

## **ENGLISH - NATIONAL CURRICULUM EXPECTATIONS - KEY STAGE 1**

		ENGLISH	YEAR 1			
Spoken Word	Word Reading	Comprehension	Writing – transcription	Writing – Handwriting	Writing – Composition	Writing – Grammar, Vocabulary and Punctuation
Pupils should be	Pupils should be	Pupils should be taught	Spelling (see	Pupils should	Pupils should	Pupils should be
taught to:	taught to:	to:	English Appendix	be taught to:	be taught to:	taught to:
1 SW. a. I can listen	1 WR, a, I can apply	1.C.a. I am developing	1)	1 Wh.a. I can sit	1 WC.a. I can	1.WG.a. I can
and respond	phonic knowledge	pleasure in reading, my	Pupils should be	correctly at a	say out loud	develop my
appropriately to adults	and skills as the	motivation to read,	taught:	table, holding a	what I am going	understanding of the
and my peers	route to decode	vocabulary and	1.Wt. a. words	pencil	to write about	concepts set out in
	words	understanding by:	containing each of	comfortably and		English Appendix 2
1.SW.b. I can ask			the 40+ phonemes	correctly	1.WC.b. I can	by:
relevant questions to	1 WR.b. I can	1,C.b. listening to and	already taught		compose a	
extend my	respond speedily	discussing a wide range of		1.Wh.b.l can	sentence orally	1.WG.b. leaving
understanding and	with the correct	poems, stories and non-	1.Wt.b.l can spell	begin to form	before writing it	spaces between
knowledge	sound to graphemes	fiction at a level beyond that	common exception	lower-case		words
	(letters or groups of	at which I can read	words	letters in the	1/WC.c. I can	
1.SW.c. I can use	letters) for all 40+	independently		correct direction,	sequence	1.WG.c. I can join
relevant strategies to	phonemes,		1.Wt,c. I know the	starting and	sentences to	words and join
build my vocabulary	including, where	1.C.c.I am being encouraged	days of the week	finishing in the	form short	clauses using and
	applicable,	to link what I read or hear		right place	narratives	
1.SW, d, I can	alternative sounds	read to my own experiences	1.Wt.d. I can name			1.WG.d. I am
articulate and justify	for graphemes		the letters of the	1.Wh.c. I can	1.WC d. I can e-	beginning to
answers, arguments		1.C.d. I am becoming very	alphabet:	form capital	read what I have	punctuate sentences
and opinions	1.WR.b.I can read	familiar with key stories, fairy		letters,	written to check	using a capital letter
	accurately by	stories and traditional tales,	1.Wt.e. I can name	understand	that it makes	and a full stop,
1.SW.e. I can give	blending sounds in	retelling them and	the letters of the	which letters	sense	question mark or
well-structured	unfamiliar words	considering their particular	alphabet in order	belong to which		
descriptions,	containing GPCs	characteristics		handwriting	1.WC.e. I can	1.WG.e. I can use a
explanations and	that have been		1.Wt. f. I can use	'families' (i.e.	discuss what I	capital letter for
narratives for different	taught	1.C.e.l am recognising and	letter names to	letters that are	have written with	names of people,
purposes, including for		joining in with predictable	distinguish between	formed in similar	the teacher or	places, the days of
expressing feelings	1.WR.c. I can read	phrases	alternative spellings	ways) and to	other pupils	the week, and the
	common exception		of the same sound,	practise these.		personal pronoun 'l'
1.SW.f. I can maintain	words, noting	1.C.f. I am learning to	add prefixes and		1.WC.f. I can	
attention and	unusual	appreciate rhymes	suffixes:		read aloud my	1.WG.f. I am learning
participate actively in	correspondences	and poems, and to recite			writing clearly	the grammar for year
collaborative	between spelling	some by heart	1.Wt. g. I can use		enough to be	1 in English



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conversations, staying	and sound and		the spelling rule for	heard by my	Appendix 2
on topic and initiating	where these occur in	1.C. g. I can discus word	adding -s or -es as	peers and the	1.WG.g. I can use
and responding to	the word	meanings, linking new	the plural marker for	teacher.	the grammatical
comments	1.WR.d. I can read	meanings to those I already	nouns and the third		terminology in
	words containing	know	person singular		English Appendix 2
1.SW.g. I use spoken	taught GPCs and -		marker for verbs		in discussing my
language to develop	s, -es, -ing, -ed, -	1.C.h. I understand both the	using –ing, –ed, –er		writing.
understanding through	er and –est endings	books I can already read	and -est where no		
speculating,		accurately and fluently and	change is needed in		
hypothesising,	1.WR.e. I can read	those I listen to by:	the spelling of root		
imagining and	other words of more		words [for example,		
exploring ideas	than one syllable	1.C.i. My drawing on what I	helping, helped,		
	that contain taught	already know or on	helper, eating,		
1.SW.h. I speak	GPCs	background information and	quicker, quickest]		
audibly and fluently	4 W/D ( )	vocabulary provided by the	4 10/4 1		
with an increasing	1.WR.f. I can read	teacher	1.Wt.h. I can apply		
command of Standard	words with	4.0:	simple spelling rules		
English	contractions [for	1.C.j. I can check that the text makes sense to me as I	and guidance, as		
1 CW i I porticipate in	example, I'm, I'll,	read and I can correct	listed in English		
1.SW.i. I participate in discussions,	we'll], and understand that the		Appendix 1		
presentations,	apostrophe	inaccurate reading	1.Wt.i. I can write		
performances, role	represents the	1.C. k. I can discuss the	from memory simple		
play, improvisations	omitted letter(s)	significance of the title and	sentences dictated		
and debates	Offilled letter(3)	events	by the teacher that		
and debates	1.WR.g. I can read	CVCITIS	include words using		
1.SW.j. I gain,	aloud accurately	1.C.I. I can make inferences	the GPCs and		
maintain and monitor	books that are	on the basis of what is being	common exception		
the interest of the	consistent with their	said and done	words taught so far.		
listener(s)	developing phonic	1.C. m. I can predict what	l i o ao taagin oo tan		
(5)	knowledge and that	might happen on the basis of			
1.SW. k. I consider	do not require them	what I have read so far			
and evaluate different	to use other				
viewpoints, attending	strategies to work	1.C. n. I can participate in			
to and building on the	out words	discussion about what is			
contributions of others		read to me			
	1.WR.h. I can re-	taking turns and listening to			
1. SW.I. I can select	read these books to	what others say			
and use appropriate	build up my fluency				
registers for effective	and confidence in	1.C. o. I can explain clearly			
communication.	word reading.	my understanding of what is			
		read to me.			



ENGLISH YEAR 2						
Spoken Word	Word Reading	Comprehension	Writing – transcription	Writing – Handwriting	Writing – Composition	Writing – Grammar, Vocabulary and Punctuation
Pupils should be	Pupils should be	Pupils should be	Spelling (see	Pupils should be	Pupils should be	Pupils should be
taught to:	taught to:	taught to:	English Appendix	taught to:	taught to:	taught to:
2.SW.a. I can listen	2.WR.a.I continue to	2.C.a. I can develop	1)	2.Wh,a, I can form	2.WC.a. I am	2.WG.a.l can
and respond	apply my phonic	my pleasure in	Pupils should be	lower-case letters	developing positive	develop my
appropriately to	knowledge and skills	reading, motivation to	taught to:	of the correct size	attitudes towards my	understanding of the
adults and their	as the route to	read, vocabulary and	2.Wt.a. I can	relative to one	work and stamina for	concepts set out in
peers	decode words until	understanding by:	segment spoken	another	writing by:	English Appendix 2
	automatic decoding	listening to,	words into		writing narratives	by:
2.SW.b. I can ask	has become	discussing and	phonemes and	2.Wh.b. I am	about personal	learning how to use
relevant questions to	embedded and my	expressing views	representing these	starting to use	experiences and	both familiar and
extend their	reading is fluent	about a wide range of	by graphemes,	some of the	those of others (real	new punctuation
understanding and		contemporary and	spelling many	diagonal and	and fictional)	correctly (see
knowledge	2.WR,b, I can read	classic poetry, stories	correctly	horizontal strokes		English Appendix 2),
	accurately by	and non-fiction at a		needed to join	2.WC.b. I can write	including full stops,
2. SW.c. I use	blending the sounds	level beyond that at	2.Wt.b. I am	letters and	about real events	capital letters,
relevant strategies to	in words that contain	which they can read	learning new ways	understand which	0.14.0	exclamation marks,
build their vocabulary	the graphemes	independently	of spelling	letters, when	2,WC. c. I can write	question marks,
articulate and justify	taught so far,	0.0 h. l. a.a.a. dia a.a.a.	phonemes for which	adjacent to one	for different purposes	commas for lists and
answers, arguments	especially	2.C.b. I can discuss	one or more	another, are best	consider what I am	apostrophes for
and opinions	recognising alternative sounds	the sequence of	spellings are already	left unjoined	going to write before	contracted forms and
2.SW.d. I can use		events in books and how items of	known, and learn some words with	2. Wh. c. I can write	beginning by:	the possessive
structured	for graphemes	information are related	each spelling,	capital letters and	planning or saying out loud what I am	(singular)
descriptions,	2.WR.c. I can read	Illioilliation are related	including a few	digits of the correct	going to write about	2.WG.b. I can write
explanations and	accurately words of	2.C.c. I am becoming	common	size, orientation	going to write about	sentences with
narratives for	two or more syllables	increasingly familiar	homophones	and relationship to	2. WC.d. I can write	different forms:
different purposes,	that contain the	with and retelling a	2.Wt.c. I am	one another and to	down ideas and/or	statement, question,
including for	same graphemes as	wider range of stories,	learning to spell	lower case letters	key words, including	exclamation,
expressing feelings	above	fairy stories and	common exception	lower ease lettere	new vocabulary	command
expressing realings	abovo	traditional tales	words	2.Wh.d. I can use	encapsulating what I	2.WG.c I can
2.SW.e. I can	2.WR.d. I can read			spacing between	want to say, sentence	expanded noun
maintain attention	words containing	2.C.d. I am being	2.Wt.d.I am learning	words that reflects	by sentence	phrases to describe
and participate	common suffixes	introduced to non-	to spell more words	the size of the	,	and specify [for
actively in		fiction books that are	with contracted	letters.	2.WC.e. I can make	example, the blue
collaborative	2.WR.e. I can read	structured in different	forms,possessive		simple additions,	butterfly]
conversations,	further common	ways	apostrophe		revisions and	''



initiating and responding to comments  noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the understanding hrough speculating, hypothesising,  initiating and responding to correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word  2.C.e. I can recognise simple recurring book]  2.C.e. I can recognise simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry  2.Wt.e.I am distinguishing book]  2.Wt.e.I am distinguishing between homophones and near-homophones and near-homophones and that verbs to grammar for year 2						Outsta
different viewpoints, attending to and building on the contributions of others  2. SW.k. I can select  information and vocabulary provided by the teacher  2. C. i. I check that the text makes sense to	initiating and responding to comments  2.SW.f.I use spoken language to develop understanding hrough speculating, hypothesising, imagining and exploring ideas  2.SW.g. I can speak audibly and fluently with an increasing command of Standard English  2.SW.h. I can participate in discussions, presentations, performances, role play, improvisations and debates  2.SW.i. I can gain, maintain and monitor the interest istener(s)  2.SW.j. I consider and evaluate different viewpoints, attending to and building on the contributi ons of others	noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word  2.WR,f, I can read most words quickly and accurately, without overt sounding and blending, when they have been frequently encountered  2.WR,g, I can read aloud books closely matched to my improving phonic knowledge, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately  2,WR,h, I can, automatically and without undue hesitation re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word	simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry  2. C;f; I can discuss and clarify the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary  2. C.g. I can discuss my favourite words and phrases continuing to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear  2. C.h. I understand both the books that I can already read accurately and fluently and those that I listen to by: drawing on what I already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher  2. C. i. I check that the	example, the girl's book]  2.Wt.e.I am distinguishing between homophones and near-homophones  2.Wt.f. I can add suffixes to spell longer words, including –ment, – ness, –ful, –less, –ly apply spelling rules and guidance, as listed in English Appendix 1  2.Wt.g. I can write from memory simple sentences dictated by my teacher that include words using the GPCs, common exception words and punctuation taught	own writing by: evaluating my writing with the teacher and other pupils  2.WC.f. I can re-read to check that my writing makes sense and that verbs to indicate time are used correctly and consistently, including verbs in the continuous form  2.WC,g, I can proof-read to check for errors in spelling, grammar and punctuation [for example, ends of sentences punctuated correctly]  2.WC,h, I can read aloud what I have written with appropriate intonation to make	2.WG.d. I can write correctly and consistently including the progressive form subordination (using when, if, that, or because) and coordination (using or, and, or but) the grammar for year 2 in English Appendix 2  2.WG.e. I can use some features of written Standard English  2.WG.f. I can use and understand the grammatical terminology in English Appendix 2 in discussing my



communication.	reading making	
	inferences on the	
	basis of what is being	
	said and done	
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	2 C i Loop onower	
	2.C, j, l can answer	
	and ask questions	
	predicting what might	
	happen on the basis of	
	what has been read so	
	far	
	2.C, k, I participate in	
	discussion about	
	books, poems and	
	other works that are	
	read to me and those	
	that I can read for	
	myself, taking turns	
	and listening to what	
	others say	
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	2.C.I. I can explain and	
	discuss my	
	understanding of	
	books, poems and	
	other material, both	
	those that I listen to	
	and those that I read	
	for myself.	
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