

YEAR 4

END OF YEAR EXPECTATIONS

READING - WORD READING

I can use my existing knowledge of a range of different words to help with reading aloud and understanding the meaning of new words.

I am aware that some words sound different to how they are spelt.

READING - SPEAKING AND LISTENING

I can use a dictionary to check the meaning of new words.

I can talk about different types of stories I have read.

I can perform poems and play scripts aloud to keep the listener interested.

I can recognise different types of poetry.

READING - COMPREHENSION

I check what I am reading makes sense by talking about it.

I can ask questions to help me understand more about a book.

I can use non-fiction books to find out about things.

I can predict events in stories from what I have read.

I can take turns when discussing books I have read, or had read to me and listen to what others have to say.

I use evidence from different parts of the text to support my inferences such as showing characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions across the story.

I can tell what the main ideas in a book are from reading a number of paragraphs.

I will discuss words and phrases that interest me.

READING ACTIVITIES

Home readers – read with your child for at least 10 minutes every day.

Finger puppets – use finger puppets to re-tell the story they have read.

What's in the news? - cut out an interesting news story and cut the paragraphs apart. Ask your child to read the paragraphs and put them in order.

Poems – encourage your child to read poems. You could get them to act out certain parts.

Cooking – when trailing new recipes ask your child to read out the instructions.

SUGGESTED WEBSITES

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/english/reading/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/spellits/>

<http://www.educationquizzes.com/ks2/english/>

<http://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years/spelling-and-grammar>

<http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/revision/engindex.html>

<http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/interactive/literacy.html>

<http://www.crickweb.co.uk/ks2literacy.html>

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