Reading at SPJS

National	Year 3 & Year 4 PoS statutory requirements	Year 5 & Year 6 PoS statutory requirements	
Curriculum PoS			
Word reading	 Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (listed in English Appendix 1), both to read aloud & to understand the meaning of new words they met Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling & sound, & where these occur in the word 	 Apply growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (listed in English Appendix 1), both to read aloud & to understand the meaning of new words they met 	
Comprehension	Develop positive attitudes to reading & understanding of	Maintain positive attitudes to reading & understanding of	
	 what they read by: Listening to & discussing a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction & reference books or textbooks Reading books that are structured in different ways & reading for a range of purposes Using dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read Increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths & legends & retelling some of these orally Identifying themes & conventions in a wide range of books Preparing poems & play scripts to read aloud & to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume & action 	 what they read by: continuing to read & discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction & reference books or textbooks reading books that are structured in different ways & reading for a range of purposes increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including myths, legends & traditional stories, modern fiction, fiction from our literary heritage & books from other cultures & traditions recommending books that they read to their peers, giving reasons for their choices identifying & discussing themes & conventions in & across a wide range of writing making comparisons within & across books learning a wider range of poetry by heart 	

- Discussing words & phrases that capture the reader's interest & imagination
- Recognising some different forms of poetry eg. free verse, narrative poetry

<u>Understand what they read, in books they can read</u> independently, by:

- Checking that the text makes sense to them, discussing their understanding & explaining the meaning of words
- Asking questions to improve their understanding of a text
- Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts & motives from their actions & justifying inferences with evidence
- Predicting what might happen from details stated & implied
- Identifying main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph & summarising these
- Identifying how language, structure & presentation contribute to meaning

Retrieve & record information from non-fiction

<u>Participate in discussion about both books that are read to them & those they can read for themselves, taking turns & listening to what others say</u>

 preparing poems & plays to read aloud & to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone & volume so that the meaning is clear to an audience

<u>Understand what they read by:</u>

- checking that the book makes sense to them, discussing their understanding & exploring the meaning of words in context
- asking questions to improve their understanding
- drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts & motives from their actions, & justifying inferences with evidence
- predicting what might happen from details stated & implied
- summarizing the main ides drawn from more than one paragraph, identifying key details that support the main ideas
- identifying how language, structure & presentation contribute to meaning

<u>Discuss & evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader</u>

Distinguish between statements of fact & opinion

		Retrieve, record & present information from non- fiction Participate in discussions about books that are read to them & those they can read for themselves, building on their own & others ideas & challenging views courteously Explain & discuss their understanding of what they have read, including through formal presentations & debates, maintaining a focus on the topic & using notes where necessary Provide reasoned justifications for their views	
Range	 Listen to & discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry play, non-fiction & reference books or textbooks. Increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including fairy stories, myths & legends & retelling some of these orally 	 Continuing to read & discuss an increasingly wide range of fiction, poetry, play, non-fiction & reference books or textbooks. increasing their familiarity with a wide range of books, including myths, legends & traditional stories, modern fiction, fiction from our literary heritage & books from other cultures & traditions 	

Specific year group coverage	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Fiction	Fairy Stories	Myths & Legends	Traditional stories Literary heritage	Other cultures & traditions Literary heritage Myths & Legends
Poetry	Michael Rosen Roald Dahl	Roger McGough Alan Ahlberg	Bejamin Zephaniah Joseph Coelho	Grace Nichols Carol Ann Duffy
Plays	Link to Fairy Stories	Link to Myths & Legends	Link to traditional stories	Link to Literary heritage - Shakespeare Shorts
Non-Fiction	Nb: Link to Science & Humanities where possible Variety of texts from Literacy Shed (School	Nb: Link to Science & Humanities where possible Variety of texts from Literacy Shed (School	Nb: Link to Science & Humanities where possible Variety of texts from Literacy Shed (School subscription)	Nb: Link to Science & Humanities where possible Variety of texts from Literacy Shed (School subscription)
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