

Summary of Year 1 Age Related Expectations

Pupils may be working towards, within or above expectations during the year.

Word reading

- I can match all 40+ graphemes to their phonemes.
- I can blend sounds in unfamiliar words.
- I can divide words into syllables.
- I can read compound words.
- I can read words with contractions and understand that the apostrophe represents the missing letters.
- I can read phonetically decodable words.
- I can read words that end with 's, -ing, -ed, -est
- I can read words which start with un-.
- I can add -ing, -ed and -er to verbs. (Where no change is needed to the root word)
- I can read words of more than one syllable that contain taught GPCs.

Comprehension

- I can say what I like and do not like about a text.
- I can link what I have heard or read to my own experiences.
- I can retell key stories orally using narrative language.
- I can talk about the main characters within a well known story.
- I can learn some poems and rhymes by heart.
- I can use what I already know to understand texts.
- I can check that my reading makes sense and go back to correct when it doesn't.
- I can draw inferences from the text and/or the illustrations. (Beginning)
- I can make predictions about the events in the text.
- I can explain what I think a text is about.

Handwriting, spelling and punctuation

- I can write my name with upper and lower case letters
- I can form most letters clearly
- I always leave a space between my words
- I can show some control over letter size, shape and orientation
- I can usually write ascenders and descenders, upper and lower case correctly
- I can write simple regular words, spelling some correctly
- I can make phonetically plausible attempts at words
- I can usually spell CVC words correctly
- I can spell most common words correctly (HFW & Appendix)
- I can make recognisable attempts at spelling unknown words
- I can use logical phonic strategies when trying to spell unknown words in more than 3 statements
- I can show some awareness of full stops
- I can usually use a capital letter, full stop,? or! correctly.

Word choices

- I can produce my own ideas for writing
- I can show some control over word order producing logical statements
- I can use ANY conjunction to join 2 simple sentences
- I can use appropriate vocabulary in more than 3 statements

Organisation

- I can write captions, labels and other simple forms of writing (lists, stories, retell)
- I can write simple texts such as lists, stories, reports, recounts
- I can write a paragraph or more of developed ideas that can be read without my help.
- I can say what writing says and means

Number

- I can count reliably to 100.
- I can count on and back in 1s, 2s, 5s and 10s from any given number up to 100.
- I can write all numbers in words to 20.
- I can say the number that is one more or one less than a number to 100.
- I can recall all pairs of addition and subtraction number bonds to 20.
- I can add and subtract 1-digit and 2-digit numbers to 20, including zero.
- I know the signs + =.
- I can solve a missing number problem.
- I can solve a one-step problem using addition and subtraction, using concrete objects and pictorial representations.

Measurement and geometry

- I recognise all coins.
- I recognise and can name the 2D shapes: circle, triangle, square and rectangle.
- I recognise and can name the 3D shapes: cuboid, pyramid, sphere.
- I can name the days of the week and months of the year.
- I can tell the time to o'clock and half past the hour.