



### <u>Intent</u>

At Holly Lodge, we believe that the skills covered in English are vital for enabling children to access every area of the school curriculum, preparing them for their future. Emphasis is shared between the development of spoken and written English, as well as the teaching of reading and encouraging 'reading for pleasure'. The school's aim is to encourage the development of an enthusiastic, well-rounded learner who is able to approach both spoken and written forms of communication confidently.

#### **Implementation**

From Reception, children share stories, poems and books of all types. Throughout the school, children are exposed to a wide range of rich, stimulating texts, both fiction and non-fiction. These are often topic-based, offering a variety of cross-curricular reading experiences in a variety of genres, and provide children with inspiration and purpose for their writing. In order to deepen their understanding and broaden their vocabulary, teachers read to children as well as with them, in whole class settings, as well as in small groups and individually. Children are encouraged to read independently and choose their own books from classrooms and the well-stocked library. To further develop a love of reading, we run an annual book day, hold book fairs and work to establish home reading routines through reading records and communicating with parents.

Children begin phonics in reception and build upon this knowledge throughout the rest of Early Years and KS1. Alongside this, children also learn to read key words to build their sight vocabulary. Reading schemes are used to support children as they develop their abilities. These ensure a structured progression in reading, alongside the teaching of phonics. Children with EAL, SEN or finding reading a challenge are supported with various targeted reading interventions.

#### <u>Impact</u>

Children leave Holly Lodge

- with a love of reading;
- able to read widely, fluently and with deep understanding, for a range of purposes, including for pleasure;
- appreciating our rich and varied literary heritage, as well as that of other cultures;
- confident sharing their reading with others, both verbally and in writing;
- with a wide vocabulary, an understanding of grammar and knowledge of conventions for reading, which they apply in their writing and speaking.





Word Reading								
Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs. Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound-blending. Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.	Apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words Read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words containing GPCs that have been taught Read common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word Read words containing taught GPCs and -s, -es, -ing, -ed, -er and - est endings Read other words of more than one syllable that contain taught GPCs Read words with contractions and understand that the	Continue to apply phonic knowledge and skills to decode words until automatic decoding has become embedded and reading is fluent Read accurately by blending the sounds in words that contain the graphemes taught so far, especially recognising alternative sounds for graphemes Read accurately words of two or more syllables that contain graphemes taught so far Read words containing common suffixes Read further common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound where these occur in the word	Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words they meet Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word	Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words they meet Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word	Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology) both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet	Apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology) both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that they meet		

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	apostrophe represents the omitted letter(s)	Read most words quickly and accurately without overt sounding and blending, when they have been frequently encountered				S. I.F.	Y Acade
<u>Key Vocab</u> Sound, alphabet, blend, segment	<u>Key Vocab</u> Contraction, apostrophe, grapheme, phoneme, syllable	Key Vocab Fluent, common exception words	<u>Key Vocab</u> root words, prefixes and suffixes				





# Fluency and Reading for Pleasure

Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Listen attentively and	Respond speedily with	Read aloud books	Read accurately and	Listen to & discuss a	Continue to	Continue to
respond to what they	the correct sound to	closely matched to	at speed to focus on	wide range of fiction,	read/discuss an	read/discuss an
hear with relevant	graphemes for all 40+	their improving	understanding.	poetry, plays, non-	increasingly wide	increasingly wide
questions, comments	phonemes, including,	phonic knowledge,		fiction & reference	range of fiction,	range of fiction,
and actions when	where applicable,	sounding out	Listen to & discuss a	or text books	poetry, plays, non-	poetry, plays, non-
being read to and	alternative sounds	unfamiliar words	wide range of fiction,		fiction & ref or	fiction & ref or
during whole class	for graphemes	accurately,	poetry, plays, non-	Listen to & discuss a	textbooks	textbooks.
discussions and small		automatically and	fiction & reference	wide range of fiction,		
group interactions.	Read aloud accurately	without undue	or text books	poetry, plays, non-	Reading books that	Read age-
	books that are	hesitation		fiction & reference	are structured in	appropriate books
Make comments	consistent with their		Read books that are	or text books	different ways and	with confidence and
about what they have	phonic knowledge and	Re-read these books	structured in		reading for a range	fluency (including
heard and ask	that do not require	to build up their	different ways and	Read books that are	of purposes	whole novels)
questions to clarify	them to use other	fluency and	reading for a range	structured in		
their understanding;	strategies to work	confidence	of purposes	different ways and	Increasing familiarity	Reading books that
	out words			reading for a range	with a wide range of	are structured in
		Listen to, discuss and	Increase their	of purposes	books, inc myths,	different ways and
	Re-read these books	express views about a	familiarity with a		legends & traditional	reading for a range
	to build up their	wide range of	wide range of books,	Increase their	stories, modern	of purposes
	fluency and	contemporary and	including fairy	familiarity with a	fiction, fiction from	
	confidence in word	classic poetry,	stories, myths and	wide range of books,	our literary heritage	Increasing familiarity
	reading	stories and non-	legends, and retelling	including fairy	& books from other	with a wide range of
		fiction at a level	some of these orally	stories, myths and	cultures & traditions	books, inc myths,
	Listen to	beyond that at which		legends, and retelling		legends & traditional
	and discuss a wide	they can read	Show that they can	some of these orally	Recommending books	stories, modern
	range of poems,	independently	use the library to		that they have read	fiction, fiction from
	stories and non-		select age-	Use the library to	to their peers, giving	our literary heritage
	fiction at a level	Become increasingly	appropriate books to	select age-	reasons for their	& books from other
	beyond that at which	familiar with and	read from different	appropriate books to	choices	cultures & traditions
	they can read	retell a wider range	authors/genre.	read from authors		
	independently	of stories, fairy	_	they may not have	Learning a wider	Recommending books
		stories and	Prepare simple poems	read before.	range of poetry by	that they have read
	Be encouraged to	traditional tales	and play scripts to		heart	to their peers, giving
	link what they read		read aloud and to			

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	or hear read to their own personal experiences Become very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics Recognise and join in with predictable phrases Appreciate rhymes and poems, and able to recite some by heart	Be introduced to non- fiction books that are structured in different ways Continuing to build up a repertoire of poems learnt by heart, appreciating these and reciting some, with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear	perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action Discuss words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination	Prepare simple poems and play scripts to read aloud, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action Take part in a performance to a group using the appropriate volume and action Discuss words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination	Preparing 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	reasons for their choices Recommending books that they have read to their peers, giving reasons for their choices Learning a wider range of poetry by heart Preparing 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
<u>Key Vocab</u> Listen, ask, act, question	<u>Key Vocab</u> Fairy tale, traditional tale, rhyme, poem, retell	<u>Key Vocab</u> Poetry, fiction, non- fiction,	<u>Key Vocab</u> Play scripts, myths, legends, library, author, legend, vocabulary, Perform, intonation, volume, action, word, phrase, vocabulary	<u>Key Vocab</u> Play scripts, myths, legends, library, author, legend, vocabulary, Perform, intonation, volume, action, word, phrase, vocabulary	<u>Key Vocab</u> Reference book, structure, purpose	<u>Key Vocab</u> Reference book, structure, purpose, novel





	Comprehension							
Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced	Discuss word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known Draw on what they already know or on background	Recognise simple recurring literary language in stories and poetry Discuss and clarifying the meanings of words, linking new	Use a dictionary to check the meaning of words that they have read Identify conventions in a wide range of books. (E.g. greetings	Use a dictionary to check the meaning of words that they have read Identify themes and conventions in a wide range of books	Identifying and discussing themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing Making comparisons within and across	Identifying and discussing themes and conventions in and across a wide range of writing Making comparisons within and across		
vocabulary. Anticipate - where appropriate - key	information and vocabulary provided by the teacher	meanings to known vocabulary; discuss their favourite words and phrases	in letters, first person in diary; use of presentational devices such as	Recognise some different forms of poetry (e.g. free	books Check the book makes sense to them,	books Check the book makes sense to them,		
events in stories. Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during	Checking that the text makes sense to them as they read and correcting inaccurate reading	Drawing on what they already know or on background information and	numbering and headings in instructions). Identify themes in a	verse, narrative poetry) Check that the text makes sense to them,	discuss their understanding, explore the meaning of words in context	discuss their understanding, explore the meaning of words in context		
discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play.	Discuss the significance of the title and events	vocabulary provided by the teacher Discuss the sequence	wide range of books (e.g. triumphs of good over evil; use of magical devices in	discussing their understanding and explaining the meaning of words in	Asking questions to improve their understanding	Asking questions to improve their understanding		
	Make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done	of events in books and how items of information are related	fairy stories and folk tales). Recognise some different forms of	context Ask questions to improve their understanding of a	Draw inferences (characters' feelings, thoughts & motives) from their actions, & justify with evidence	Draw inferences (characters' feelings, thoughts & motives) from their actions, & justify with evidence		
	Predict what might happen on the basis of what has been said so far	Checking that the text makes sense to them as they read and correcting inaccurate reading	poetry (e.g. free verse, narrative poetry) Check that the text	text Draw inferences such as inferring characters' feelings,	Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied	Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied		
	Participate in discussion about what is read to them,		makes sense to them, discussing their understanding and	thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying	Summarise main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph,	Summarise main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph,		

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taking turns and listening to what	Making inferences on the basis of what is	explaining the meaning of words in	inferences with evidence	identify key details that support the main	identify key details that support the mo
others say	being said and done	context		ideas	ideas.
			Predict what might		
Explain clearly their	Answering and asking	Ask questions to	happen from details	Identifying how	Use quotations for
understanding of what is read to them	questions	improve their understanding of a	stated and implied	language, structure and presentation	illustration to justi opinion and to suppo
what is read to ment	Predicting what might	text	T doub! Complexity is done	contribute to meaning	ideas drawn from t
	happen on the basis		Identify main ideas drawn from more		text
	of what has been	Draw inferences such	than one paragraph	Discuss & evaluate	
	read so far	as inferring	and summarise these	how authors use	Identifying how
		characters' feelings,		language, inc figurativ	language, structure
	Participate in	thoughts and motives	Identify how	e language,	and presentation
	discussion about	from their actions,	language, structure	considering the	contribute to meani
	books, poems and	and justify	and presentation	impact on the reader	
	other works that are	inferences with	contribute to		Discuss & evaluate
	read to them and	evidence	meaning	Distinguish between	how authors use
	those that they can	Due diet whet wisht		statements of fact	language, inc figura
	read for themselves,	Predict what might	Retrieve and record	and opinion	e language,
	taking turns and listening to what	happen from details stated and implied	information from non-	Retrieve, record and	considering the impact on the reade
	others say	stated and implied	fiction	present information	impact on the reade
	omers suy	Identify main ideas	Plan what information	from non-fiction	Distinguish betweer
	Explain and discuss	drawn from more	to collect for a		statements of fact
	their understanding	than one paragraph	research project.	Participate in	and opinion
	of books, poems and	and summarise these	research project.	discussions about	
	other material, both		Participate in a	books that are read	Retrieve, record an
	those that they listen	Identifying how	discussion by planning	to them and those	present information
	to and those that	language, structure	questions and	they can read for	from non-fiction
	they read for	and presentation	responding	themselves, building	
	themselves.	contribute to	appropriately.	on their own and	Participate in
		meaning		others' ideas and	discussions about
	Make links between	Detaining and record	Participate in	challenging views	books that are read
	the book they are	Retrieve and record	discussion about both	courteously	to them and those
	reading and others they have read.	information from non- fiction	books that are read	Explain and discuss	they can read for themselves, building
	mey nuve reuu.		to them and those	their understanding	on their own and
		Use the contents and	they can read for themselves, taking	of what they have	others' ideas and
		index to find	memserves, raking	read, including	challenging views
				through formal	courteously

			of Skills – ENGL information from non- fiction 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	turns and listening to what others say.	presentations and debates, maintaining a focus on the topic and using notes where necessary Provide reasoned justifications for their views Consider different accounts of the same event and discuss	Explain and discuss their understanding of what they have read, including through formal presentations and debates, maintaining a focus on the topic and using notes where necessary. Provide reasoned justifications for
<u>Key Vocab</u> Rhyme, poem, role play	<u>Key Vocab</u> Meaning, title, events, predict, discuss, take turns	<u>Key Vocab</u> Language, clarify, background information, make links	<u>Key Vocab</u> dictionary, conventions, themes poetry, context, inferences, justify, evidence, predict, summarise, presentation, contents, index	<u>Key Vocab</u> dictionary, conventions, themes poetry, context, inferences, justify, evidence, predict, summarise, presentation, contents, index	viewpoints. <u>Key Vocab</u> themes, conventions, comparisons, context, inferences, justify, evidence, predicting, summarise, identify, discuss, evaluate, impact, retrieve, record, present, challenging, presentations, debate, viewpoints	their views. <u>Key Vocab</u> themes, conventions, comparisons, context, inferences, justify, evidence, predicting, summarise, identify, discuss, evaluate, impact, retrieve, record, present, challenging, presentations, debate, viewpoints