

Progression in Reading at Haddenham Community Junior School. Year 3 and 4 aims and outcomes

	Read words accurately	Understand texts
Statement	To apply a growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) To read further exception words, noting the spellings.	To understand the literal and more subtle nuances of texts
Outcome	Use their phonic knowledge to decode any unfamiliar words with increasing speed and skill Apply their knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes/word endings to read aloud fluently. To read all Y3/Y4 exception words, discussing the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word.	 Children can: Demonstrate a positive attitude to reading, and an understanding of what they read by listening to and discussing a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks. Predict from details stated and implied. Recall and summarise main ideas. Discuss words and phrases that capture the imagination. Retrieve and record information from non-fiction, using titles, headings, sub-headings and indexes. Use dictionaries to check the meaning of unfamiliar words. Prepare poems and plays to read aloud with expression, volume, tone and intonation. Identify recurring themes and elements of different stories (e.g. good triumphing over evil). Recognise some different forms of poetry. Understand what they read independently by checking that the text makes sense to them and explaining the meaning of words in context. Draw inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence. Predict what might happen from details stated and implied. Identify main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarise these. Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning Ask questions to improve understanding of a text. Retrieve and record information from non-fiction texts Participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say.



Progression in Reading at Haddenham Community Junior School. Year 5 and 6 aims and outcomes

	Read words accurately	Understand texts
Statement	To apply a growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) To read further exception words, noting the spellings.	To understand the literal and more subtle nuances of texts
Outcome	Children can: Fluently read root words, prefixes, suffixes/word endings Decode any unfamiliar words with increasing speed and skill, recognising their meaning through contextual cues Read all Y5/6 exception words, discussing the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word. At this stage, teaching comprehension skills should be taking precedence over teaching word reading and fluency. Any focus on word reading should support the development of vocabulary.	 Read and discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books or textbooks Recommend books to peers, giving reasons for choices. Identify and discuss themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing. Make comparisons within and across books. Learn a wide range of poetry by heart. Prepare poems and plays to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone and volume so that the meaning is clear to an audience. Check that the book makes sense, discussing understanding and exploring the meaning of words in context. Ask questions to improve understanding. Draw inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence. Predict what might happen from details stated and implied. Summarise the main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph, identifying key details that support the main ideas. Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning. Discuss and evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader. Retrieve and record information from non-fiction. Participate in discussion about books, building on their own and others' ideas and challenging views courteously. Distinguish between statements of fact and opinion. Provide reasoned justifications for views.