

St Paul's CE Primary School – Reading Assessment Sheet

	Year Two					
	Working Towards	Expected	Greater Depth			
Word Reading	Usually reads aloud books consistent with phonic knowledge with increasing accuracy and fluency and can self-correct when whilst reading. Applies phonic knowledge, including alternative representations for phonemes, when reading unfamiliar words.	Decoding is established and a range of age-appropriate texts is read with consistent accuracy, fluency and confidence, sounding out unfamiliar words accurately, automatically and without undue hesitation. Decodes using alternative sounds for graphemes; words of two or more syllables; words with common suffixes; and most common exception words, based on what has been taught. Re-reads books to build up fluency and confidence.	Automatic decoding is established and a range of texts are read independently with consistent accuracy, fluency and confidence.			
Comprehension	Reading is seen as a pleasurable activity Discusses the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related Becomes increasingly familiar with and retelling a wider range of stories, fairy stories and traditional tales Recognises simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry Demonstrates understanding of both the books that they can already read accurately and fluently and those that they listen to by: - predicting what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far - talking about key characters and events Recognises some of the features of non-fiction texts	Reading is seen as a pleasurable activity. Listens to, discusses and expresses views about a wide range of contemporary and classic poetry, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently. Discusses and clarifies the meanings of words, linking new meanings to known vocabulary. Continues to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear. Understands both the books that they can already read accurately and fluently and those that they listen to by: - participating in discussions about books, poems and other works, explaining and discussing their understanding of these texts. Demonstrates knowledge of non-fiction books that are structured in different ways. Confidently records and retrieves information from non-fiction using contents and indexes. - Recognising an increasing range of different forms of poetry.	Reading is seen as a pleasurable activity and interest is pursued in particular texts e.g. genre, author, topic. Recognises recurring literary language in stories and poetry and is beginning to relate these to author or genre. New words are understood through the exploration of their meaning in context, and by making links to known vocabulary. Understands both the books that they can already read accurately and fluently and those that they listen to by: - making plausible inferences and predictions based on what has been read, offered and explained. - answering and asking questions Demonstrates an understanding of more challenging age appropriate texts.			

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