Dereham Church Infant and Nursery School-Literacy Spring 1



Year group: 1

Reading:

- Listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction and non fiction texts.
- Discuss word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known.
- Discuss the sequence of events within a book.
- •Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read
- Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done.
- •Read and blend words containing the sounds taught this term.
- •Read the common exception words that have been taught this term.
- •Read words with the suffixes -ed, -er.

Area/topic: Literacy POR text: The snail and the whale by Julia Donaldson

Writing:

- Compose a sentence orally before writing it.
- Sequence sentences to form short narratives
- 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.
- Use capital letters and full stops correctly.
- ·Leave spaces between words.
- · Join clauses using 'and'.
- •Use a capital letter for names of people.
- •Use the suffix -es.
- •Spell at least 40 common exception words.
- •Spell words with the phonemes that have been taught this term.

Prior learning	Future learning
Children will know that information can be	Children will participate in discussion about
retrieved from a non fiction book.	books and poems that are read to them, taking
Children will be able to retell the main events in a	turns and listening to what others say.
story.	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, full stop and finger spaces	and horizontal strokes needed to join letters.
between words.	Children will write narratives about personal
Children will be able to re-read what they have	experiences and those of others (real and
written to check that it makes sense.	fictional)
	Children will punctuate sentences with exclamation
	marks and question marks.

What pupils need to know or do to be secure		
Key knowledge and skills	Possible evidence	
I know the features of a fiction and non fiction text and can retrieve	Letter writing	
information from a non fiction book.	Non fiction writing	
I know the features of a letter and can use some of these in my own		
writing.		
I can use capital letters, full stops and fingers spaces in my writing.		
I can use capital letters for names of people and places.		
I can use 'and' to join sentences together.		
Key vocabulary		
capital letter, full stops, punctuation, conjunction, suffix		

Common misconceptions	Books linking to this area
Children may use 'and' throughout their sentence creating a long list rather than a standard sentence. Children may muddle capital letters and lower case letters.	The snail and the whale by Julia Donaldson Big Blue Whale by Nicola Davies. Is a Blue Whale the Biggest Thing There Is? by Robert E Wells Rock Pool Secrets by Narelle Oliver In One Tidepool: Crabs, Snails and Salty Tails by Anthony D. Fredericks One Tiny Turtle by Nicola Davies and Jane Chapman Seahorse: The Shyest Fish in the Sea by Chris Butterworth Dolphin Baby by Nicola Davies and Brita Granström The Lighthouse Keeper's Rescue by Ronda and David Armitage Blue Penguin by Petr Horáček
Memorable first hand experiences	Opportunities for communication
Visit to the seaside Keeping and caring for a snail	Work together to build tuff spot/small world areas of the different locations the snail visited. Work together to complete research based activities. Hot seating

DCINS Reasonable adjustments for pupils with SEND

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

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 sentences
Work checklists
Guided writing

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

Sensory and Physical

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