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Reading	Reading	Writing	Writing	Mathematics	Mathematics
Key Performance Indicators	Performance Standard	Key Performance Indicators	Performance Standard	Key Performance Indicators	Performance Standard
Reads accurately by blending the sounds in	Reference to the KPIs	Writes capital letters and digits of the	Reference to the KPIs	Number and place value	Reference to the KPIs
words that contain the graphemes taught so	By the end of Y2, a child should be able to	correct size, orientation and relationship to	By the end of Y2 a child's motor skills should	Counts in steps of two, three, and five from	By the end of Y2 a child should be mentally
far especially recognising alternative sounds	read books written at an age-appropriate	one another and to lower case letters.	be sufficiently advanced for them to write	0, and in tens from any number, forward and	fluent with whole numbers, counting and place
for graphemes.	interest level accurately and at a speed that	Develops positive attitudes towards, and	down ideas they may be able to compose	backward.	value. A child should know the number bonds
Reads accurately words of two or more	is sufficient for a child to focus on	stamina for, writing, by writing for different	orally.	Compares and orders numbers from 0 up to	to 20 and be precise in using and
syllables that contain the same graphemes as	understanding what is read rather than on	purposes.	Letters should be orientated correctly.	100.	understanding place value.
above.	decoding individual words.	Considers what is going to be written before	A child can:	Uses < > and = signs correctly.	Using practical resources, a child can work
Reads most words at an instructional level 93-	A child can:	beginning by encapsulating what they want to	 use more word-specific knowledge of 	Uses place value and number facts to solve	with numerals, words and the four operations
95 per cent quickly and accurately without	decode most new words outside the spoken	say, sentence by sentence.	spelling, including homophones, and is able to	problems.	(eg concrete objects and measuring tools).
overt sounding and blending, when they have	vocabulary, making a good approximation to	Makes simple additions, revisions and	do this for both single-syllable and multi-	Addition and subtraction	Using a range of measures, a child can
been frequently encountered.	the word's pronunciation;	corrections to writing by:	syllabic words;	Solves problems with addition and subtraction	recognise, describe, draw, compare and sort
Reads aloud books closely matched to their	listen to and discuss a wide range of stories,	1. proof-reading to check for errors in	• spell words in a phonically plausible way, even	by:	different shapes and use the related
improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and	poems, plays and information books, including whole books;	spelling, grammar and punctuation; 2. segmenting spoken words into phonemes	if sometimes incorrectly; • apply a knowledge of suffixes from their	 using concrete objects and pictorial representations, including those involving 	vocabulary. A child can describe and compare different
without undue hesitation.	justify the views about what has been read	and representing these by graphemes, spelling	 apply a knowledge of suffixes from their word reading to their spelling and also draw 	numbers, guantities and measures; and	quantities such as length, mass,
Re-reads these books to build up their	with support;	many correctly; and	from and apply a growing knowledge of word	2. applying an increasing knowledge of mental	capacity/volume, time and money.
fluency and confidence in word reading.	read suffixes by building on the root words	3. learning new ways of spelling phonemes for	and spelling structure, as well as a knowledge	 applying an increasing knowledge of mental and written methods. 	A child can read and spell mathematical
Develops pleasure in reading, motivation to	that have already been learnt;	which one or more spellings are already	of root words:	Recalls and uses addition and subtraction	vocabulary at a level consistent with their
read, vocabulary and understanding by:	exercise choice in selecting books;	known; and learn some words with each	 explain how different types of writing, 	facts to 20 and 100:	increasing word reading and spelling
1. listening to, discussing and expressing views	monitor what they read, checking that the	spelling, including a few common homophones.	including narratives, are structured and apply	1. fluently up to 20.	knowledge at key stage 1.
about a wide range of contemporary and	word they have decoded fits in with whatever	Uses the suffixes -er, -est in adjectives and -	this to their own and others' writing;	Multiplication and division	nitomodgo ar noy orago 1.
classic poetry, stories and non-fiction at a	else they have read and makes sense in the	ly to turn adjectives into adverbs.	 think aloud as they collect ideas, draft and 	Recalls and uses multiplication and division	Working toward expected standard
level beyond that at which they can read	context of what they already know about the	Constructs subordination (using when, if, that,	re-read to check their meaning is clear;	facts for the two, five and 10 multiplication	The pupil can demonstrate an understanding
independently;	topic;	because) and co-ordination (using or, and,	 play roles and improvise scenes in various 	tables, including recognising odd and even	of place value, though may still need to use
2. discussing the sequence of events in books	identify cause and effect in both narrative	but).	settings; and	numbers.	apparatus to support them (e.g. by stating the
and how items of information are related;	and non-fiction (eg what has prompted a	Uses the correct choice and consistent use of	 use vocabulary, grammar and punctuation 	Solves problems involving multiplication and	difference in the tens and ones between 2
3. becoming increasingly familiar with a wider	character's behaviour in a story; why certain	present tense and past tense throughout a	concepts set out in appendix 2 of the national	division, using materials, arrays, repeated	numbers i.e. 77 and 33 has a difference of 40
range of stories, fairy stories and traditional	dates are commemorated annually); and	written piece.	curriculum document and be able to apply	addition, mental methods, and multiplication	for the tens and a difference of 4 for the ones; by writing number statements such as
tales;	take part in a discussion, considering the	Uses capital letters, full stops, question	them correctly to examples of real language,	and division facts, including problems in	35 < 53 and 42 > 36).
retelling a range of stories, fairy stories	opinions of others.	marks and exclamation marks to demarcate	such as their own writing eg subordination and	contexts.	The pupil can count in twos, fives and tens
and traditional tales; and		sentences.	coordination.	Fractions (including decimals)	from 0 and use counting strategies to solve
5. being introduced to non-fiction books that	Working toward expected standard The pupil can:	Use commas to separate items in a list.		Recognises, finds, names and writes fractions	problems (e.g. count the number of chairs in a
are structured in different ways.	read accurately by blending the sounds in words that		Working toward expected standard	1/3, 1/4, 2/4, and 3/4 of a length, shape, set	diagram when the chairs are organised in 7
Understand both the books they can already	contain the common graphemes for all 40+		The pupil can write sentences that are	of objects or quantity.	rows of 5 by counting in fives).
read accurately and fluently and those that	phonemes*		sequenced to form a short narrative, after discussion with the teacher:	Measurement	The pupil can read and write numbers
they listen to by:	read accurately some words of two or more syllables that contain the same grapheme-phoneme		demarcating some sentences with capital	Solves simple problems in a practical context	correctly in numerals up to 100 (e.g. can write the numbers 14 and 41 correctly).
 checking that the text makes sense to them as they read and correcting inaccurate 	correspondences (GPCs)*		letters and full stops	involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit including giving change.	The pupil can use number bonds and related
reading;	read many common exception words*.		segmenting spoken words into phonemes and	Geometry: properties of shape	subtraction facts within 20 (e.g. 18 = 9 + ?; 15
2. answering guestions; and	In a book closely matched to the GPCs as above, the pupil can:		representing these by graphemes, spelling	Compares and sorts common 2-D and 3-D	= 6 + ?).
3. predicting what might happen on the basis	read aloud many words quickly and accurately		some correctly	shapes and everyday objects.	The pupil can add and subtract a two-digit
of what has been read so far.	without overt sounding and blending		spelling some common exception words*	Geometry: position and direction	number and ones and a two-digit number and
Participates in discussions about books, poems	sound out many unfamiliar words accurately.		forming lower-case letters in the correct	Uses mathematical vocabulary to describe	tens where no regrouping is required (e.g. 23 +
and other works that are read to them and	In discussion with the teacher, the pupil can: answer questions and make inferences on the basis		direction, starting and finishing in the right place	position, direction and movement including	5; 46 + 20), they can demonstrate their
those they can read for themselves, taking	of what is being said and done in a familiar book that		forming lower-case letters of the correct	movement in a straight line, and distinguishes	method using concrete apparatus or pictorial representations.
turns and listening to what others say.	is read to them.		size relative to one another in some of the	between rotation as a turn and in terms of	The pupil can recall doubles and halves to 20
	Working at the expected standard		writing	right angles for quarter, half and three-	(e.g. pupil knows that double 2 is 4, double 5 is
	The pupil can:		using spacing between words.	quarter turns (clockwise and anti-clockwise).	10 and half of 18 is 9).
	read accurately most words of two or more			Statistics	The pupil can recognise and name triangles,
	syllables		Working at the expected standard	Asks and answers questions about totalling	rectangles, squares, circles, cuboids, cubes,
	read most words containing common suffixes*		The pupil can write a narrative about their	and comparing categorical data.	pyramids and spheres from a group of shapes
	read most common exception words*.		own and others' experiences (real and fictional), after discussion with the teacher:		or from pictures of the shapes.
	In age-appropriate books, the pupil can: read words accurately and fluently without		demarcating most sentences with capital		Working at the expected standard
	overt sounding and blending, e.g. at over 90		letters and full stops and with some use of		The pupil can partition two-digit numbers into
1	words per minute		question marks and exclamation marks		different combinations of tens and ones. This
	sound out most unfamiliar words accurately,		using sentences with different forms in their		may include using apparatus (e.g. 23 is the

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without undue hesitation.	writing (statements, questions, exclamations	same as 2 tens and 3 ones which is the same
In a familiar book that they can already read	and commands)	as 1 ten and 13 ones).
accurately and fluently, the pupil can:	using some expanded noun phrases to	The pupil can add 2 two-digit numbers within
check it makes sense to them	describe and specify	100 (e.g. 48 + 35) and can demonstrate their
answer questions and make some inferences	using present and past tense mostly correctly	method using concrete apparatus or pictorial
on the basis of what is being said and done.	and consistently	representations.
3	using co-ordination (or / and / but) and some	The pupil can use estimation to check that
Working at greater depth	subordination (when / if / that / because)	their answers to a calculation are reasonable
The pupil can, in a book they are reading	segmenting spoken words into phonemes and	(e.g. knowing that 48 + 35 will be less than
independently:	representing these by graphemes, spelling	100).
make inferences on the basis of what is said	many correctly	The pupil can subtract mentally a two-digit
and done	spelling many common exception words*	number from another two-digit number when
predict what might happen on the basis of	spelling some words with contracted forms*	there is no regrouping required (e.g. 74 - 33).
what has been read so far	adding suffixes to spell some words correctly	The pupil can recognise the inverse
make links between the book they are reading	in their writing e.gment, -ness, -ful, -less, -	relationships between addition and
and other books they have read.	ly*	subtraction and use this to check calculations
,	using the diagonal and horizontal strokes	and work out missing number problems (e.g. Δ
	needed to join letters in some of their writing	- 14 = 28).
	writing capital letters and digits of the	The pupil can recall and use multiplication and
	correct size, orientation and relationship to	division facts for the 2, 5 and 10
	one another and to lower case letters	multiplication tables to solve simple problems,
	using spacing between words that reflects	demonstrating an understanding of
	the size of the letters.	commutativity as necessary (e.g. knowing the
		can make 7 groups of 5 from 35 blocks and
	Working at greater depth	writing 35 ÷ 5 = 7; sharing 40 cherries
	The pupil can write for different purposes,	between 10 people and writing 40 ÷ 10 = 4;
	after discussion with the teacher:	stating the total value of six 5p coins).
	using the full range of punctuation taught at	The pupil can identify 1/3, 1/4, 1/2, 2/4, 3/4
	key stage 1 mostly correctly	and knows that all parts must be equal parts
	spelling most common exception words*	of the whole.
	spelling most words with contracted forms*	The pupil can use different coins to make the
	adding suffixes to spell most words correctly	same amount (e.g. pupil uses coins to make 50
	in their writing, e.gment, -ness, -ful, -less, -	in different ways; pupil can work out how
	ly*	many £2 coins are needed to exchange for a
	using the diagonal and horizontal strokes	£20 note).
	needed to join letters in most of their	The pupil can read scales in divisions of ones.
	writing.	twos, fives and tens in a practical situation
	withing.	where all numbers on the scale are given (e.g.
		pupil reads the temperature on a
		thermometer or measures capacities using a
		measuring jug).
		The pupil can read the time on the clock to
		the nearest 15 minutes.
		The pupil can describe properties of 2-D and
		3-D shapes (e.g. the pupil describes a triangl
		it has 3 sides, 3 vertices and 1 line of
		symmetry; the pupil describes a pyramid: it
		has 8 edges, 5 faces, 4 of which are triangle
		and one is a square).
		Working at greater depth
		The pupil can reason about addition (e.g. pupi
		can reason that the sum of 3 odd numbers w
		always be odd).
		The pupil can use multiplication facts to mak
		deductions outside known multiplication facts
		(e.g. a pupil knows that multiples of 5 have o
		digit of 0 or 5 and uses this to reason that 1
		x 5 cannot be 92 as it is not a multiple of 5).
		The pupil can work out mental calculations
		where regrouping is required (e.g. 52 - 27; 9
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			15 + 27).
			The pupil can determine remainders given
			known facts (e.g. given 15 ÷ 5 = 3 and has a
			remainder of 0, pupil recognises that 16 ÷ 5
			will have a remainder of 1; knowing that 2 × 7
			= 14 and 2 × 8 = 16, pupil explains that making
			pairs of socks from 15 identical socks will give
			7 pairs and one sock will be left).
			The pupil can solve word problems that involve
			more than one step (e.g. which has the most
			biscuits, 4 packets of biscuits with 5 in each
			packet or 3 packets of biscuits with 5 in each
			each packet?).
			The pupil can recognise the relationships
			between addition and subtraction and can
			rewrite addition statements as simplified
			multiplication statements (e.g. 10 + 10 + 10 + 5
			+ 5 = 3 × 10 + 2 × 5 = 4 × 10).
			The pupil can find and compare fractions of
			amounts (e.g. 14 of £20 = £5 and 12 of £8 =
			£4 so 14 of £20 is greater than 12 of £8).
			The pupil can read the time on the clock to
			the nearest 5 minutes.
			The pupil can read scales in divisions of ones,
			twos, fives and tens in a practical situation
			where not all numbers on the scale are given.
			The pupil can describe similarities and
			differences of shape properties (e.g. finds 2
			different 2-D shapes that only have one line
			of symmetry; that a cube and a cuboid have
			the same number of edges, faces and vertices
			but can describe what is different about
			them).
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