

#### Intent:

At East Preston Infant School, we believe that Reading is an important part of a child's development and transition into adulthood. We aim for the children to become confident, literate young people who communicate effectively and develop a love of reading for pleasure both widely and often, alongside the acquisition of knowledge.

#### Implementation:

Our pupils develop their early reading skills through daily lessons using the DfE validated Monster Phonics programme from the very beginning of Reception through to the end of Year 2. Phonetically matched books are used in guided reading sessions which take place in small groups to develop fluency, prosody (expression and intonation) and comprehension.

Our pupils are encouraged to read for pleasure and to read widely through regularly taking home books to share with their family from the class 'Book Nook' and a weekly visit to our amazing school library. Children are able to choose books according to their own interests in order to develop a greater sense of enjoyment. Planned story time sessions enable children to access a rich range of reading materials where key reading skills are explored. Children are also immersed into a wide variety of texts across other curriculum areas.

Alongside this the children are exposed to a wider range of reading experiences throughout the year, such as World Book Day events, visits from authors, half termly themes within the class 'Book Nook', the library service Summer Reading Challenge, participation in the Picture Books Awards and termly library van visits.

#### Intended Impact:

Through Reading, our children will:

- become happy, confident readers who have developed the key skills and knowledge necessary for the next stage of their learning
- read regularly for information and enjoyment
- be able to discuss books with excitement and interest
- have developed a love of reading across a range of genres and authors

Year Group	Phonics and Decoding	Common Exception Words	Fluency	Comprehension, Understanding and Correcting Inaccuracies	Comparing, Contrasting and Commenting	Vocabulary	Uses of Text e.g. retrieving information/ performance poetry
Reception	Develop phonological	Read a few common	Read simple phrases and	Understand the five key	Have favourite books	Use a wider range of	Listen carefully to
•	awareness so that they	exception words	sentences made up of	concepts about print;	and seek them out to	vocabulary.	rhymes and songs,
Emerging	can;	matched to the school's	words with known	Print has meaning.	share or look at alone.	(Communication and	paying attention to how
Lincibilib	Spot and suggest	phonic programme.	letter-sound	Print can have different		Language)	they sound.
ELG	rhymes.		correspondences and,	purposes.	Engage in extended		(Communication and
	Count or clap syllables in	Read some common	where necessary, a few	Read English text from	conversations about	Learn new vocabulary.	Language)
	a word.	exception words.	exception words.	left to right and from	stories, learning new	(Communication and	
				top to bottom.	vocabulary.	Language)	Connect one idea or
							action to another using a



	ognise words with	Re-read books to build	The names of different	Listen attentively and	Use new vocabulary	range of connectives.
the s	same initial sounds.	up confidence in word	parts of a book.	respond to what they	throughout the day and	(Communication and
		reading, their fluency	Page sequencing.	hear with relevant	in different contexts.	Language)
Read	d individual letters	and their understanding		questions, comments	(Communication and	
by sa	aying the sounds for	and enjoyment.	Engage in story times.	and actions when being	Language)	Learn rhymes, poems
them	n.		(Communication and	read to and during		and songs.
		Read aloud simple	Language)	whole class discussions	Use and understand	(Communication and
Blend	nd sounds into	sentences and books	Language	and small group	recently introduced	Language)
word	ds, so that they can	that are consistent		interactions.	vocabulary during	
read	d short words made	with their phonic	Listen to and talk about	(Communication and	discussions about	Re-tell the story, once
up of	of known letter-	knowledge, including	stories to build	Language)	Stories, non-fiction,	they have developed a
soun	nd correspondences.	some common	familiarity and		rhymes and poems and	deep familiarity with the
		exception words.	understanding.	Hold conversation	during role-play.	text, some as exact
Read	d some letter groups		(Communication and	when engaged in	<u> </u>	repetition and some in
	each represent one		Language)	back-and-forth	Participate in small	their own words.
	nd and say sounds			exchanges with their	group, class and one-to-	(Communication and
	them.		Articulate their ideas	teacher and peers.	one discussions, offering	Language)
			and thoughts in well-	(Communication and	their own ideas, using	0 0 /
Sav a	a sound for each		-	Language)	recently introduced	Engage in non-fiction
	er in the alphabet		formed sentences. (Communication and		vocabulary.	books. (Communication
	at least 10		<b>\</b>		(Communication and	and Language)
	graphs.		Language)		Language)	
			de la construction		88,	Listen and talk about
Read	d words consistent		demonstrate			selected non-fiction to
	their phonic		understanding of what			develop a deep
	wledge by sound-		has been read to them			familiarity with new
blend			by re-telling stories and			knowledge and
bien	юнъ.		narratives using their			vocabulary.
			own words and recently			(Communication and
			introduced vocabulary.			Language)
						Lunguage,
			Anticipate (where			Offer explanations for
			appropriate) key events			why things might
			in stories.			happen, making use of
						recently introduced
			Mala sama sa ta ta ta			vocabulary from stories,
			Make comments about			non-fiction, rhymes and
			what they have heard			
			and ask questions to			poems when
			clarify their			appropriate.
			understanding.			(Communication and
			(Communication and			Language)
			Language)			



				Express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions, with modelling and support from their teacher. (Communication and Language)			
Reception Key Vocabulary:	All: letter, word, alphabet, letter names (a-z) Most: phoneme, grapheme, digraph, trigraph, sound buttons, blend, segment, rhyme, decode Some: alliteration, CVCC/CCVC	All: Tricky words	All: word, sentence Most: Illustration Some: paragraph, re- read, text	All: beginning, middle, ending Most: prediction, predict, Some: infer	All: character Most: rhyme, setting, key event, problem, title Some: non-fiction, fiction, poetry, retell	All: word Most: meaning Some: definition	All: information Most: non-fiction, contents page, diagram Some: recite, perform
Year One Deepening understanding	Apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words. Blend sounds in unfamiliar words using the 40+ gpcs that they have been taught. Read words containing two or more syllables containing taught gpcs. Read words containing	Read most year one common exception words by sight- noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and understanding to not sound out word.	Accurately read texts that are consistent with their developing phonic knowledge, that do not require them to use other strategies to work out words. Read words accurately and fluently without overt sounding and blending. Recognise and join in with predictable phrases.	Check that a text makes sense to them as they read and to correct inaccurate reading. Begin to make simple inferences on the basis of what is being said and done. Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far. Deduce possible meanings to unknown	Reading is seen as a pleasurable activity Listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry at a level beyond that at which they can read independently. Be encouraged to link what they read or hear to their own experiences. Draw on what they already know or on	Discuss word meaning and link new meanings to those already known.	Understand that some books tell stories and other give information. Recite simple poems by heart. Demonstrate a growing awareness of how to use non-fiction books to find information.



	<ul> <li>-s, -es, -ing, -ed -er and -est suffix endings.</li> <li>Read words with contractions</li> <li>Phase 5 – phonics</li> <li>Tests out alternative graphemes for phonemes for reading unfamiliar words.</li> </ul>		Confidently read aloud with expression more complex texts, including those beyond their chronological age.	words drawing on the wider sentence or context.	background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher. Retell familiar stories in increasing detail. Join in with discussions about a text, taking turns and listening to what others say. Discuss the significance of titles and events. Discuss preferences about a range of stories they have read or had read to them.		
Year One Key Vocabulary:	All: Build on Reception vocab Most: CVCC/CCVC, consonant, vowel, suffix, contraction Some: alternative	All: Reception common exception words Most: Year 1 common exception words Some:	All: Build on Reception vocab, text Most: re-read Some: expression	All: Build on Reception vocab Most: infer Some:	All: Build on Reception vocab, title Most: non-fiction, fiction, poetry, retell	All: word, meaning, Most: definition	All: Build on Reception vocab Most: recite, perform, glossary, caption, contents Some: index, diagram
Year Two Deepening Understanding	Continue to apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words until automatic decoding has become embedded and reading is fluent. Read accurately by blending the sounds in words that contain the graphemes taught so far, especially	Read most y1 and y2 common exception words, noting unusual correspondences.	Read aloud books (closely matched to their improving phonic knowledge), sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation. Reread these books to build up fluency and confidence in word reading.	Show understanding by drawing on what they already know or on background information And vocabulary provided by the teacher. Check that the text makes sense to them as they read and to correct inaccurate reading. Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done.	Participate in discussion about books, poems and other works that are read to them (at a level beyond at which they can read independently) and those that they can read for themselves, explaining their understanding and expressing their views. Become increasingly familiar with and to retell a wide range of	Discuss and clarify the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary. Discuss their favourite words and phrases. Discuss the authors' choice of words and justify.	Describe most features of non-fiction texts and discuss their importance. Continue to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear.



	recognising alternative sounds for graphemes. Accurately read most words of two or more syllables. Read most words containing common suffixes.	Read words accurately and fluently without overt sounding and blending, e.g. At over 90 words per minute, in age-appropriate texts.	Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far in a text.	stories, fairy stories and traditional tales. Discuss the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related. Recognise simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry. Ask and answer questions about a text. Make links between the text they are reading and other texts they have read (in texts that they can read independently). Identify most non-fiction features and compare them linking to how		
				them, linking to how they are related/structured in different ways.		
Year Two Key Vocabulary:	All: Build on Year 1 vocab Most: alternative sounds, syllable	All: Build on Year 1 vocab		All: Build on Year 1 vocab Most: sequence, information, question, link Some: compare, structure	All: Build on Year 1 vocab Most: phrase	All: Build on Year 1 vocab Most: appreciate, sub- heading, heading Some: intonation



### **National Curriculum**

The National Curriculum for English aims to ensure that all pupils:

- Read easily, fluently and with good understanding
- Develop the habit of reading widely and often, for both pleasure and information
- Acquire a wide vocabulary, an understanding of grammar and knowledge of linguistic conventions for reading, writing and spoken language
- Appreciate our rich and varied literary heritage
- Write clearly, accurately and coherently, adapting language and style for a range of contexts, purposes and audiences
- Use discussion in order to learn
- Are competent in the arts of speaking and listening

#### Assessment

- Teachers hear children read regularly and make on-going assessments against the learning intention.
- Through the Monster Phonics programme regular phonic assessments are made in order to check children's phonic acquisition and inform next steps.
- A formal phonic screening check takes place at the end of Year 1 children who do not meet the screening check threshold will retake the phonics screening check assessment in Year 2.