

VPA Progression in Phonics and Get Writing in Reception and Key Stage One

Creating Learners Without Limits

Phonics:

The table below shows the groups the children progress through in the Read Write Inc. programme from Set 1-A, usually at the beginning of Year R, through to Grey in Year 2. We would expect children to move at least one group every term.

In these groups the children learn Set 1 sounds and learn how to blend sounds to read words
In these groups, the children learn the Set 1 digraphs and read words containing these sounds
In these groups, the children learn Set 2 sounds and read
words containing these sounds
In these groups, the children learn the Set 3 sounds and read words containing these sounds

Get Writing:

Each writing activity has a purpose, this supports the children to understand the skills they are learning and why.

Green, Purple, Pink and Orange		
Activity	Purpose	
Hold a Sentence 1 and 2	To hold a sentence in our heads before writing it with	
	correct spelling and punctuation	
Build a Sentence	To build a sentence out loud	
Write about	To write a composition based on the book using the six	
	key steps for writing	
Proofread	To correct spelling and punctuation errors	

Yellow, Blue and Grey		
Activity	Purpose	
Red Rhythms – Spelling Red	To spell red words correctly	
Words		
Fred Fingers – Spelling Green	To spell Green Words correctly	
Words		
Hold a Sentence 1 and 2	To hold a sentence in our heads before writing it with	
	correct spelling and punctuation	
Build a Sentence	To build a sentence out loud before writing it down	
Spell Check	To check we can spell the Red and Green Words	
Grammar	To learn and practise new grammar skills	
Vocabulary	To learn new and interpret vocabulary to use in our	
	writing	
Write about	To write a composition based on the book using the six	
	key steps for writing	
Proofread – spelling and	To correct spelling and punctuation errors	
grammar		
Spell Test	To celebrate the words we can spell and identify words we	
	need to practice	
Words to Keep	To select our favourite words from our Write About to use	
	in future writing	