

Year 1 Reading Ladder

<u>Reading Ladder Year 1</u>		
Word Reading	I can apply phonic knowledge and skills to decode words	
	I can read speedily with the correct sound to grapheme for all phonemes including the alternative sounds for graphemes taught so far	
	I can accurately by blending sounds	
	I can read common 'exception' words seeing unusual rules between spelling and sound	
	I can read words containing -s, -es, -ing, -ed, -er and -est endings	
	I can read words with more than one syllable	
	I can read words with contractions and understand why the apostrophe is there	
	I can read aloud books accurately that link to my phonic knowledge	
	I can re-read these books to build fluency and confidence in my reading	
Developing and maintaining reading for pleasure	I can listen to, discuss and express views about a wide range of some classic and contemporary poems, stories and non-fiction texts that are more difficult	
	I can link what I'm reading to my own experiences	
	I can recognise simple phrases and words that reoccur in poems and stories	
	I am familiar with key stories and traditional tales and can retell these	
	I can recognise and join in with phrases	
	I can learn poems by heart and recite some poems	
	I can discuss the meaning of words and link new meaning to those I already know	
Understanding of books	I can check that the text makes sense to me.	
	I can discuss the title and the events in the book	
Inferences	I can make inferences and say why things might have happened from what is said or done	
Prediction	I can make a prediction of what might happen next	
Participate in discussions about books	I participate and join in with discussions about books, poems and other stories I have heard and can listen to what others say	
	I can explain and discuss clearly my understanding of what is read to me	