Fidelity to the RWI scheme – all reading teachers follow the scheme to ensure strong teaching

Reading, including the teaching of systematic, synthetic phonics, is taught from the beginning of Reception.

This continues throughout KS1 and for those children in KS2 that require it.



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Phonics Curriculum Offer



Every child a reader:

The school is determined that every pupil will learn to read, regardless of their background, needs or abilities

The ongoing assessment of children's phonics progress is sufficiently frequent and detailed to identify any pupil who is falling behind the programme's pace. If they do fall behind, targeted support is given immediately.



Decodable books carefully matched to children's phonic knowledge.

Reading books enable children to develop fluency and build on phonics knowledge.

Stories, poems, rhymes and nonfiction are chosen for reading to develop children's vocabulary, language comprehension and love of reading. Children are familiar with and enjoy listening to a wide range of stories, poems, rhymes and non-fiction.

