

Ropsley's Key Stage 1 and EYFS Reading Curriculum

We follow the Read, Write Inc. phonics programme at Ropsley school which begins as soon as children start in the Reception class. Alongside RWI, we use Talk for Writing and have a range of carefully chosen core texts (end of day) taken from Pie Corbett's Reading Spine. Each term's reading is carefully mapped out, with comprehension knowledge building term upon term and year upon year. We have identified how knowledge relates to past and future learning to help children build, connect and remember different aspects of the curriculum in the long term. This helps teachers to emphasise how knowledge is interconnected, enabling children to build a strong schema to remember more. We chose to break our substantive content knowledge into the following 9 key areas: Reading for Enjoyment, Text Structure, Understanding the Themes, Conventions and Content, Performance Poetry, Understanding Word Meanings, Understanding the Text, Inference and Prediction, Summarising, Navigating Texts.

When designing our Key Stage 1 Reading curriculum, we identified key concepts which run throughout our curriculum. These concepts help both teachers and children to group reading comprehension into more manageable units which helps to draw out the links between ideas and process-

Ropsley's School Curriculum Overview – Reading Yearly Expectations—Phonics

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Set 1 sounds	Set 1 sounds Set 1 digraphs	Set 1 sounds Set 1 digraphs	Set 2 sounds Set 1 digraphs	Set 2 sounds	Set 2 sounds
	RWI Sound blending books	RWI Ditty	RWI Red	RWI Green	RWI Green	RWI Green/Purple
Y1	Set 1 digraphs Set 2 digraphs and tri- graphs Set 3 digraphs and tri- graphs RWI Pink	Set 2 digraphs and trigraphs Set 3 digraphs and trigraphs RWI Orange	Set 3 digraphs and trigraphs Alternative graphemes taught RWI Yellow	Set 3 digraphs and trigraphs Highlighting within texts: Compound words Prefixes Suffixes Days of the week Plurals – s/es Contractions Alternative graphemes taught	Taught exclusively: Compound words Prefixes Suffixes Days of the week Plurals – s/es Contractions Alternative graphemes taught RWI Blue	Taught exclusively: Compound words Prefixes Suffixes Days of the week Plurals – s/es Contractions
Y2	Set 3 sounds Alternative graphemes	Multi syllabic words Words with suffixes	Beginning to read silently Reads CEW expected in Y2 Multi syllabic words Words with suffixes RWI Comprehension RWI Grey	Reads CEW expected in Y2 Multi syllabic words Words with suffixes	Beginning to read silently Reads CEW expected in Y2 Reads texts fluently and confidently RWI Comprehension	Reads texts fluently and confidently
	RWI Blue/Grey	RWI Blue/Grey		RWI Grey		RWI Comprehension

		EYFS Core Texts						
	AUTUMN A	AUTUMN B	SPRING A	SPRING B	SUMMER A	SUMMER B		
Read aloud End of day stories 15-20 minutes Pie Corbett's Reading Spine	Six Dinner Sid — Inga Moore Books about Starting School: Starting School I'm Absolutely Too Small for School Splat the Cat	Whatever next – Jill Murphy Goodnight moon – Margaret Wise-Brown Kipper's birthday	The Gruffalo – Julia Don- aldson Harry and the bucketful of dinosaurs Mama Panya's Pancakes	On the way home – Jill Murphy Farmer Duck – Martin Waddell Rosie's Walk – Pat Hutchins What the ladybird heard	Shhh! – Sally Grindley Handa's hen—Eileen Browne Handa's noisy night—Eileen Browne	Mrs Armitage and the big wave – Quentin Blake Mr Gumpy's Outing – John Burningham The night pirates – Peter Harris		
Core Texts 2/3 weekly Links to T4W units to English and cross curricular learning	Traditional tales Goldilocks and the 3 bears T4W—Little red hen Cumulative tale T4W—3 little pigs Defeating the monster tale	Bonfire Night—Hovis the Hedgehog Diwali—Lighting a lamp Alien Tea on planet Zum-Zee Christmas-nativity story	Rapunzel Rags to Riches Gingerbread Man Journey story/Losing Tale Chinese new year—Lanterns and Firecrackers	Pancake day – Mr Wolf's pancakes/ Hungry caterpillar Change story Easter story	Handa's Surprise – Eileen Browne (Africa) Journey story Bilal cooks daal (Pakistan) Walking through the jungle Poem/rhyme	Pirates love underpants – maps Quest Snail and the whale-Julia Donaldson Journey story		
Poetry/books with repeated language/ rhyme	Nursery rhyme + Themed songs Dingle dangle scarecrow When Goldilocks went to the house of the bears 5 little speckled frogs Here we go round the mulberry bush Tommy thumb + RWI POETRY UNIT – Bedtime March-past	Nursery rhyme + Themed songs I'm a little hedgehog Rudoph the red nosed reindeer Twinkle, twinkle I'm a little teapot I'm a little diva lamp Jingle bells + RWI POETRY UNIT –Where am I?	Nursery rhyme + Themed songs Mother's Day song (You Are My Sunshine tune), Down In The Jungle Where Nobody Goes Dinosaurs Lived Long Ago The grand old duke of York + RWI POETRY UNIT – Cake-o -saurus	Nursery rhyme + Themed songs Old Macdonald Had A Farm, Hot Cross Buns (Easter), Five Little Chicks, Growing Plants song 5 little ducks (American) + RWI POETRY UNIT – The Tiger	Nursery rhyme + Themed songs The Wheels On The bus Pat-a— cake Sing a song of sixpence A tisket, a tasket + RWI POETRY UNIT - Zanzibar	Nursery rhyme + Themed songs We're Off On An Adventure (pirate song), Pirate Ship (When I was one), I Do Like To Be Beside The Seaside 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 + RWI POETRY UNIT – Oh, oh the story man		
Book to promote discussion. Celebrating diversity	Colour Monster Two Homes	Lighting a lamp Red rockets and rainbow jelly	Mama Panya's Pancakes Lanterns and firecrackers	The Artist who painted a blue horse (Eric Carle)	Mommy, Mama and ME	Rainbow Fish		

	YEAR 1/2 Core Texts - YEAR A					
	AUTUMN A	AUTUMN B	SPRING A	SPRING B	SUMMER A	SUMMER B
Read aloud 15-20 minutes	Peace at last – Jill Murphy The Flower – John	Can't you sleep little bear? Martin Waddell	Elmer – David McKee The Hodgeheg – Dick King-Smith	The Elephant and the Bad baby – Elfrida Vipont and Raymond Briggs	Dogger – Shirley Hughes	Where the Wild things are - Maurice
Pie Corbett's Reading Spine YEAR 1, YEAR 2	Light	Emily Brown and the thing - Cressida Cow- ell		Amazing Grace – Mary Hoffman	Gorilla – Anthony Browne	The Giraffe the Pelly and Me – Roald Dahl
Talk 4 Writing Main text	Lost and Found (Change) – Oliver Jef- fers	Paddington's day out (Diary Entry)	Little Charlie (Journey – T4W text)	The Elefog (Information - T4W text)	Chalk – Bill Tompson	Come to my land (Persuasive text)
T4W supporting text		dington Bear – Michael and	The Bog Baby (Jour	rney) – Jeanne Willis	Where the Wild t	nings are - Maurice
T4W supporting tra- ditional tale	Cindo	erella	Little Red Riding Hood		The Magic Paintb	rush (Chinese tale)
Stories with an important message	Beautiful Oops (resilience)	The Curious Garden (Making a difference)	Pumpkin Soup – Hel- en Cooper (friendship)	Tyrannosaurus drip – Julia Donaldson (differences)	Great Big Book of Families (Diversity)	Rhymes from around the World – Floella Benjamin
Class story for the year			There's only one yo	l ou – Barney Salzburg	I	ı

Year 1 Rhymes—Year A

Poetry/books with	Action/classic po-	Action/classic po-	Action/classic po-	Action/classic po-	Action/classic po-	Action/classic po-
repeated lan-	ems	ems	ems	ems	ems	ems
guage/ rhyme	Here's the lady's	Here's the Church	My hands	I hear thunder	The lion and the uni-	Old King Cole
	knives and forks	and Here's the	A Sailor Went to	Frere Jacques	corn	Grandma's glasses
YEAR 1	Lavender's Blue	Steeple	Sea Sea Sea	Little Miss Muffet –	Mary had a little	Foxy's Hole
	London Bridge	I had a little nut	Row Row Row Your	English	lamb	
	+ Year 1 RWI POET-	tree The cherry tree	<i>Boat</i> Catch a fish	Lickle Miss Julie – Jamaican		+ Year 1 RWI POET- RY UNIT – The
	RY UNIT - Brother	+ Year 1 RWI POET-	+ Year 1 RWI POET- RY UNIT – Granny,	Li ttle Miss Muffet – Australia	+ Year 1 RWI POET- RY UNIT – The mon-	sound of music
	I had a little broth- er - Traditional ver- sion	RY UNIT – If I were a hawk	Granny please comb my hair	Little Miss Tucket – American	ster under your bed	Playing games with dinosaurs—Jan Dean
		Nut tree—Julia Donaldson	The owl and the pussycat—Edward Lear	+ Year 1 RWI POET- RY UNIT – I've got a cold		
				On the Ning-Nang- Nong—Spike Milli- gan		

EYFS READING COMPREHENSION KNOWLEDGE

	EYFS READING OVERVIEW	
	Word Reading	Comprehension
Reception Year	Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them. Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter-sound correspondences. Read some letter groups that each represent one sound and say sounds for them. Read a few common exception words matched to the school's phonic programme. Read simple phrases and sentences made up of words with known letter—sound correspondences and, where necessary, a few exception words. Re-read these books to build up their confidence in word reading, their fluency and their understanding and enjoyment.	
Autumn Assessment	Children can read set 1 RWI sounds. Children can read CV/VC/CVC words using set 1 sounds. Children can read CEW: I, a, at, am, Mum, Dad, the, and, it, is, in, on, no, go, dog, cat, can, up, big, get. (See Phonics Overview)	Children can join in with popular rhymes and repeated refrains. Children can retell the key events from a story. Children can sequence 3 pictures from a story. Children can retell a story from our core texts using props with support from an adult.
Spring Assessment	Children can read set 2 RWI sounds. Children can read 4 and 5 letter words with set 2 sounds in. Children can read CEW: you, yes, said, look, was, like, me, we, he, she, they, are, to, my. (See Phonics Overview)	Children can retell the beginning, middle and end of a story. Children can talk about events in the book by looking at the front cover. Children can retell a story from our core texts using props independently.
Summer Assessment	Children can read double consonant sounds. Children can read words with double consonant sounds in e.g tick, frog Children can read CEW: went, this, going, all, of, day, play, away, see.	Children can confidently retell a story using "book talk". Children make a sensible prediction about what might happen next in a story. Children can retell stories accurately from our core texts in their chosen play.
ELGS	Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs. Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound-blending. Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.	Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary. Anticipate (where appropriate) key events in stories. Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role play.

YEAR 1 READING COMPREHENSION KNOWLEDGE

	YEAR 1 READING COMPREHENSIONKNOWLEDGE					
	AUTUMN TERM		SPRING TERM	SPRING TERM		ERM
	Pink RWI Model Text Magic Porridge Pot Finding a magical object Instructions How to make magic porridge	Orange RWI Model Text Kassim and the hungry fox Journey Information Animal World	YELLOW RWI Model Text The Enormous Turnip Cumulative Persuasive Advert Turnip soup!	Model Text The 3 wishes Wishing Tale Instructions How to cast a spell	Blue RWI Model text Jack and the Beanstalk Defeating the monster Explanation Text Why giants might be scary	Model Text Tiger who came to tea Meeting Tale Discussion/Trial Should the tiger get ar- rested?
WORD READING	Knows set 1 digraphs and half of set 2 digraphs (ay, ee, igh, ow, oo, oo)	Knows all of set 2 digraphs	Set 3 digraphs and trigraphs taught Alternative graphemes taught	Knows all Set 3 digraphs and trigraphs Highlighting within texts: Compound words Prefixes Suffixes Days of the week Plurals – s/es Contractions	Alternative graphemes taught Taught exclusively: Compound words Prefixes Suffixes Days of the week Plurals – s/es Contractions	
COMPREHENSION – READING FOR ENJOY- MENT	make personal reading choices	S	make personal reading choices and about reading preferences (e.g. say about a text)	d simple comments	link what they read or hear read to	their own experiences
COMPREHENSION – THE STRUCTURE OF TEXTS	discuss the sequence of events the beginning, middle and end sort non-fiction books into the tent/ structure	ĺ	identify simple non-fiction features that support the structure of the text (e.g. labels, titles, captions)		distinguish the differences between fiction and non-fiction texts and discuss the different purposes for reading them	
COMPREHENSION - UNDERSTANDING THE TEXT	participate in discussion about what is read to them, taking turns and listen to what others say discuss the significance of the title and events		activate prior knowledge and draw on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher explain clearly their understanding of what is read to them (e.g. give opinions about simple texts [e.g. Hansel was clever when he put stones in his pocket)		answer literal, inferential (see using inference and making predictions section) and evaluative comprehension questions Use active reading strategies including: checking that the text makes sense to them as they read; correcting inaccurate reading; asking questions (e.g. about things/words in the text they do not understand)	

	YEAR 1 READING COMPREHENSION KNOWLEDG	E-CONTINUED	
COMPREHENSION - UNDERSTANDING THE THEMES, CONVEN- TIONS AND CONTENT OF TEXTS	Joins in with predictable phrases and story language (e.g. typical phrases for fairy story openings, patterns and repetition to support oral retelling) Recognises main events in a story	Recognises the elements of stories (e.g. main events, main characters and whether they are good or bad, settings) Talks about whether characters are good or bad Talks about settings describes these Retells key stories, fairy tales and traditional tales	Become very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retell them and consider their particular characteristics and (retell in a range of contexts
COMPREHENSION - PERFORMING POETRY/ PLAYSCRIPTS Completed during rhyme time sessions	Imitate and invent actions to accompany poetry Beginning to perform poetry in unison, following a simple rhythm and keeping time	Learn to appreciate rhymes and poems, and to recite some by heart Is able to discuss a poem's pattern with repeating patterns or lines	Confidently discusses a poem's pattern and identifies rhymes and repetition
COMPREHENSION - UNDERSTANDING WORD MEANINGS	Starts to discuss the meanings of new words	Discusses the meanings of new words and vocabulary in the text they are reading	Links new vocabulary and new word meanings to those already known (Weekly in RWI vocab check)

	YEAR 1 READING COMPREHENSION KNOWLEDGE-CONTINUED				
COMPREHENSION - USING INFERENCE AND MAKING PREDICTIONS	make simple predictions about what might happen next in stories based on knowledge of other stories and their own experience	predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far (e.g. about the content/purpose of a text based on the title and the picture on the front cover)	make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done and through detail in pictures (e.g. character putting on sun cream/t-shirt suggests it is sunny/hot)		
COMPREHENSION – SUMMARISING	identify the main idea of a text (e.g. 'This book is all about pets.')				
COMPREHENSION - NAVIGATING TEXTS	locate page showing specific information (e.g.: flick through book to look for particular picture)	locate page showing specific information (e.g. begin to use contents page of a simple, non-fiction text)	Confidently locates page showing specific information (e.g.: flick through book to look for particular picture; begin to use contents page of a simple, non-fiction text)		
RED WORDS/CEW	RECAP all EYFS CEW (as above) Said are was they My be he me he she we No go so Your here There where were One once Love come some	Of ask Do today says Put push pull Full house our Friend school Recap the above and check spellings	To cover: Split digraphs (as a recap) All CEW words for Year 1 Suffixes – ed, ing, er, est Prefixes – un, Plurals – s, es Contractions – I'm, I'll, It's, We'll Days of the week Compound words		

YEAR 2 READING COMPREHENSION KNOWLEDGE

		YEAI	AR 2 READING COMPREHENSION KNOWLEDGE				
	AUTUMN TERM		SPRING TERM		SUMMER TERM		
READING LEVEL EXPECTATIONS WORD READING	Blue RWI Uses phonics to decode unfamiliar words quickly Reads words of 2 or more syllables	Grey RWI Reads words with suffixes	RWI Comprehension/Gold/Lime/White/AR Beginning to read silently Reads CEW expected in Y2		Reads texts fluently and confidently		
COMPREHEN- SION – READING FOR ENJOY- MENT	Discusses why they've chosen a partial tracks about their favourite book	oarticular book to peers and reasons for their choice	Can use a non-fiction book to find out about a topic Expresses views about a range of books (incl. core texts)		Confidently Identifies a range of non-fiction books to u to find out information about a given topic		
COMPREHEN- SION – THE STRUCTURE OF TEXTS	stages of a story) and how items (books (including identifying the five of information are related that are structured in different ways	some simple forms of p and answer poems, sim	tures that support the structure	Talks about the structure and forms of poetry with some do and answer poems, simple rh	etail (e.g. list poems, question	
COMPREHEN- SION - UNDER- STANDING THE THEMES, CON- VENTIONS AND CONTENT OF TEXTS	recognise simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry e.g. Run, run		Talks about what usually happens to good/bad characters recognise typical settings and characters.		become increasingly familiar of stories, fairy stories and tr		
COMPREHEN- SION - UNDER- STANDING THE TEXT	participate in discussion about books, poems and other works that are read to them and those that they can read for themselves, take turns and listen to what others say Draws on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher asking questions (e.g. about things/words in the text they do not understand)		ready know or on back, lary provided by the test	ir understanding of books, po- l, both those that they listen to		uative comprehension ques- including: checking that the they read; correcting inaccu- at the word they have decod- have read and makes sense in	

	YEAR 2 REAL	DING COMPREHENSION KNOWLEDGE—CONTINUED		
COMPREHEN- SION - PER- FORMING POET- RY/PLAYSCRIPTS	performs poetry individually or together; beginning to speak audibly and clearly	continue to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciate these and recite some	performs poetry individually or together; speak audibly and clearly on all occasions	
COMPREHEN- SION - UNDER- STANDING WORD MEAN- INGS	Identifies their favourite words and phrases	identify, discuss and collect their favourite words and phrases and can give simple reasons for choice	identify, discuss and collect their favourite words and phrases and give reasons for choice (e.g. alliteration, humorous phrases)	
COMPREHEN- SION – SUMMA- RISING	identify the main ideas of a familiar text	identify the main ideas of a text and gives simple explanations about what it is about	identify the main ideas of a text (e.g. 'This book is all about dogs, what they eat and how to look after them.' Gives detailed description	
COMPREHEN- SION - NAVI- GATING TEXTS	locate pages showing specific information in fiction and non-fiction	locate pages showing specific information in fiction and non-fiction by using the contents page	scan a short section of text for a key word with minimal support	
COMPREHEN- SION - USING INFERENCE AND MAKING PRE- DICTIONS	Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done (e.g. use actions of characters to work out what time of day it is [e.g. getting the bus to school suggests it is early morning]	make predictions based on knowledge of typical settings and what is likely to happen in them (e.g. a character could get lost in a forest or meet a wolf/bad character) and typical characters and how they are likely to behave Use inference to understand what has prompted a character's behaviour in a story)	use actions of characters to work out where the story is set [e.g. 'Alex jumped off the swing and ran over to the slide' suggests he is in the park]; make predictions using experience of reading books by the same author (e.g. predict that a book by Julia Donaldson will rhyme)	
RED WORDS/ CEW	1	1	1	