Reception										
D	E	<u>R</u>	Ţ	<u>C</u>	Discussing reading	<u>Poetry and</u> performance	Familiarity with texts	Range of reading		
Identify the taught GPCs (the sounds that the letters make) including some digraphs. (LIT)	Talk about elements of a topic using newly introduced vocabulary (C&L)	Talk about and respond with questions to non- fiction books; recalling some facts with increasing explanation and vocabulary in response to questions.	To begin to interpret stories, rhymes and poetry; making suggestions for actions and events (images and text).(LIT)	N/A	Talk about and respond to stories (rhymes and songs) with actions, relevant comments, questions. Can share a favourite book with a peer, retelling the story in their own way repeating known phrases	To listen and sing nursery rhymes and songs, recalling whole songs and rhymes singing some independently and performing in groups / independently for others. (C&L)	Talk about and respond to stories, rhymes and poetry; recalling, sequencing and anticipating key events some as exact repetition and some in their own words. (LIT)	Read sentences made up of words with taught sounds and common exception words. (LIT)		
Blend the taught sounds to read CVC, CVCC and CCVC words. (LIT)		To talk about and respond to stories, rhymes and poetry; recalling, sequencing and anticipating key events some as exact repetition and some in their			from the text. Talk about and respond to stories, rhymes and poetry; recalling, sequencing and anticipating key events some as exact repetition and some in their own words.		To begin to interpret stories, rhymes and poetry; making suggestions for actions and events (images and text). (LIT)	Listen to, talk abour and respond to stories (rhymes and songs) with actions relevant comments, questions; recalling key events and innovating. (C&L)		
Read some taught common exception/ high frequency and familiar words. (LIT) Read sentences made up of words with taught sounds and common exception words. (LIT)		own words.			Begin to interpret stories, rhymes and poetry; making suggestions for actions and events.		To talk about and respond with questions to non- fiction books; recalling some facts with increasing explanation and vocabulary in response to questions. (LIT)	To use non-fiction books to develop new knowledge and vocabulary. (C&L)		

Year 1										
D	E	<u>R</u>	Ţ	<u>C</u>	Discussing reading	Poetry and performance	Familiarity with texts	Range of reading		
Apply phonic knowledge to decode words.	Discussing word meanings, linking new meanings to those already	Drawing on what they already know or on background	Discussing the significance of the title and events.	N/A	Participate in discussion about what is read to them, taking	Learning to appreciate rhymes and poems, and to	Becoming very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and	Listening to and discussing a wide range of poems, stories and non-		
Speedily read all 40+ letters/groups for 40+ phonemes	known.	information and vocabulary provided by the teacher.	Predicting what might happen on the basis of what		turns and listening to what others say	recite some by heart.	traditional tales, retelling them and considering their particular	fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently		
Read common exception words.			has been read so far.				characteristics.	,		
Read common suffixes (-s, -es, -		Checking that the	Making inferences		Explain clearly		Recognising and	Being encouraged		
ing, -ed, etc.)		text makes sense to them as they	on the basis of what is being said		their understanding of		joining in with predictable	to link what they read or hear read		
Read multisyllable words containing taught GPCs.		read and correcting inaccurate reading.	and done.		what is read to them.		phrases.	to their own experiences.		
Read aloud phonically- decodable texts.		reauling.								
Read contractions and understanding use of apostrophe.										
Read accurately by blending taught GPC.										

Year 2

<u>D</u>	E	<u>R</u>	Ī	<u>C</u>	Discussing reading	<u>Poetry and</u> performance	<u>Familiarity with</u> texts	Range of reading
Secure phonic	Discussing and	Drawing on what	Making inferences	N/A	Participate in	Continuing to	Becoming	Listening to,
decoding until	clarifying the	they already	on the basis of		discussion about	build up a	increasingly	discussing and
reading is fluent.	meanings of	know or on	what is being said		books, poems &	repertoire of	familiar with and	expressing views
	words, linking	background	and done.		other works that	poems learnt by	retelling a wider	about a wide range
	new meanings to	information and			are read to them	heart,	range of stories,	of contemporary
Read exception	known	vocabulary			& those that they	appreciating	fairy stories and	and classic: poetry,
words, noting	vocabulary.	provided by the			can read for	these and	traditional tales.	stories and non-
unusual		teacher – asking			themselves,	reciting some,		fiction,
correspondences		and answering			taking turns and	with appropriate		at a level beyond
		questions.			listening to what	intonation to		that at which they
					others say.	make the		can read
Read accurately by	Discussing their	Discussing the	Predicting what			meaning clear	Recognising	independently.
blending, including	favourite words	sequence of	might happen on		Explain and		simple recurring	
alternative sounds	and phrases.	events in books	the basis of what		discuss their		literary language	
for graphemes.		and how items of	has been read so		understanding of		in stories and	
		information are	far.		books, poems		poetry	
		related.			and other			
					material, both			
Read multisyllable		Discussing the			those that they		Being introduced	
words containing		sequence of			listen to and		to non-fiction	
these graphemes.		events in books			those that they		books that are	
		and how items of			read for		structured in	
Read common		information are			themselves.		different ways	
suffixes.		related.						
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Read most words		Checking that the						
quickly &		text makes sense						
accurately without		to them as they						
overt sounding and		read.						
blending.								

Years 3 and 4									
<u>D</u>	E	<u>R</u>	Ī	<u>C</u>	Discussing reading	<u>Poetry and</u> performance	<u>Familiarity with</u> <u>texts</u>	Range of reading	
Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes, both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words.	To explain the meaning of words read in context.	Retrieve and record information from non-fiction.	Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions.	To comment on the author's choice of language and its effect on the reader and the images and atmosphere it creates.	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	Preparing poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action.	Increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths and legends, and retelling some of these orally.	Listening to and discussing a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non- fiction and reference books or textbooks.	
Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word.	Using dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read.	Identifying main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarising these. Asking questions to improve their understanding of a text.	Justifying inferences with evidence.	Identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning. Discussing words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination.		Recognising some different forms of poetry.	Identifying themes and conventions in a wide range of books.	Reading books that are structured in different ways and reading for a range of purposes.	

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				Years 5 and 6				
<u>D</u>	E	<u>R</u>	Ī	<u>C</u>	Discussing reading	<u>Poetry and</u> performance	<u>Familiarity with</u> <u>texts</u>	Range of reading
Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet.	Checking that the book makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and exploring the meaning of words in context.	Retrieve and record information from non-fiction. Summarising the main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph, identifying key details to support the main ideas	Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions.	Discuss and evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader	Recommending books that they have read to their peers, giving reasons for their choices. Participate in discussions about books, building on their own and others' ideas and challenging views courteously	learning a wider range of poetry by heart preparing poems and plays to read aloud and to perform,	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	Continuing to read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non- fiction and reference books or textbooks *
		Distinguish between statements of fact and opinion Asking questions to improve their understanding	Justifying inferences with evidence. Provide reasoned justifications for their views. Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied	Identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning. Discussing words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination.	Explain and discuss their understanding of what they have read, including through formal presentations and debates.	Showing understanding through intonation, tone and volume so that the meaning is clear to an audience	Identifying and discussing themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing.	Reading books that are structured in different ways and reading for a range of purposes. Making comparisons within and across books.

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