	EYFS Birth to 3 3 and 4 Year Olds Reception	Year 1	Year 2
Enjoy songs and rhymes, tuning in and paying attention. Join in with songs and rhymes, copying sounds, rhythms, tunes and tempo. Say some of the words in songs and rhymes. Develop their phonological awareness Children known and the words in songs and for 40+ phonemes are read accurately to GPC • read common exercise read common exercise read common survey.	Children know how to	secure phonic decoding until reading is fluent	
	copying sounds, rhythms, tunes and tempo. Say some of the words in songs and rhymes.	 speedily read all 40+ letters/groups for 40+ phonemes read accurately by blending taught 	Children know how to • read accurately by blending, including alternative sounds for graphemes • read multisyllable words containin these graphemes
		• read common suffixes (-s, -es, -ing, -ed, etc.)	read common suffixesread exception words, noting
	Children know how to	read multisyllable words containing taught GPCs	unusual correspondences • read most words quickly &

texts

the use of apostrophe

• read aloud phonically-decodable

and blending

- spot and suggest rhymes

mother

- count or clap syllables in a word

- recognise words with the same initial sound, such as money and

	Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them. Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter— sound correspondences. Read some letter groups that each represent one sound and say sounds for them. Read a few common exception words matched to the school's phonic programme. Read simple phrases and sentences made up of words with known letter—sound correspondences and, where necessary, a few exception words.		
Range of Reading	Enjoy sharing books with an adult. To enjoy an increasing range of books. To listen to stories, accurately anticipating key events and respond to what they hear with relevant comments, questions or actions.	Iistening to and discussing a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently being encouraged to link what they read or hear read to their own experiences	Iistening to, discussing and expressing 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

Familiarity with texts	Have favourite books and seek them out, to share with an adult, with another child, or to look at alone. Repeat words and phrases from familiar stories. Develop play around favourite stories using props.	becoming very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics recognising and joining in with predictable phrases	becoming increasingly familiar with and retelling a wider range of stories, fairy stories and traditional tales recognising simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry
	Children understand the five key concepts about print:		
	Children know that		
	- print has meaning		
	- print can have different purposes		
	- we read English text from left to right and from top to bottom		
	- the names of the different parts of a book page sequencing		
	Re-read books to build up their confidence in word reading, their fluency and their understanding and enjoyment.		
Poetry and Performance	Children know some familiar songs and rhymes.	learning to appreciate rhymes and poems	continuing to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some.

	To play cooperatively as part of a group to develop and act out a narrative.	Children know some poems and recite some by heart	Children know how to use appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear
Vocabulary	To build up vocabulary that reflects the breadth of their experiences. Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary. Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary.	discussing word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known	discussing and clarifying the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary discussing their favourite words and phrases
Understanding	Ask questions about the book. Make comments and shares their own ideas. Children discuss ideas in response to stories. To demonstrate understanding when talking with others about what they have read.	 children draw on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher Children know to check that the text makes sense to them as they read and correct inaccurate reading 	discussing the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related drawing on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher Children know to check that the text makes sense to them as they read and correcting inaccurate reading
Inference	Children know the meaning of 'how' and 'why' and are able to answer 'how' and 'why' questions about their experiences and in response to stories or events.	discussing the significance of the title and events making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done	making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done answering and asking questions

Prediction Non-fiction	Understand that print can have different purposes.	Children know how to predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far	Children know how to predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far • being introduced to non-fiction books that are structured in different ways
Discussing reading	Children discuss ideas in response to stories. To demonstrate understanding when talking with others about what they have read.	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	participate in discussion about books, poems & other works that are read to them & those that they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say explain and discuss their understanding of books, poems and other material, both those that they listen to and those that they read for themselves