

Knowledge and Skills Progress Model

Minimum expectations for Nursery	Minimum Expectations for Reception	ELG (Expected standard by the end of Reception)
 The following bullet points are taught sequentially throughout the year and may be revisited throughout a range of themes. Comprehension Listen to story with increasing attention Join in with stories and rhymes Speak in 4-6-word sentences Articulate and speak clearly Answer simple questions Join in with predictable stories Retell repeated refrains and rhymes from text Offer an explanation 	 The following bullet points are taught sequentially throughout the year and may be revisited throughout a range of themes. Comprehension Retell and recall a story or event Understand new vocabulary Make predictions Explain 'why' and 'how' Use new vocabulary 	Comprehension: -Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using own words. -Anticipate events in stories. -Use and understand recently introduced vocab. during discussion about different texts.
 Reading Hear sounds around them Hear sounds made by various instruments and objects Sing songs and action rhymes, developing awareness of sounds and rhythm Clap out syllables in songs Match objects beginning with the same sound through alliteration games Develop rhythm and rhyme Say and recognise the sounds of some individual letters, using picture phrases Blending sounds into words - oral blending 	 Reading Say and recognise the sounds of some individual letters, using picture phrases Blending sounds into words - oral blending Segment and blend words in reading book Read simple words and sentences with known letter sounds Reading letter groups (Digraphs) to represent one sound Read a few common exception words Know at least 10 digraphs Read aloud books containing phase 2 and 3 sounds Read words containing blends 	Word Reading: -Say a sound for each letter of the alphabet and at least 10 diagraphs. -Read words consistent with phonic knowledge by sound-blending. -Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with phonic knowledge, including common exception words.

Nursery – Pre-Phonemic Stage							
Pictures	Random Scribbling	Scribble writing	Symbols that represent letters	Random letters	Letter Strings	Letter groups	
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Picture tells a story to convey message	Starting point at any point of paper	Progression is from left to right	Mock letters or symbols		Letter strings move from L to R and move down the page	Separated by spaces to resemble different words	

Reception Writing Stage							
Early Phonemic Stage	Letter nar	ne stage	Transitional Stage				
Environmental print	Beginning sounds Random and initial consonants	Initial and final sounds appear	Vowel sounds appear Evidence of tricky words	All syllables represented	Inventive spelling	Multiple related sentences with many words spelled correctly	
the I is see lits 12345 and my	IVA DAAO	I IK mi Bk. We will to the store.)	I lik to pla with my cat. Thehconr (The horse con run.)	My fav orit dinosor is the stegosorus,	To daye i wot to play withf the white board and the shapes and I won to play with My fen	Today I am going to the storwith my mothr. I am going to by o present for my broths by thday. He is thre yers old. One day I can my Frid if the Israel and Antonio and Thay so t lost I fad Thim. The end	
Awareness of print, copied from surroundings	Beginning and ending letters are used to represent words		Medial sound may initially be written as a consonant. Vowels begin to appear.	A child hears beginning, middle and end sounds.	Whole sentence writing develops.		