Reading

Word reading

Pupils should be able to:

- apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words
- respond speedily with the correct sound to graphemes (letters or groups of letters) for all 40+ phonemes, including, where applicable, alternative sounds for graphemes
- read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words containing GPCs that have been taught
- read common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word
- read words containing taught GPCs and -s, -es, -ing, -ed, -er and -est endings
- read other words of more than one syllable that contain taught GPCs
- read words with contractions [for example, I'm, I'll, we'll], and understand that the apostrophe represents the omitted letter(s)
- 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.

Comprehension

- develop pleasure in reading, motivation to read, vocabulary and understanding by:
 - listening to and discussing a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently
 - o being encouraged to link what they read or hear read to their own experiences
 - becoming very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics
 - o recognising and joining in with predictable phrases
 - o learning to appreciate rhymes and poems, and to recite some by heart
 - o discussing word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known
- understand both the books they can already read accurately and fluently and those they listen to by:
 - drawing on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher
 - checking that the text makes sense to them as they read and correcting inaccurate reading
 - o discussing the significance of the title and events
 - making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done
 - o 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

Writing

Transcription

Pupils should be able to:

- spell:
 - o words containing each of the 40+ phonemes already taught
 - o common exception words
 - o the days of the week
- name the letters of the alphabet:
 - o naming the letters of the alphabet in order
 - o using letter names to distinguish between alternative spellings of the same sound
 - write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs and common exception words taught so far.
- add prefixes and suffixes:
 - o using the spelling rule for adding –s or –es as the plural marker for nouns and the third person singular marker for verbs
 - o using the prefix un-
 - using –ing, –ed, –er and –est where no change is needed in the spelling of root words [for example, helping, helped, helper, eating, quicker, quickest]
- · apply simple spelling rules and guidance
- write from memory simple sentences dictated by the teacher that include words using the GPCs and common exception words taught so far.

Handwriting

Pupils should be able to:

- sit correctly at a table, holding a pencil comfortably and correctly
- begin to form lower-case letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place
- form capital letters
- form digits 0-9
- understand which letters belong to which handwriting 'families' (i.e. letters that are formed in similar ways) and to practise these.

Composition

- write sentences by:
 - o saying out loud what they are going to write about
 - o composing a sentence orally before writing it
 - o sequencing sentences to form short narratives
 - o re-reading what they have written to check that it makes sense

- discuss what they have written with the teacher or other pupils
- read aloud their writing clearly enough to be heard by their peers and the teacher.

Vocabulary, Punctuation and Grammar

- develop their understanding of the concepts by:
 - o leaving spaces between words
 - o joining words and joining clauses using and
 - beginning to punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark
 - using a capital letter for names of people, places, the days of the week, and the personal pronoun '1'

Maths

Number and Place Value

Pupils should be able to:

- count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number
- count, read and write numbers to 100 in numerals; count in multiples of twos, fives and tens
- given a number, identify one more and one less
- identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations including the number line, and use the language of: equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least
- read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in numerals and words.

Addition and Subtraction

Pupils should be able to:

- read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction (–) and equals (=) signs
- represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20
- add and subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including zero
- solve one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction, using concrete objects and pictorial representations, and missing number problems such as 7 = ? 9.

Multiplication and Division

Pupils should be able to:

• solve one-step problems involving multiplication and division, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher.

Fractions

- recognise, find and name a half as one of two equal parts of an object, shape or quantity
- recognise, find and name a quarter as one of four equal parts of an object, shape or quantity.

Measurement

Pupils should be able to:

- compare, describe and solve practical problems for:
 - o lengths and heights [for example, long/short, longer/shorter, tall/short, double/half]
 - o mass/weight [for example, heavy/light, heavier than, lighter than]
 - capacity and volume [for example, full/empty, more than, less than, half, half full, quarter]
 - o time [for example, quicker, slower, earlier, later]
- measure and begin to record the following:
 - lengths and heights
 - o mass/weight
 - o capacity and volume
 - o time (hours, minutes, seconds)
- recognise and know the value of different denominations of coins and notes
- sequence events in chronological order using language [for example, before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening]
- recognise and use language relating to dates, including days of the week, weeks, months and years
- tell the time to the hour and half past the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.

Properties of Shapes

Pupils should be able to:

- recognise and name common 2-D and 3-D shapes, including:
 - o 2-D shapes [for example, rectangles (including squares), circles and triangles]
 - o 3-D shapes [for example, cuboids (including cubes), pyramids and spheres].

Position and Direction

Pupils should be able to:

 describe position, direction and movement, including whole, half, quarter and three-quarter turns.