

Phonics Expectations at RCPA



Nursery

| Summer Term | With the older Nursery children we will focus on oral blending and |
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| | segmenting e.g. d-o-g makes dog. We will focus on listening skills |
| | linked to rhythm, rhyme, environmental and instrumental |
| | sounds. We will begin to look at Set 1 phonics through play |
| | activities and games. |

Reception

| Autumn Term | Set 1, formation of single letters, moving onto writing cvc words. These additional sounds will also be taught: ck. |
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| | Speed Sounds Set 1 |
| | m a s d t |
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| | c c k u b b f f |
| | e l l h sh r |
| | j v y w th |
| | z ch qu x ng nk |
| Spring Term | Set 2, writing ccvc, cvcc words and captions/sentences. These additional sounds will also be taught: kn, ph, wh. These red words will be taught which link to the expected reading level: put, the, I, no, of, my, for, he. |



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| | Speed Sounds, Set 2 |
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| | ay ee igh ow oo poo at the zoo |
| | oo ar a book ook start the car of shut the door of that's not fair of the whirt and twirl |
| | ou shout it out shout it out out toy for a boy |
| Summer Term | Set 2, writing longer sentences with 5+ letter words. Set 3 may be taught if appropriate for the cohort of pupils. These additional sounds will also be taught: ie, e-e These red words will be taught which link to the expected reading level: your, said, you, be, are, to, me, go, baby. |

Year One

| Autumn Term | Set 2, writing words within compound sentences using 'and', 'or', 'but', 'so'. These additional sounds will also be taught: ck, kn, ph, wh, ie. These red words will be taught which link to the expected reading level: all, like, I've, want, call, we, her, she, some, so. Speed Sounds, Set 2 |
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| | ay loay? ee igh ow oo oo oo oo oo oo o |
| Spring Term | Set 3, writing words within sentences including other conjunctions or simple adjectives. These additional sounds will also be taught: e-e, au, ue. These red words will be taught which link to the expected reading level: what, they, do, old, was, saw, watch, school, small, their, were, who, tall, one, brother, I'm, there, any, where. |



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| | ea oi cup of tea Oi spoil the boy |
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| | nice smale of home of huge brute away yawn at dawn |
| | are our surve with a purse a better letter of brown cow on ail of the roin. |
| | oa ew lire ear ure ure sure it's pure |
| Summer Term | Set 3, writing words within sentences including question marks and exclamation marks. Read a passage at 60-70 words per min attempting intonation. |
| | These red words will be taught which link to the expected reading level: does, other, two, could, ball, would, wash, water, anyone, over, wasn't, through, once, son, whole, people. |

Year Two

| Autumn Term | Recap Set 2 and Set 3 reading and writing words within |
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| | sentences. |
| | Read a passage at 70-80 words per min attempting |
| | intonation. |
| | These red words will be taught which link to the expected |
| | reading level: should, come, many, mother, above, father, |
| | here, buy, bought, great, someone, another, walk, caught, |
| | worse, everyone, talk, thought, love, wear. |
| | RWI Spelling will commence in Autumn 2 nd half if |
| | appropriate for the cohort of pupils. |
| Spring Term | Phonics will be continued as an intervention for those pupils |
| | who require it. The majority of pupils will be working on |
| | spelling and grammar rules. |