

Matching Progression in Literacy - Expectations of Progress

Benchmark Level	Approx. Assessment Level at End of Year	Bookband Colour	Approx. Reading Age	Read Write Inc. Stage		Word Lists	Assessment Format
0	NS	Pre Pink	Below 5	Set 1 Sounds Group A		Early Nursery words Word Time 1.1	Baseline assessment
1,2	R beginning	Pink	Below 5	Group B/C Blending	Set 1 sounds	Word Time 1.1 – 1.6	Half-termly Benchmarking PIRA at end of terms Rising Stars Classroom Monitor Phonics/Read Write Inc. Assessments Phonics Screening Check Y1
3,4,5	R developing	Red	5	Ditty / Red Group	Set 1 sounds	Word Time 1.6-1.7	
6,7,8	R secure	Yellow	5-6	Green/ Purple	Set 2 sounds	Green words Storybook Green and Red words.	
9,10,11	Y1 beginning	Blue	5-6	Pink	Set 2 sounds		
12,13,14	Y1 developing	Green	5-6	Orange	Set 3 sounds		
15,16	Y1 developing	Orange	5-6	Yellow	Set 3 sounds		
17,18	Y1 secure	Turquoise	6-7	Blue	Set 3 sounds		
19,20	Y2 beginning	Purple	6-7	Grey	Set 3 sounds		
21,22	Y2 developing	Gold	6-7	Literacy and Language Y2	My Book Blog		
23,24	Y2 secure	White	7-8		CG1-2		
25,26	Y3 beginning	Lime	7-8	Literacy and Language	My Book Blog	KS2 RWI Spelling	Half termly Benchmarking Classroom Monitor Bug Club assessments Rising Stars Classroom Monitor Read Write Inc. KS2 assessments KS2 SATS
27	Y3 developing	Copper	7-8		CG 2-3		
28	Y3 secure	Topaz	8-9		My Book Blog		
29	Y4 beginning	Ruby	8-9		CG 3-4		
30	Y4 developing	Emerald	8-9		My Book Blog		
30	Y4 secure	Sapphire	9-10		CG 4		
Bug Club Blue B	Y5 developing	Free Reader 1	9-10		My Book Blog		
Bug Club Red A	Y5 secure	Free Reader 2	10-11		CG 4-5		
Bug Club Red B	Y6	Free Reader 3	11+	My Book Blog	CG 5		