## Reception Reading and Writing Curriculum Age Related Expectations



In Reading and Writing we would like your children to be able to do the following independently by the end of the school year. Your support in helping your children reach these milestones would be much appreciated.

## Reading

I can read and understand simple sentences.

I can use my phonic knowledge to decode common words and read them aloud accurately.

I can confidently read by sight the phase 2 and 3 common exception words

I can demonstrate an understanding when talking with others about what I have read.

I can suggest what a story might be about from the title, blurb or illustrations.

I can say who the main characters are in a familiar story.

I can retell simple familiar stories in the correct order.

I can choose and share my favourite books I like to read for pleasure from a selection.

## Writing

I can use my phonic knowledge to write words in a way which matches how I say the sounds.

I can write some irregular common words.

I can put a capital letter at the start of each of my names.

I can write simple sentences that I can read.

I can write simple sentences that can be read by others.

I can spell correctly simple regular words.

I can write some lower case letters using the correct formation.

Friendship, Honesty, Kindness, Teamwork, Perseverance, Respect