



## Pathways to Poetry - EYFS Overview: Communication and Language Reading and Writing

Children	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
in reception	A Bundle of Rhymes Nursery Rhymes by Mother Goose: Jack be Nimble Hey Diddle Diddle Hickory Dickory Dock Little Miss Muffet	Creepy Crawly by Anon & Busy Bugs by James Carter Hey Little Bug by J. Carter Mad about minibeasts by G Andreae and D Wojtowycz	Into the Pond! When Daddy Fell into the Pond by Alfred Noyes. I promise I'll be careful by The Literacy Company	The Farmyard by A. A. Attwood Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins Wriggle and Roar by Julia Donaldson Farmer Duck by Martin Waddell	Behold by Mary Kawena Pukui Look! by Grace Nichols	Eat Your Peas, Louise! by Pegeen Snow & Dinner-time Rhyme by June Crebbin
	Outcome - Recite rhymes and use them to build a narrative	Outcome – Class performance poem	Outcome - Caption or simple sentence for a class poem	Outcome - Class poem to be performed for an audience	Outcome - A class observation poem	Outcome – Class poem
	Communication and language Children in reception Begin to understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important Engage in storytimes Learn new vocabulary Articulate their ideas and thoughts Begin to use talk to help work out problems and organise thinking and activities Describe events in some detail Learn rhymes poems and songs	Communication and language Children in reception Begin to understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important Engage in storytimes Engage in non-fiction books Learn new vocabulary Articulate their ideas and thoughts Describe events in some detail Learn rhymes poems and songs	Communication and language Children in reception Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important Begin to use vocabulary throughout the day Describe events in some detail Begin to use talk to help work out problems and organise thinking and activities Begin to articulate their ideas and thought in well-formed sentences Learn rhymes poems and songs Listen carefully to rhyme and songs paying attention to how they sound	Communication and language Children in reception Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important Use new vocabulary throughout the day Describe events in some detail Begin to use talk to help work out problems and organize thinking and activities Begin to articulate their ideas and thought in well-formed sentences Learn rhymes poems and songs Listen carefully to rhyme and songs paying attention to how they sound	Communication and language Children in reception Use new vocabulary in different contexts Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences Use talk to help work out problems and organize thinking and activities Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences	Communication and language Children in reception Use new vocabulary in different contexts Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences Use talk to help work out problems and organize thinking and activities Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences





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Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading
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Develop their	Develop their	Read individual letters by	Read individual letters by	Read simple phrases and	Read simple phrases and
phonological awareness	phonological awareness	saying the sounds for	saying the sounds for	sentences made up of	sentences made up of
so that they can spot and	so that they can spot and	them	them	words with known letter-	words with known letter-
suggest rhymes count	suggest rhymes count	Blend sounds into words	Blend sounds into words	sound correspondences	sound correspondences
and clap syllables n a	and clap syllables n a	so that they can read	so that they can read	and, where necessary, a	and, where necessary, a
word and recognise	word and recognise	short words made up of	short words made up of	few exception words	few exception words
words with the same	words with the same	known letter-sound	known letter-sound		
initial sound.	initial sound.	correspondence	correspondence		
			Read simple phrases and		
			sentences made up of		
			words with known letter-		
			sound correspondences		
			and, where necessary, a		
			few exception words		
Writing	Writing	Writing	Writing	Writing	Writing
Children in reception	Children in reception	Children in reception	Children in reception	Children in reception	Children in reception
n/a	n/a	Form lower case letters	Form lower case letters	Form lower case and	Form lower case and
		correctly	correctly	capital letters correctly	capital letters correctly
		Spell words by identifying			
		the sounds and then			
		writing the sound with			
		letter/s	letter/s	letter/s	letter/s
				Re-read what they have	Re-read what they have
				written to check that it	written to check that it
				makes sense	makes sense