times a week to expose children to a range of different text types:

- Listen to and discuss a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently. Regular opportunities to perform to other classes (one class to another or in Key Stage Assemblies):
- Learn to appreciate rhymes and poems, and to recite some by heart.

	YEAR 2 & YEAR 3				
		Guided Reading			
DAY 1 <b>Predict</b>	Can I make <b>predictions</b> about the text?	<ul> <li>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.</li> <li>Be introduced to non-fiction books that are structured in different ways recognising simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry.</li> <li>Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>			
DAY 2 <b>Vocabulary</b>	Can I discover new vocabulary in the text?	<ul> <li>Continue to apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words until automatic decoding has become embedded and reading is fluent.</li> <li>Read accurately by blending the sounds in words that contain the graphemes taught so far, especially recognising alternative sounds for graphemes.</li> <li>Read accurately words of two or more syllables that contain the same graphemes as above.</li> </ul>			



		<ul> <li>Read words containing common suffixes.</li> <li>Read further common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word.</li> <li>Read most words quickly and accurately, without overt sounding and blending, when they have been frequently encountered.</li> <li>Discuss and clarify the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary.</li> <li>Discuss their favourite words and phrases.</li> </ul>
DAY 3 Sequence/ Summarise	Can I <b>sequence</b> and <b>summarise</b> the events in the text?	<ul> <li>Discuss the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related.</li> <li>Become increasingly familiar with and retelling a wider range of stories, fairy stories and traditional tales.</li> </ul>
DAY 4 <b>Retrieval</b>	Can I <b>retrieve</b> information from the text to answer questions?	<ul> <li>Read aloud books closely matched to their improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation.</li> <li>Re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.</li> <li>Check that the text makes sense to them as they read and correct inaccurate reading.</li> </ul>
DAY 5 Inference	Can I make <b>inferences</b> about the text?	<ul> <li>Read aloud books closely matched to their improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation.</li> <li>Re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.</li> <li>Draw on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher.</li> <li>Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done answering and asking questions.</li> </ul>
DAY 6 <b>Explain</b>	Can I <b>explain</b> my own life experiences in context with the text?	<ul> <li>Read aloud books closely matched to their improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation.</li> <li>Re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.</li> <li>Continue to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear.</li> <li>Explain and discuss their understanding of books, poems and other material, both those that they listen to and those that they read for themselves.</li> </ul>

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- 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.

Children take home a second book of their choice from the School Library each week and also get to experience checking a book out of a library.

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### **Reading for Pleasure**

'Love of Reading' sessions happen once/twice a term to celebrate different authors.

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.

Story Times happen 3-5 times a week to expose children to a range of different text types:

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.

Regular opportunities to perform to other classes (one class to another or in Assemblies):

Continue to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear.

	YEAR 4 & YEAR 5			
		Guided Reading		
DAY 1 <b>Predict</b>	Can I make <b>predictions</b> about the text?	<ul> <li>Listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks.</li> <li>Read books that are structured in different ways and read for a range of purposes.</li> <li>Recognised some different forms of poetry [for example, free verse, narrative poetry].</li> <li>Predict what might happen from details stated and implied.</li> <li>Participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say.</li> </ul>		
DAY 2 <b>Vocabulary</b>	Can I discover new vocabulary in the text?	<ul> <li>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.</li> <li>Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word.</li> <li>Discuss words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination.</li> </ul>		
DAY 3 Sequence/ Summarise	Can I <b>sequence</b> and <b>summarise</b> the events in the text?	❖ Identify main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarise these.		
DAY 4 <b>Retrieval</b>	Can I <b>retrieve</b> information from the text to answer questions?	<ul> <li>Ask questions to improve their understanding of a text.</li> <li>Retrieve and record information from non-fiction.</li> </ul>		



DAY 5 Inference	Can I make inferences about the text?	<ul> <li>Draw inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence.</li> <li>Identify how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning.</li> </ul>
DAY 6 <b>Explain</b>	Can I <b>explain</b> my own life experiences in context with the text?	Check that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and explaining the meaning of words in context.
DAY 7 <b>Research</b>	Can I <b>research</b> a new text of a similar style or structure?	<ul> <li>Use dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read.</li> <li>Read books that are structured in different ways and read for a range of purposes.</li> </ul>
DAY 8 Identify	Can I <b>identify</b> themes from two similar texts and make comparisons?	<ul> <li>Listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks.</li> <li>Identify themes from a wide range of books</li> </ul>

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- \* Re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.

Children take home a second book of their choice from the School Library each week and also get to experience checking a book out of a library.

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### **Reading for Pleasure**

'Love of Reading' sessions happen once/twice a term to celebrate different authors.

- 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.
- Participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say.

Story Times happen 3-5 times a week to expose children to a range of different text types:

- 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.
- Listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks.

Regular opportunities to perform to other classes (one class to another or in Key Stage Assemblies):

Prepare poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action.



### YEAR 6

### Upper Key Stage 2 Guided Reading - Reading Aloud - First Part of Each Lesson

Each Guided Reading lesson starts with reading the text for the week aloud for fluency. The text might be a non-fiction text, an extract from a fiction book or non-fiction book (used in English lessons, or Story Time, or both) or a song, a poem or a playscript extract. Within the dual three-week cycle, the reading aloud element has its own cycle as below...

Reading Aloud for Fluency Day 1	Teacher Reading (I Do): The teacher reads the text to the class.	re
Reading Aloud for Fluency Day 2	Choral Reading (We Do): The teacher and class read the text together simultaneously, but with the children following the teacher closely.	leg
Reading Aloud for Fluency Day 3	Echo Reading (We Do): The teacher reads a line from the text, and the class echo the line back.	
Reading Aloud for Fluency Day 4	Children Reading (You Do): Children read a line at a time of the text in pairs, alternating.	

- ❖ Listen to and discuss a 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 familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths and legends, and retelling some of these orally
- Prepare poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action

### Upper Key Stage 2 Guided Reading – Main – Second Part of Lesson

The main parts of the Guided Reading lessons, based on the dual three-week cycles, consist of the following...

Six lessons developing comprehension skills	Using the VIPERS framework aligned with the Rosenshine Pedagogy
(Across Cycles 1 and 2)	Can I develop my vocabulary and use words in context?
	Can I make inferences about a text, supporting them with evidence?
	Can I make predictions about a text, providing alternatives and justifying my predictions?

Understand what they read, in books they can read independently, by:

- Checking that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and explaining the meaning of words in context
- Asking questions to improve their understanding of a text
- Trawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence
- Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied
- identifying main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarising these
- ❖ identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning



	Can I explain texts, making connections where relevant to my	Retrieve and record information from non-fiction:
	own experiences?	<ul> <li>Participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can</li> </ul>
	Can I locate and retrieve key information from a text?	Read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say.
		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.
Reading/book/text discussion and	For example	Develop a positive attitude to reading and understanding of what they read by:  Listening to and discussing a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and
exploration lessons	Can I explain <b>genre</b> , classify the text we are reading and justify my classification?	reference books or textbooks  Reading books that are structured in different ways and reading for a range of
(Cycle #1: 3 lessons)	Can I explain <b>conventions</b> , and identify the conventions of the	purposes  Increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories,
(Cycle 2: 1 lesson)	book we are reading?	myths and legends, and retelling some of these orally  Identifying themes and conventions in a wide range of books
	Can I compare and contrast key characters from two texts that I've read?	<ul> <li>Discussing words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination</li> <li>Recognising some different forms of poetry [for example, free verse, narrative poetry]</li> </ul>
	Can I <b>demonstrate knowledge</b> of common book themes, and suggest themes of the book we are reading?	Understand what they read, in books they can read independently, by:  Askin questions to improve their understanding of a text
		<ul> <li>Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives</li> </ul>
	Can I interpret a text from two different viewpoints?	from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence  identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning Participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say.
Two poetry lessons	e.g. Can I <b>identify</b> the <b>features</b> of poetry?	Maintain positive attitudes to reading and understanding of what they read by:  Continuing to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, plays,
•		non-fiction and reference books or textbooks
(ANALYSE, PERFORM)	Can I <b>explain</b> how a poet <b>creates meaning</b> through language?	<ul> <li>Learning a wider range of poetry by heart</li> <li>Preparing poems and plays to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding</li> </ul>



(Cycle 2)	Can I explain how a poet conveys mood through language choice?  Can I learn and recite poetry with confidence, clarity and expression?	through intonation, tone and volume so that the meaning is clear to an audience  Understand what they read by:  Checking that the book makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and exploring the meaning of words in context  Asking questions to improve their understanding  Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence  Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning  Discuss and evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader  Participate in discussions about books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, building on their own and others' ideas and challenging views courteously		
One extended reading lesson (Cycle #1)	An opportunity to engage with and read, independently, sections of longer key texts (e.g. chapter books the class are studying/reading in English lessons and Story Time sessions) and relevant wider reading.	<ul> <li>❖ Develop positive attitudes to reading and understanding of what they read by:</li> <li>❖ Reading books that are structured in different ways and reading for a range of purposes</li> <li>❖ Using dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read</li> <li>❖ Increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths and legends, and retelling some of these orally</li> <li>❖ Identifying themes and conventions in a wide range of books</li> <li>❖ Recognising some different forms of poetry [for example, free verse, narrative poetry</li> </ul>		
One reading book review lesson (Cycle #2)	An opportunity to share book recommendations, write a book review, write a blurb, etc	Understand what they read, in books they can read independently, by:  checking that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and explaining the meaning of words in context  asking questions to improve their understanding of a text  drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence  predicting what might happen from details stated and implied  identifying main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarising these  details identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning  Retrieve and record information from non-fiction		



		Participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say.					
One Oxford Reading Buddy quiz lesson  And  One End-of-Cycle Quiz lesson  (Cycles 1 and 2)	Can I demonstrate my increasing confidence as a reader - demonstrating my improved fluency, knowledge, skills and understanding?	Understand what they read, in books they can read independently, by:  Checking that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and explaining the meaning of words in context  Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence  Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied  Identifying main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarising these  Identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning  Retrieve and record information from non-fiction					

#### **Home Reading**

- Children take home an Oxford levelled book (and might also take a Big Cat) fully decodable book at their level once a week.
- Children take home a second book of their choice from the School Library for reading for pleasure each week and also get to experience checking a book out of a library.
- Children also have access to the School Library during selected lunchtimes weekly, to read for pleasure, undertake research, complete homework or take home additional books or read for pleasure.
- As a virtual extension of our BHPS Library, children have access, at school and at home, to a selection of Oxford e-books at their appropriate level of below, from a virtual library of 500, with audio support for levels 1-10, and reading comprehension strategy support via Reading Buddy avatars for all.

### **Reading for Pleasure**

- Children create book reviews and recommendations every short term that help to inform school and home reading for pleasure
- Story Time slots take place in class 3-5 times a week, exposing children to a range of different text types, and providing opportunity for them to hear texts modelled by and adult with clarity, intonation and expression:
- Regular opportunities to perform to other classes or adults (e.g. one class to another, or in Key Stage Assemblies, or in Year Group Performance Sharing Assemblies with parents)
- Children in UKS2 also have the opportunity to become assistant librarians in the school library



READING LEVELS									
	AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER				
N	FLOPPY'S PHONICS	FLOPPY'S PHONICS	FLOPPY'S PHONICS	FLOPPY'S PHONICS	FLOPPY'S PHONICS	FLOPPY'S PHONICS			
	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 1			
	(At the Farm)	(At Home)	(Fun at School)	(Out in Town)	(At the Park)	(At the Match)			
R	FLOPPY'S PHONICS		FLOPPY'S PHONICS		FLOPPY'S PHONICS				
	Level 1+		Level 2		Level 3				
1	FLOPPY'S PHONICS		FLOPPY'S PHONICS		FLOPPY'S PHONICS				
	LEVEL 4		LEVEL 5		LEVEL 5+				
2	OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY				
	LEVEL 6		LEVEL 7		LEVEL 8				
3	OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY				
	LEVEL 9		LEVEL 10		LEVEL 11				
4	OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY				
	LEVEL 12		LEVEL 13		LEVEL 14				
5	OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY				
	LEVEL 15		LEVEL 16		LEVEL 17				
6	OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY		OXFORD READING BUDDY				
	LEVEL 18		LEVEL 19		LEVEL 20				