Dereham Church Infant and Nursery School- Literacy



Year group: 1

Reading:

- •Listen to and discuss a wide range of stories.
- •Be encouraged to link what they read or hear read to their own experiences.
- Become very familiar with key stories, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics
- •Recognising and joining in with predictable phrases
- •Discussing word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known.
- •Draw on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher.
- •Discuss the significance of the title and events...
- •Making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done.
- •Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.
- •Explain clearly their understanding of what is read to them.
- •Read and blend words with more than one syllable containing taught GPCs.

Area/topic: Literacy POR text: Beegu by Alexis Deacon

Writing:

- •Say out loud what they are going to write about.
- ·Compose a sentence orally before writing it.
- Sequence sentences to form short narratives
- •Re-read what they have written to check that it makes sense.
- •Discuss what they have written with the teacher or other pupils.
- •Read aloud their writing clearly enough to be heard by their peers and the teacher.
- ·Leave spaces between words.
- •Begin to punctuate sentences with a capital letter and full stop.
- •Use a capital letter for the personal pronoun 'I'.
- •Sit correctly at a table, holding a pencil comfortably and correctly.
- •Begin to form lower-case letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place using pre-cursive.
- Spell at least 20 common exception words and the HRS words from phases 2 and 3.
- •Spell words with the phonemes that have been taught this term.

•Read the common exception words that	Write from memory simple sentences dictated
have been taught.	by the teacher that include words using the
	GPCS and common exception words taught so
	far.

Prior Jearning	Future learning
Children will be able to recall the main events of	Children will participate in discussion about
a story and make predictions.	books and poems that are read to them, taking
Children will know that information can be	turns and listening to what others say.
retrieved from a book.	Children will be able to ask and answer
Children will be able to form lower case and	questions about what they have read.
capital letters correctly.	Children will learn about the features and
Children will be able to write short sentences with	structures of non fiction texts.
words with known sound-letter correspondences	Children will start using some of the diagonal
using a capital letter and full stop.	and horizontal strokes needed to join letters.
Children will be able to re-read what they have	Children will write narratives about personal
written to check that it makes sense.	experiences and those of others (real and
	fictional)
	Children will proofread to check for errors in
	spelling, grammar and punctuation

What pupils need to know or do to be secure		
Key knowledge and skills	Possible evidence	
I can explain the significance of the title and events of a story.	Role on the wall	
I can retell the main events of a story.	Character description	

I can take part in a book discussion and say what I like and dislike. I can explain how a character is feeling using information from the text and illustrations.

I know the key features of an instruction text and can use some of these in my writing.

I know the key features of a letter and can use some of these in my own writing.

I can use finger spaces, a capital letter and full stop in my sentence.

I can use 'and' to join my sentence.

Key vocabulary

Character, setting, events, author, illustrator, title, fiction, non fiction, instructions, sentence, capital letter, full stops, punctuation, conjunction.

Instruction writing Letter writing Non Fiction – A guide to Earth

Common misconceptions	Books linking to this area
Children might think a line of writing is a	Beegu by Alexis Deacon
sentence.	The way back home by Oliver Jeffers
Children may muddle capital letters and lower	
case letters.	
Children may use 'and' throughout their sentence	
creating a long list rather than a standard	
sentence.	
Memorable first hand experiences	Opportunities for communication
Testing out instructions for playground games	Hot seating
Library visit	Role Play
	Freeze Frames

Book Talk Sharing our 'Guide to Earth' with a partner

Communication and Interaction

Short, simple instructions
Give children thinking time
Pre – teach key words
Provide visual aids
Adult to model appropriate responses to questions
Model task

Social Emotional and Mental health

Seat pupil by more confident peer
Now and next board
Sand timers
Movement breaks
Break down tasks into small steps

Cognition and Learning

Give children thinking time
Break down tasks into small steps
Give opportunities for over-learning
Word mats
Story starters
Talking tins
Writing frames
Give children thinking time
Break down tasks into small steps
Cut and paste word sentences
Work checklists
Guided writing

Sensory and Physical

Appropriate seating
Wobble boards
Writing slope
Enlarge text
Variety of writing tools available