



Primary Languages Progression Map

Deepen understanding of the world, express idea and thoughts in another language, respond to speakers

		Year 1/2	Year 3/5	Year 5/6
Building Blocks	Spoken	Join in songs and rhymes Respond to simple commands Answer with simple words or phrases Ask appropriate questions Name people, place and objects Use set phrases Choose the right word to complete a phrase or short sentence	Name and describe people, places and objects Take part in a short conversation saying 3-4 things Respond using a short phrase Starting to speak in sentences	Hold a simple conversation with at least 4 exchanges Use grammatical knowledge to speak correctly
	Read	Read and understand single words Read and understand short phrases Use simple dictionaries to find the meaning of words	Read and understand a short passage using familiar language Explain the main points in a short passage Read a passage independently Use a dictionary to look up new words	Understand a short story or factual text and note the main points Use the context to work out unfamiliar words
	Writing	Write single words correctly Label a picture Copy a simple word or phrase	Write phrases from memory Write 2-3 short sentences on a familiar topic Say likes/dislikes about a familiar topic	Write paragraphs of 4-5 sentences Substitute words and phrases