

# TIPTON GREEN Junior School

**ENGLISH POLICY** 

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The National Curriculum in English unites the vital skills of Reading, Writing, Speaking, Listening and Drama. Confidence and competence in language use, both spoken and written, are critical to school success, underpinning well-being and independence.

At Tipton Green Junior School we aim ... "to provide a happy, stimulating, disciplined and caring environment where pupils are confidently opening up the world of learning"

### **English National Curriculum 2014**

# Purpose of study

English has a pre-eminent place in education and in society. A high-quality education in English will teach pupils to write and speak fluently so that they can communicate their ideas and emotions to others and through their reading and listening, others can communicate with them. Through reading in particular, pupils have a chance to develop culturally, emotionally, intellectually, socially and spiritually. Literature, especially, plays a key role in such development. Reading also enables pupils both to acquire knowledge and to build on what they already know. All the skills of language are essential to participating fully as a member of society; pupils, therefore, who do not learn to speak, read and write fluently and confidently are effectively disenfranchised.

# <u>Aims</u>

The overarching aim for English in the national curriculum is to promote high standards of literacy by equipping pupils with a strong command of the written and spoken word, and to develop their love of literature through widespread reading for enjoyment. The national curriculum for English aims to ensure that all pupils:

**Pread easily, fluently and with good understanding** 

**I** develop the habit of reading widely and often, for both pleasure and information

I acquire a wide vocabulary, an understanding of grammar and knowledge of linguistic conventions for reading, writing and spoken language

**P** appreciate our rich and varied literary heritage

I write clearly, accurately and coherently, adapting their language and style in and for a range of contexts, purposes and audiences

**I** use discussion in order to learn; they should be able to elaborate and explain clearly their understanding and ideas

**I** are competent in the arts of speaking and listening, making formal presentations, demonstrating to others and participating in debate.

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TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL READING POLICY: OVERVIEW



ASPECT OF READING	PURPOSE (INTENT)	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW)	IMPLEMENTATION – RESOURCES/ASSESSMENT	INTERVENTION
<u>PHONICS</u>	TO LEARN THE ALPHABETIC CODE AND DECODE WORDS ACCURATELY.	DAILY UNTIL FLUENT PROGRESSIVE AND CUMULATIVE SEQUENCE	RWI PHONICS RWI ASSESSMENTS TO IDENTIFY PHONEME GAPS SET OUT BY RWI PHONICS SCREENING- HALF TERMLY	INTERVENTION AT THE END OF AFTERNOON LESSONS TO AVOUD DISRUPTION TO CURRICULUM AND PROVIDE EXTRA PRACTISE OF SOUNDS AND FLUENCY.
<u>SPEED READING -</u> <u>FLUENCY</u>	TO READ 90+WORDS CORRECTLY PER MINUTE AT AGE-APPRORIATE LEVEL. TO DEVELOP READING FLUENCY.	WEEKLY INTERVETION SESSIONS FOR CHILDREN IDENTIFIED. AT END OF EACH TERM UNTIL FLUENT.	100 WCPM TESTS TWINKL SHORT READS	READING FLUENCY INTERVENTION SESSIONS BASED UPON READING SPEED. UNTIL SPEED IS 100+ WCPM.
<u>'AT A GLANCE</u> <u>READING' -</u> <u>FLUENCY</u>	TO READ MOST COMMONLY USED WORDS AUTOMATICALLY.	WEEKLY INTERVETION SESSIONS FOR CHILDREN IDENTIFIED. AT END OF EACH TERM UNTIL ALL WORDS READ AT A GLANCE –AUTOMATICITY.	FRY'S 300+ COMMON WORD LISTS	READING FLUENCY INTERVENTION SESSIONS BASED UPON AUTOMATICITIY AND AT A GLANCE READING. UNTIL ALL FRY'S WORDS AUTOMATIC.
READING AGE	TO READ TEXTS AT AN AGE-APPROPRIATE LEVEL.	AT END OF EACH TERM STARTING FROM YEAR 3 WHEN READY UNTIL Y6.	SALFORD READING AGE AND COMPREHENSION TESTS ARE SHEETS IN DAILY READING SESSIONS- BOOK BAND CHART FOR ACCURATE ASSESSMENT. PHONICS ASSESSMENTS AND GROUPINGS.	DAILY READERS/SEND ISLPS FOR PUPILS BELOW CHROCOLIGICAL AGE. ALSO READING SPEED AND AUTOMATCIITY INTEREVNTION.
READING INTERVENTION SESSOINS	TO LEARN HOW TO RESPOND TO WHOLE TEXTS AND DEVELOP SPECIFIC READING COMPREHENSION SKILLS.	WEEKLY FOR INDENTIFIED CHILDREN.	READING TEXTS AT INSTRUCTIONAL LEVEL. TEACHING COMPREHENSION STRATEGIES.	ADULT –LED SESSIONS FOR SUPPORT AND SCAFFOLDING.
READING SESSIONS (WHOLE CLASS)	TO LEARN HOW TO RESPOND TO TEXTS AND EXTRACTS AND DEVELOP SPECIFIC READING COMPREHENSION SKILLS.	X4 SESSIONS WEEKLY. NON-FLUENT READERS IN PHONICS GROUPS DURING THIS TIME. X1 FOCUS GROUP SESSION DAILY (ON ROTATION). CHILDREN GROUPED IN ABILITY GROUPS.	CLIPE AWARDED/ RECOMMENDED TEXTS FOR EACH YEAR GROUP IN KS2. MIX OF CONTEMPORARY AND CLASSIC TEXTS FROM RANGE OF AUTHORS AND GENRES. NON FICITON AND POETRY. GROUP FORMAT AND TEXT OVERVIEW. ARE ASSESSMENT SHEETS. STEM SENTENCE SHEETS.	SOME PUPILS MAY BE PUT IN A PRE READING GROUP WHERE THEY CAN ACCESS A SIMILAR TEXT AT THEIR ABILITY. SESSION FORMAT/ SCRIPT PROVIDED AND STAFF TO USE ARE AND STEM SHEETS.
READING FOR PLEASURE/ STORYTIME/ BOOK CLUB	TO SHARE WHOLE TEXTS. TO DISCUSS WHOLE TEXTS. TO LIVE THE STORY. TO SEE ADULT AS A MODEL READER. TO DEVELOP ACTIVE READING SKILLS. TO DEVELOP PUPIL READING MILES/ READING HABIT/ READING.CULTURE IN SCHOOL	DAILY. 5 X 15 MINUTE SESSIOSN. 1xBOOK CLUB WEEKLY TO SHARE AND RECOMMEND TEXTS – INVOLVE READING AMBASSADORS.	TEXTS DECIDED BY CURRENTTEACHERS/ADULTS TAKEN FROM RECOMMENDED READING LISTS OR A BOOK ENJOYED BY ADULT TO ALLOW TEACHERS TO BRING TEXTS TO LIFE. RE-READING OF FAVOURITE TEXTS.	PARTNER READING TO MODEL READING. INDIVIDUAL READNG TIME FOR CHILDREN TO READ A BOOK AT THEIR ABILITY. LIBRARY SESSIONS WEEKLY. BOOK BANDED BOOKS LINKED TO ABILITY.
INDIVIDUAL READING	TO DEVELOP READING FLUENCY AND ACCURACY AND PUPIL READING MILES.	AT LEAST ONE SESSION WITH AN ADULT PER FORTNIGHT. BOTTOM 20% DAILY WITH AN ADULT.	TEXTS AT EXACT MATCH TO PUPIL READING ABILITY. START WITH EXACT MATCH TO PUPIL PHONIC ABILITY, FULLY DECODABLE, HIGHLY DECODABLE, THEN AT AGE- APPROPRIATE ABILITY	DAILY READERS/SEND ISLPS FOR PUPILS BELOW CHROCOLIGICAL AGE. ALSO READING SPEED AND AUTOMATCIITY INTEREVNTION
READING WITHIN ENGLISH LESSONS	TO SHARE WHOLE TEXTS. TO DISCUSS WHOLE TEXTS. TO LIVE THE STORY. TO SEE ADULT AS A MODEL READER. TO DEVELOP ACTIVE READING SKILLS. TO DEVELOP PUPIL READING MILES/ READING HABIT/ READING.CULTURE IN SCHOOL	DAILY	SET TEXTS AGREED FOR EACH YEAR GROUP WHICH MATCH/SUPPORT WIDER CURRICULUM CONTENT WHERE NECESSARY	ANY OF THE ABOVE

READING ACROSS THE CURRICULUM	TO DEVELOP A WIDER VOCABULARY AND STRONG BACKGROUND KNOWLEGDE TO SUPPORT COMPREHENSION.	VOCABULARY STARTERS IN ALL TOPIC SESSIONS AND IN BOOKS. TEXTS IN CLASS TO SUPPORT TOPIC SESSIONS AND AS PART OF LESSONS. ON-LINE TEXTS	VOCABULARY SHEETS TEXTS	ANY OF THE ABOVE
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#### TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL PHONICS POLICY



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PURPOSE/INTENT	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION:	ASSESSMENT
		RESOURCES AND	
To develop high quality spoken	LESSON STRUCTURE	ENVIRONMENT     Use of	Ongoing, informal daily assessment
language. To learn alphabetic code in systematic steps. To hear/identify sounds in words. To blend sounds in words. To represent sounds with	<ul> <li>Daily Speed Sounds lesson (including nonsense) –Teach new sound, recap previously taught phonemes.</li> <li>Story Book Speed Sounds</li> <li>Story Green Words, Speedy green words +Red words</li> <li>Partner Practice (story, speedy and red words)</li> <li>Story Introduction</li> <li>First read</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>accredited RWI Phonics scheme.</li> <li>Sound Cards (picture and sound)</li> <li>Speed Sounds</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>throughout each lesson</li> <li>Weekly spelling assessment based on taught phonemes.</li> <li>RWI assessments at the end of each half term.</li> <li>Identifying and recalling Set 1-3 sounds</li> <li>Oral segmenting and blending in Real and</li> </ul>
graphemes. To use sounds to read fully decodable books. To blend for reading To segment for spelling To explicitly teach and develop a comprehensive set of letter- sound relationships for reading and sound-letter relationships for spelling. To ensure systematic, explicit and direct teaching for all	<ul> <li>First read</li> <li>Teacher read</li> <li>Third read of story- Children (voice choice)</li> <li>Questions to talk about + Read and answer</li> <li>Hold a sentence</li> <li>Proof Read a sentence</li> <li>Spell with Fred fingers (2 words with new sound, 1 word with previously taught sound)</li> <li>Spell Check sounds of the week (Sounds taught this week + recap words previously taught) Use Fred Fingers and count the sounds to help children write the words.</li> <li>Spelling Test (sounds taught this week + recap words previously taught)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>poster</li> <li>Pocket chart to display daily sounds, story green, speedy and red flashcards.</li> <li>Story Green Cards</li> <li>Speedy Green Cards</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oral segmenting and biending in Real and Nonsense words</li> <li>80% reading accuracy with RWI Assessment passages.</li> <li>Phonics Screening checks: baseline in September and reassess half-termly.</li> </ul>
children from day 1 in Year 3 until they can decode and read with increasing fluency using the RWI assessment passage.	TEACHING STRATEGIES         • Sound buttons- dots and dashes         • Fred Fingers         • Fred in your head	<ul> <li>Red word cards</li> <li>Word time flashcards: New and</li> </ul>	END OF YEAR EXPECTATIONS     Y3-6: Pass PSC and RWI Assessment

To continue with phonically based reading through highly decodable Oxford Reading Tree. To teach reading and spelling alongside each other but spelling will not hold back reading.	<ul> <li>'My turn, your turn'</li> <li>Weekly spelling is based upon new focus phonemes and red words.</li> <li>Online resources from RWI Phonics</li> <li>Phonics area resources (displays)</li> <li>Sound cards</li> <li>Word time flashcards</li> <li>Storybook texts</li> <li>Phonics workbooks- for writing</li> <li>Decodable Book Bag books from scheme to take home.</li> </ul> TIMETABLING <ul> <li>Phonics sessions 5x daily of 25 minutes</li> </ul>	previously taught phonemes Storybook texts (colour coded by Phonics level) Book Bag book (linked to taught sound) 'What to Teach When' progression document	<ul> <li>INTERVENTION <ul> <li>'Keep up' approach.</li> <li>TA-led daily phonics session for lower phonics groups to recap taught sounds.</li> <li>Fluency group daily –TA-led using Grey Phonics texts</li> <li>1:1 readers with CT/TA daily with Phonics book.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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## TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL READING FLUENCY POLICY



PURPOSE/INTENT	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	ASSESSMENT
To develop automatic and accurate application of phonic decoding skills. To read most commonly- used words automatically – 'at a glance'. To read 90-100 words correctly per minute at age- appropriate level. To provide the opportunity for pupils to increase their 'reading miles' in school time and at home. To read texts at an age- appropriate level.	<ul> <li>TEACHING STRATEGIES</li> <li>Daily sessions for Fry's for targeted pupils (5 minutes daily to offer extensive practice when reading these words in random order.</li> <li>Daily reading opportunities for lowest 20% with appropriate texts</li> <li>Rich reading timetable provision across school: individual reading, guided reading, reading for pleasure (daily – see reading for pleasure policy page for details), reading within daily English lessons, reading within thematic lessons, reading intervention where appropriate.</li> <li>Ensure opportunities for first and subsequent reading of texts</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Fry's 100–300-word lists</li> <li>Age -appropriate reading speed tests: https://www.twinkl.c o.uk/resource/words- per-minute-reading- speed-test-pack- grade-2-10-za-hl- 1635348161</li> <li>Use of accredited SSP (RWI Phonics). See phonics policy page for details.</li> <li>RWI's fully decodable books.</li> <li>ORT highly decodable books</li> <li>Project X highly decodable books in KS2.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal daily assessment throughout each lesson to inform next steps for teaching.</li> <li>Salford Reading age tests completed termly to establish children with a reading age below their chronological age and thereby identify lowest 20% of readers and daily readers.</li> <li>Termly 'in-house' teacher assessments.</li> <li>Fry's 100–300-word lists (listing the 300 words that will allow primary-aged children to read 70% of primary aged texts.) Completed with targeted groups of pupils in each class daily until fluent and accurate.</li> <li>Age -appropriate reading speed tests completed for targeted pupils at the end: https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/wo rds-per-minute-reading-speed-test- pack-grade-2-10-za-hl-1635348161</li> <li>END OF YEAR EXPECTATIONS</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Daily English lessons</li> <li>All pupils to read with an adult in school each week (either guided group or individually)</li> <li>X4 Weekly reading session</li> <li>Reading fluency sessions as appropriate</li> <li>Daily reading for pleasure sessions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading progression document</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reduce the number of pupils whose reading age is below their chronological age each term.</li> <li>Increased number of pupils on track for reading.</li> <li>Number of pupils receiving Fry's fluency intervention is minimal.</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Most pupils able to read an age- appropriate text at a speed of 90-100 words correct per minute.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>INTERVENTION         <ul> <li>'Project X highly decodable books in KS2 for daily readers and where appropriate.</li> <li>Fry's Reading words where appropriate</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



# TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR READING FOR PLEASURE POLICY



PURPOSE/INTENT	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	ASSESSMENT
To share whole texts.	<ul> <li>TIMETABLING</li> <li>Daily 15-minute sessions in KS2: Book Club x 1; adult-led sessions x2; partner reading x 1, independent x1</li> <li>Other incidental reading for pleasure opportunities built into timetable where appropriate and within and across the wider curriculum.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Range of fiction, non-</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal</li></ul>
To live the story.		fiction and poetry books <li>Consistent display</li>	daily assessment
To see adults as model		approach for reading areas	throughout each
readers.		in classrooms.	session

To develop active reading strategies and the ability to self-regulate reading. To develop the 'reading miles'. To develop a reading culture within school.STRATEGIES • Adult chooses book to bring alive. • Mental model. • Anticipation • Pace • Voices • Pauses • Cliff-hangers • Word meaning • Asides • Illustrations • Memorable words/phrases • Joining in with poetry and stories • 'Stop and Rewind' strategy: how s readers check the gaps and fill in t gaps as they read• Think about the film of the book - supports children to visualise key moments, characters or settings. • Special days - termly book fairs ar World Book Day celebrations. • Reading newsletters (reading interviews, reader recommendati • Author focus each month - assem • Reading ambassadors/ librarians or school	Focus attention.RepeatSimplifyUse questions to clarify.Focus on the feature.Forced alternatives.GestureRephraseSentence completionDemonstrationExperience the concept.Relate to the unknownModel thinking and comprehension monitoring.Model how to create a mental model of a text to support understanding.Model how skilled readers make sense of a text or work out the meaning of unfamiliar words	<ul> <li>Focus on the books and not on props or decoration.</li> <li>Use of online texts and visual Literacy to support and adapt to suit pupil needs.</li> <li>Reading progression document</li> </ul>
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<u>PURPOSE/INTENT</u>	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	ASSESSMENT
To learn how to respond to whole texts. To develop specific reading comprehension skills. To develop reading fluency and 'reading miles'. To provide pupils with extensive opportunities for building experience with increasingly complex texts, encountering new knowledge, gaining new language, including vocabulary, and developing their fluency. To appreciate our rich and varied literary heritage. To construct meaning by: • creating a mental model, amending, and updating what they know with new information • drawing on experience and knowledge, to make inferences, automatically filling in the gaps at sentence level, across the text, and between the text and what they know already • considering the meaning, implication, and nuance of every word, drawing upon a wide and deep vocabulary and body of knowledge, much of which they have acquired from previous reading and experience • understanding when the precise meaning of a specific word is vital for understanding and when it can be skipped • drawing upon knowledge of sentence structure, including punctuation • constantly anticipate what might be coming next and consider how it aligns with what they already know • spot when understanding has broken down, and rewind to pick up past information	<ul> <li>TEACHING STRATEGIES</li> <li>Echo reading and re-reading to develop fluency.</li> <li>Modelling of 'Stop and Rewind' strategy: how skilled readers check the gaps and fill in the gaps as they read.</li> <li>Think about the film of the book – supports children to visualise key moments, characters or settings.</li> <li>Questions will be pre-planned: to reflect a wide range of questions focus areas and reading skills and question types.</li> <li>Some questions will allow the children to stay within the story whereas other will unpick the writers craft.</li> <li>TIMETABLING <ul> <li>Daily English lessons (start of English units may have a text focus – see writing flowchart)</li> <li>WCR (Whole Class Reading session) x 1 weekly</li> <li>Reading across the wider curriculum (several sessions weekly)</li> <li>GR sessions (at least 1x per fortnight with an adult</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading Comprehension Strategies book- assessment</li> <li>Testbase</li> <li>CLPE and Ruth Baker- Leask recommended text lists for class Reading sessions.</li> <li>Age-appropriate GR texts</li> <li>Texts within English lessons to complement thematic learning where possible.</li> <li>Reading progression document</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal daily assessment throughout each lesson/session</li> <li>Salford Reading Age tests which also provide assessments on their literal, inferential and vocabulary.</li> <li>Termly comprehension testing- Testbase</li> <li>Y6 practise tests</li> </ul> END OF YEAR EXPECTATIONS <ul> <li>Reduce the number of pupils whose reading age is below their chronological age each term especially with a view to comprehension.</li> <li>Increased number of pupils on track for reading</li> </ul> INTERVENTION <ul> <li>Interventions and boosters will be arranged as a result of pupil progress meetings each term to enable pupils to keep up.</li> </ul>

• read silently, sometimes drawing on prosodic		
information to hear the voice of the narrator and		
characters.		



# TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL WRITING POLICY: OVERVIEW



ASPECT OF WRITING	<u>PURPOSE (INTENT)</u>	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW)	IMPLEMENTATION – RESOURCES/ASSESSMENT	INTERVENTION
PHONICS FOR ENCODING	TO LEARN THE ALPHABETIC CODE AND ENCODE WORDS ACCURATELY.	DAILY FROM DAY 1 UNTIL FLEUNT PROGRESSIVE AND CUMULATIVE SEQUENCE	RWI PHONICS RWI ASSESSMNETS TO IDENTIFY PHONEME GAPS SET OUT BY RWI SPELLING SHORT WORDS	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED
<u>SPELLING</u>	TO APPLY SPELLING RULES TO SPELL WORDS	OAK ACADEMY SPELLING RULES AND INVESTAIGATIONS	OAK ACADEMY	WRITING FLUENCY INTERVENTION WITH FOCUS ON HANDWRITING AND SPELLING
HANDWRITING	TO AUTOMATICALLY FORM LETTERS ACCURATELY AND CONSISTENTLY	DAILY SESSIONS A S PART OF DAILY PHONICS NELSON HANDWRITING SCHEME MORNING SESSIONS IN REIGISTRATION TIME DAILY SESSIONS ALL PUPILS	RWI NELSON	WRITING FLUENCY INTERVTNION WITH HANDWRITING FOCUS.
<u>WRITING</u>	TO WRITE FOR A RANGE OF PURPOSES, AUDIENCES AND GENRES, FORMS AND STRUCTURES.	DAILY SESSIONS LTP TO SPECIFY WHICH TEXT GENRES WILL BE TAUGHT WITHIN EACH YEAR WRITNG FLOW CHART TO SUPPORT STP: WRITING PROCESS: PRE-WRITING ACTIVITIES: VERBAL STORYTELLING, VISUAL PLANNING (STORYBOARD) COLLABORATIVE PLANNING, STRUCTURED TALK TO PREPARE FOR WRITING, ORAL REHEARSAL OF WHOLE TEXT STRUCTURE, JOINT TEXT CONSTRUCTION OR SENTENCE CONSTRUCTION. PLAN: GENERTAE IDEAS, SET GOALS, GATHER INFORMATION; DRAFT: WRITE KEY IDEAS, SET OUT STRUCTURE; REVISE: MAKE CHANGES BASED UPON FEEDBACK AND SELF EVALUATION; EDIT: MAKE CHANGES FOR ACCURACY AND COHERENCE, CHECK SPELLING AND GRAMMAR; PUBLISH: PRESENT WORK FOR TARGET AUDIENCE TO READ. LIVE MODELLING – DEMONSTRATION OF THE PROCESS OF WRITING GRAMMAR TAUGHT WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF WRITING: ID, WE DO, YOU DO APPROACH.	ARE SHEETS TO SHOW FULL SET OF SKILLS TO BE TAUGHT WITHIN EACH YEAR GROUP (NOT JUST LIMITED TO SATS DOMAIN AREAS FOR EXTERNAL MODERATION) A NEEDS-BASED APPROACH (FORMAL ASSESMENT; RESPONSIVE APPROACH (IN THE MOMENT ASSESSMENT; TIERED APPROACH: CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION, TARGETTED PROVISION (GUIDED GROUP WORK), SPECIALIST SUPPORT (EG SALT) GRADUATED APPROACH: ASSESS, PLAN, DO, REVIEW CYCLE	WRTING FLUENCY INTERVENTION FOCUSING ON TRANSCRIPTIONAL SKILLS AND ENSURE THAT THESE ARE AUTOMATED SO THAT FOCSU CAN BE ON COMPOSITION.
<u>SPAG/</u> <u>GRAMMAR</u>	TO DEVELOP CONTTROL AND MANIPULATION OF SENETCNE STRUCTURE FOR IMPACT AND EFFECT	SENTENCE STRUCTURE WORK WITHIN ENGLISH TEACHING: MINOR; SIMPLE; COMPOUND; COMPLEX; COMPOUND COMPLEX; MULTICLAUSAL. BREAKING DONW SENTENCE LEVEL KNOWLEDGE: SENTENCE FRAMING (CLOZE); SENTENCE EXPANDING; SENTENCE COMBINING; SENTENCE SHRINKING.	ARE SHEETS TO SHOW SKILLS TO BE TAUGHT WITHIN EACH YEAR GROUP	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED
VOCABULARY	TO DEVELOP VOCABULARY BREADTH (HOW MANY WORDS ARE KNOWN) AND VOCABULARY DEPTH (HOW MUCH IS KNOWN ABOUT THESE WORDS)	INTRODUCE NEW VOCAB; PLAN OPPORTNITIES FOR PUPILS TO UNDERSTAND THE MEANINGS OF NEW VOCAB; PLANNED OPPORTUNITIES FOR USE OF NEW VOCAB IN SPOKEN LANGUAGE , READING AND WRITING; EMBEDDED OPPORTUNITIES FOR VOCAB TEACHING ACROSS THE CURRICULUM AND TO ENSURE THEY ENCOUNTER NEW VOCABULARY IN A VARIETY OF CONTEXTS.	TIER 1 VOCAB: CEW AND EVERYD AY TALK TIER 2 VOCAB; ACADEMIC VOCABULARY (EVALUATE, PREDICT, CONCLUDE) TIER 3 VOCABULARY: SUBJECT SPECIFIC. VOCABULARY TEACHING SEQUENCE: PRE-TEACH; DEFINE; EXPLORE SPELLING AND MEANING AND ETYMOLOGY/ MORPHOLOGY, ANTONYMS AND SYNONYMS; MEANINAG: SEMATICS	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED





	<ul> <li>Phonics intervention for any children who have not passed Y1 PSC daily sessions until passed. Designated adult (s)to lead these sessions. Timetable these: 2 sessions during OA sessions, rest in assembly times, ILSP sessions is appropriate)</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Writing intervention Y2+ for transcriptional fluency</li> </ul>
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TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL SPELLING POLICY



ASPECT OF SPELLING	PURPOSE (INTENT)	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW)	IMPLEMENTATAION – RESOURCES/ASSESSMENT	INTERVENTION
<u>PHONICS</u> <u>FOR</u> <u>ENCODING</u>	TO LEARN THE ALPHABETIC CODE AND ENCODE WORDS ACCURATELY.	DAILY SESSIONS FROM DAY 1 UNTIL FLUENT AND AUTOMATIC PROGRESSIVE AND CUMULATIVE SEQUENCE FOCUS ON PHONICS FOR DECODING AND SPELLING FROM DAY 1	RWI' RESOURCES RWI ASSESSMNETS TO IDENTIFY PHONEME GAPS SET OUT BY RWI SPELLING SHORT WORDS CUMULATIVE TEXTS FROM RWI • Use of accredited SSP (Read Write Inc).	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED SPELLLING FLUENCY INTERVENTIONS
<u>OAK</u> <u>ACADEMY</u> <u>SPELLING</u> <u>Y2 AND KS2</u>	TO INVESTIGATE SPELLING PATTERNS TO APPLY SPELLING RULES TO SPELL WORDS	OAK ACADEMY SPELLING RULES PROGRESSIVE SEQUENCE OF LESSONS FOCUSING ON ALL Y2 AND KS2 SPELLING PATTERNS DICTATION: Two-week cycle of investigate and learn; practise and apply TWO SESSIONS EACH WEEK IN KS2 AT LEAST 30 MINUTE EACH SESSIION SOME PUPILS WILL CONTINUE WITH DAILY PHONICS AS NEEDED UNTIL PASS Y1 PSC	OAK ACADEMY <u>KS1-2 English Curriculum Unit</u> Sequence   Oak National Academy (thenational.academy) )	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED SPELLLING FLUENCY INTEREVNTIONS
<u>HOME</u> <u>SPELLINGS</u> <u>Y2/KS2</u>	TO LEARN SPELLINGS RELATED TO NC EXPECTATAIONS	SPELLIINGS TO BE LEARNED FOR WEEKY TESTS WITHIN OAK ACADEMY SESSIONS. SPELLING WORDS AND PATTERNS TO MATCH STATUTORY SPELLING PATTERNS WITHIN NC AND RELATE TO SPELLING LESSONS TO CONTEXTUALISE LEARNING. USE AGE-APPROPRIATE WORDS FOR BULK OF YEAR GROUP SOME PUPILS MAY CONTINUE TO LEARN FP HELFUL WORDS OR KS1 CEW AS NECESSARY AND DICTATED BY ASSESSMENT OUTCOMES. MORNING ACTIVITY PRACTICE DUIRNG REGISTRATION AS WELL AS HOMEWORK	OAK ACADEMY <u>KS1-2 English Curriculum Unit</u> Sequence   Oak National Academy (thenational.academy) RWI HELPFUL WORDS OR WORDS USING PHONICS LEARNED IN RWI SESSIONS	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED SPELLLING FLUENCY INTERVENTIONS
<u>HELPFUL</u> WORDS	TO AUTOMATICALLY SPELL THE HELPFUL WORDS LISTED WITHIN FP	DAILY WITHIN EYFS AND KS1 AND CONTINUING INTO KS2 UNTIL AUTOMATIC PART OF THE PHONIC SESSIONS SPELLING SENT HOME??	Read Write Inc RWI ASSESSMNETS TO IDENTIFY PHONEME GAPS SET OUT BY RWI SPELLING SHORT WORDS	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED SPELLLING FLUENCY INTERVENTIONS
<u>CEW</u>	TO AUTOMATICALLY SPELL THE COMMON EXCEPTION WORDS LISTED WITHIN NC	FOCUS FIVE SPELLINGS DISPLAYED IN CLASS AND CHANGED EACH 2 WEEKS. AGE-APPROPRIATE FOR MOST PUPILS SPELLINGS SENT HOME??	RWI HELPFUL WORDS KS1 NC CEW	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED SPELLLING FLUENCY INTEREVNTIONS
<u>Y3/4</u> <u>STATUTORY</u> <u>SPELLINGS</u>	TO AUTOMATICALLY SPELL THE Y3/4 STATUTORY WORDS LISTED WITHIN NC	FOCUS FIVE SPELLINGS DISPLAYED IN CLASS AND CHANGED EACH 2 WEEKS. AGE-APPROPRIATE FOR MOST PUPILS SOME PUPILS MAY CONTINUE TO LEARN FP HELFUL WORDS OR KS1 CEW AS NECESSARY AND DICTATED BY ASSESSMENT OUTCOMES. MORNING ACTIVITY PRACTICE DUIRNG REGISTARTION TABLE MATS TO EXPECT/ENCOURAGE USE WITHIN INDEPENDENT WRITING	Y3/4 STAUTORY WORDS INDEPENDENT USE OF DICTIOANRUES AND THESAURUSES WHEN PROOFREADING	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED SPELLLING FLUENCY INTEREVNTIONS
<u>Y5/6</u> <u>STATUTORY</u> <u>SPELLINGS</u>	TO AUTOMATICALLY SPELL THE Y5/6 STATUTORY WORDS LISTED WITHIN NC	FOCUS FIVE SPELLINGS DISPLAYED IN CLASS AND CHANGED EACH 2 WEEKS. AGE-APPROPRIATE FOR MOST PUPILS SOME PUPILS MAY CONTINUE TO LEARN FP HELFPUL WORDS OR KS1 CEW AS NECESSARY AND DICTATED BY ASSESSMENT OUTCOMES. MORNING ACTIVITY PRACTICE DUIRNG REGISTARTION TABLE MATS TO EXPECT/ENCOURAGE USE WITHIN INDEPENDENT WRITING	Y5/6 STATUTORY WORDS INDEPENDENT USE OF DICTIOANRUES AND THESAURUSES WHEN PROOFREADING	INTERVENTION AS SOON AS GAPS ARE NOTED SPELLLING FLUENCY INTEREVNTIONS





<u>PURPOSE/INTENT</u>	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	ASSESSMENT
To develop effective and comfortable pencil hold (tripod grip) and optimal seating position and wrist/hand position. (Avoid arm/ hand ache to make sure they are ready to write with stamina) To develop gross and fine motor skills. To form lower case and upper- case letters with correct orientation and formation. To form digits 0-9 correctly To understand which letters belong to which handwriting 'families' (i.e., that are formed in similar ways). To develop a fluent, automatic, consistent, and joined handwriting style. To know which letters are break letters. To use the diagonal and horizontal strokes that are needed to join letters. To use spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters. To write capital letters and digits of the correct size, orientation and relationship to one another and to lower case letters. To provide daily opportunities for extensive handwriting practice to lead to fluency and	<ul> <li>LESSON STRUCTURE/STRATEGIES         <ul> <li>Ensure pupils have correct tools for the lesson.</li> <li>Warm-up with wrist shaking exercises, scribbling, practising with patterns to loosen up muscles ready to write. Use online videos to support. https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-school/nelson-handwriting</li></ul></li></ul>	<ul> <li>Use of accredited SSP (Read Write Inc).</li> <li>https://www.oxfor dowl.co.uk/for- school/nelson- handwriting3</li> <li>phoneme friezes</li> <li>handwriting poster</li> <li>https://cdn.oxford owl.co.uk/2023/05 /15/15/25/45/169 80e9f-8ed8-41e0- abce- 874b84fefe12/FP Online%20Resourc es.pdf</li> <li>Pupil textbooks.</li> <li>Online resources from Nelson Handwriting scheme. (lower and upper case letters with start dots and directional arrows. Break letters and joins and letter families)</li> <li>Photocopy masters.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal daily assessment throughout each lesson</li> <li>Whole school, class and individual assessments from the Nelson Scheme.</li> <li>INDIVIDUAL ASSESSMENT:         <ul> <li>Does the child adopt the correct posture?</li> <li>Does the child hold the pen/pencil correctly?</li> <li>Does the child use the correct movement when forming and/or joining letters?</li> <li>Does the child reverse or invert any letters?</li> <li>Does the child reverse or invert any letters?</li> <li>Does the child reverse or invert any letters?</li> <li>Does the child write fluently and rhythmically?</li> </ul> </li> <li>END OF YEAR EXPECTATIONS         <ul> <li>Thtps://cdn.oxfordowl.co.uk/2016/02/24/17/27/07/442/NHRBcurricguideFM.pdf</li> <li>Reception Children should be able to write three or more simple statements on a given subject that can be read without the child's help and that make sense, although letter shapes and spelling may not be fully accurate. No joins.</li> <li>Use of capitals and lower-case letters may not be fully established.</li> <li>Year 1: Produce a paragraph or more of developed ideas independently that can be read without help from the child. Produce letter shapes which are mainly accurate, with clear spaces between most words. No joins.</li> <li>Year 2: Produce close to a side (or more) of A4 writing that is clear and coherent. Produce handwriting that is neat and mainly regular in size and becoming neat. There may be evidence of joining.</li> <li>Year 3: Produce close to a side (or more) of A4 writing that is clear and coherent.</li> <li>Produce handwriting that is fluent, neat and joined.</li> <li>Year 5: Produce handwriting that is fluent, neat and joined.</li> <li>Year 5: Produce handwriting that is fluent, neat and joined.</li> <li>Year 5: Produce handwr</li></ul></li></ul>



### TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL WRITING COMPOSITION POLICY



<u>PURPOSE/INTENT</u>	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	ASSESSMENT
To develop the stamina and skills to write at length, with accurate spelling and punctuation. To develop the correct use of grammar. To write for a range of purposes, audiences, and contexts. Real and fictional. To plan and research my writing. To proofread and	<ul> <li>UNIT STRUCTURE</li> <li>Follow writing flowchart: <ul> <li>Introduce purpose, context and audience for writing and map out the writing journey planned within this unit. Provide read audiences where possible.</li> <li>use texts and other stimuli for writing.</li> <li>plan, articulate, discuss and collect ideas for writing. Use reading as a model for writing.</li> <li>Revisit/teach genre features.</li> <li>Teach new writing skills (use writing progression ladders for each genre and knowledge organisers from Twinkl)</li> <li>observe the teacher modelling writing and complete shared, then guided, leading to independent writing of each new skill within context of genre.</li> <li>Evaluate writing by proofreading to check spelling, grammar and punctuation. Green editing pen.</li> <li>Re-read own writing to check for sense and consistent use of verb tense and form. Edit and improve. Green editing pen.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing LTPs</li> <li>Writing flowchart</li> <li>Writing progression ladders for each genre</li> <li>Golden writing checklists.</li> <li>Help booklets on tables.</li> <li>Writing progression document</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal daily assessment throughout each lesson</li> <li>Golden writing checklists</li> <li>Writing ARE sheets.</li> <li>Year group and school and Trust moderation meetings.</li> </ul>
edit writing to evaluate, correct and improve.	<ul> <li>TEACHING STRATEGIES</li> <li>verbally rehearse writing.</li> <li>I do, we do, you do approach.</li> <li>Teacher modelling of process and thought process of a writer though the various stages of writing</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>END OF YEAR EXPECTATIONS         <ul> <li>each child to have completed at least 6 Golden writing independent pieces each term with a range of genres to provide sufficient evidence for school and Trust writing moderation.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	INTERVENTION
<ul> <li>TIMETABLING <ul> <li>Daily writing sessions in every year group</li> <li>Writing across the curriculum to apply skills in wider contexts</li> <li>Regular opportunities to apply writing across the wider curriculum.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing fluency interventions for targeted pupils to focus on development of automatic and fluent transcriptional skills.</li> <li>Extensive practice to ensure fluency, flexibility and transfer of skills</li> </ul>



#### TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL EDITING AND MARKING POLICY FOR EDITING WRITING



To check work for errors in punctuation, spelling or grammar. <b>PROOFREAD</b> To revise or redraft it, in order to make changes, correct	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION Ways to teach editing Share a paragraph on the whiteboard that has been pre-written. Devise a checklist as a class for what they think would improve it. Edit the paragraph as a class. Share a printed paragraph with each of the children and display on the board. Give children instructions for what to add or remove. Share a paragraph either printed or displayed on the board that is an example of a 'good one' or 'bad one'. Children to identify why it is good or what needs to be improved.	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES         AND CLASSROOM         ENVIRONMENT         • Green editing pens         • Spelling word banks         • Dictionaries and thesauruses         • RWI helpful words         • RWI Sound Mats         • KS1 CEW         • Y2 (4 STAULTUTORY	EXPEPCTATIONS MARKING OF SPELLING ONLY DOT FOR CORRECTION THE WORDS WHICH SHOULD BE CORRECT (I.E SPELLING USING PHONICS TAUGHT SO FAR, HELPFUL WORDS TAUGHT SO FAR, CEW OR STATUTORY SPELLING WORDS FOR AGE GROUP) NB: FOR WEAKER SPELLERS, PRIORITISE A FEW KEY SPELLING WORDS PER PIECE OF WRITING (MAX 5 PER WRITTEN PIECE FOR EDITING AND CORRECTING). WEAKERS SPELLERS WILL RECEIVE IAPPRORIATE SPELLING INTERVENTIONS) ALITIUMN TERM: PUT A DOT UNDER THE MISPELT WORDS TO EDIT
mistakes and improve its overall quality. <u>EDIT</u> To revise (spelling, missing words, punctuation) To rewrite – sense and structure To reimagine –	Share a paragraph that is a 'good one'. They need to answer questions about why it was good or bad e.g. What helped you understand what the character's personality was like? Give each group a paragraph and edit it together using techniques they will use independently when completing editing stations. <b>Adult modelling</b> using anonymous texts (I do); peer edit anonymous text (we do); independent edit (you do) WAGOLL (what a good one looks like), WABOLL (what a basic one looks like), WAJOLL (what a jumbled one looks like) Dictionary skills/Thesaurus skills- taught as part of Oak Academy Spelling sessions, SPAG sessions, reading sessions or English sessions	<ul> <li>Y3/4 STAUTUTORY SPELLING WORDS</li> <li>Y5/6 STAUTUTORY SPELLING WORDS</li> </ul>	AUTUMN TERM: PUT A DOT UNDER THE MISPELT WORDS TO EDIT SPRING TERM: DOT IN THE MARGIN SUMMER: DOT AT END OF WORK (TO INCREASE INDEPENDENCE WHEN EDITING ACROSS THE YEAR. KS1: ALWAYS USE DOT UNDER WORD APPROCAH. <b>PROOFREADING AND EDITING</b> <b>1.</b> <u><b>REVISING</b></u> SPELLING EDITS TO BE WRITTEN ABOVE THE WORD IN THE ORIGIINAL TEXT IN GREEN Y3/4 CHILDREN TO UNDERLINE Y3/4 STATUTORY SPELLING WORDS Y5/6 CHILDREN TO UNDERLINE Y5/6 STATUTORY SPELLING WORDS FOR HANDWRITING, WRITE A SENTENCE AT THE END OF WRITING IN THE NEATEST HANDWRITING.

MARKING OF WRITING	TEACHING STRATEGIES	Handwriting (Y6 preparation- copy one sentence as neatly as
To identify when a	<ul> <li>Editing stations (some independent and some adult-led)</li> </ul>	possible at the end of work as proof that they can write legibly,
child has achieved the	• Teach and model each of the three types of editing within the teaching	joined, consistent shape and size etc) LIVE MARKING WHERE
LO.	sequence of a writing unit when teaching skills	POSSIBLE DURING HANDWRITING SESSIONS TO ADDRESS
Marking should be	Peer editing	MISCONCPETIONS IMMEDIATLEY BEFORE BAD HABITD BECOME
manageable,	<ul> <li>Editing of an unseen text to practise editing skills as part of the teaching and</li> </ul>	EMBEDDED. TEACHER TO FOCUS ON ONE GROUP PER DAY IN
meaningful and	learning cycle. This will also ensure that editing is progressive as it will be built	DAILY HANDWRITING SESSIONS.
motivating.	up progressively to match the sequence of writing skills taught each term/year.	
motivating.	See Writing AREs, genre progression documents and LTPs	TO EDIT AND IMPROVE HANDWRITING
To provide verbal and	DOUBLE TICK FOR EFFECTIVE DEMO OF WRITING SKILLS LINKED TO LO	HW AT END OF WORK OR IN MARGIN TO DIRECT CHILDREN TO
written feedback for	TIMETABLING (SEE WRITING FLOWCHART)	RE-WRITE A SENTNECE FROM THEIR WRITING IN THE NEATEST
	<ul> <li>Edit and proofreading is an essential part of our teaching and</li> </ul>	HANDWRITING THEY CAN
children and support	learning cycle for writing	2.3 <u>REWRITING/REIMAGINING</u>
their editing to	• After teaching and learning of a specific writing skill, adults to model	FOOTNOTE EDITS : FOR REWRTIES OF WHOLE SENTENCES AND
improve.	ow to edit that specific skill.	PARAGRAPHS, USE *1 *2 *3 etc TO MARK ORIGINAL TEXT AND
	• For Golden Writing sessions, pupils independently edit the whole	WRITE CHANGED SENTENCE OR PARAGRPAH AT END OF WORK.
	piece of writing, proofreading and editing all writing skills. LINK TO	<ul> <li>Use of A to add in missing words</li> </ul>
	SKILLS ON GW CHECKLISTS	





PURPOSE/INTENT		NTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION		IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	ASSESSMENT
To accurately use a wide range of punctuation for impact and effect. To use a wide range of coordinating and subordinating conjunctions. To use a variety of sentence types and openers for precision and impact. To use correct, consistent and varied verb forms.	PROGRESSI ON OF SKILLS	PUNCTUATION:Y1: CL for names of people,places, weekdays, personalpronoun I. FS, question marks,exclamation marksY2: FS, CL, ! ? commas for lists,apostrophes for contraction andsingular possessionY3/4: commas after frontedadverbials, possessiveapostrophe for singular andplural, direct speechpunctuation, commas to markclauses.Y5/6: commas to clarify andavoid ambiguity, hyphens,brackets, dashes, commas forparenthesis, semi-colons andcolons or dashes to markboundaries betweenindependent clauses, colons tointroduce a list, consistentbullet points.	SENTENCE CONSTRUCTION: Y1: use of 'and' Y2: statements, questions, exclamations and commands, expanded noun phrases, subordination using 'when', 'if', 'that', 'because' Coordination using 'or', 'but'. Past and present tense Y3/4: wider range of conjunctions, multi clausal sentences, variety of verb forms. Conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to express time and cause, fronted adverbials. Y5/6: passive verb forms, modal verbs, relative clauses	<ul> <li>FANBOYS display of coordinating conjunctions.</li> <li>ISAWAWABUB display of subordinating conjunctions.</li> <li>ISPACED display for sentence openers.</li> <li>Tabletop support sheets</li> <li>Punctuation pyramid display</li> <li>Writing progression document</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal daily assessment throughout each lesson</li> <li>Golden writing checklists used at the end of each unit.</li> <li>Y6 practise SPAG tests</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>I do</li> <li>Tea</li> <li>vari</li> </ul>	s <b>STRATEGIES</b> , we do, you do approach. cher modelling of process and thou ous stages of writing LING aught as part of a writing unit. Daily lso, expectation of application of sk	y sessions.		<b>INTERVENTION</b> Writing fluency interventions for targeted pupils to focus on development of automatic and fluent transcriptional skills.





PURPOSE/INTENT	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	ASSESSMENT
To ensure that all children are exposed to a rich and varied vocabulary. To provide opportunities to learn vocabulary through repeated encounters with direct and explicit teaching and also incidental teaching. To narrow the vocabulary gap by ensuring all children have the same opportunities across the whole curriculum. To develop a secure understanding and fluent use of Tier One Words. To ensure Tier 2 and 3 words are an integral part of the curriculum to enable pupils to understand test words and words across the curriculum.	<ul> <li>TEACHING STRATEGIES</li> <li>Teach relationship between word structure and meaning.</li> <li>Teach pupils how new words function in different contexts – not just learning definitions but the function of each word (changes in word class)</li> <li>Word webs to show links between a root word and its many inflections (e.g., help: helped, helping, helpful, unhelpful, helpless, helper)</li> <li>Links to spelling: etymology and morphology. (See Oak Academy spelling sessions)</li> <li>Consider these three questions when introducing new vocabulary:</li> <li>What distinct meaning does a word have?</li> <li>What are the shades of meaning they can convey?</li> <li>How might the meaning change depending on context?</li> <li>Plan for high quality talk opportunities, incidental encounters, and use high quality resources.</li> <li>Plan to include a range if activities to develop and enhance vocabulary: matching, linking, classifying, defining, comparing, discussing, reading, writing, talking.</li> <li>Spaced practice: plan activities that encourage children to retrieve prior knowledge of vocabulary.</li> <li>Activating prior knowledge: plan opportunities reactivate prior knowledge in lessons where it would be beneficial.</li> <li>Develop vocabulary breadth: how many words a reader knows.</li> <li>Vocabulary depth: what a reader knows about these words</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Title pages in all topic books with key Tier 3 subject words – this will continually revisit these words and also form part of 'sticky knowledge starters' in lessons and thereby commit to long term memory and fluent use.</li> <li>Key vocabulary on topic displays and in core subject displays.</li> <li>KWL grid in books to include key vocabulary.</li> <li>Vocabulary rich environment</li> <li>Writing progression document</li> <li>Tier 1 vocabulary/HF/CEW words and words of everyday speech</li> <li>Tier 2 vocabulary: language of learning</li> <li>Tier 3 vocabulary: subject- specific vocabulary</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal daily assessment throughout each lesson</li> <li>Application of subject-specific vocabulary within wider curriculum learning both verbally and in writing</li> </ul>



#### TIPTON GREEN JUNIOR SCHOOL SPOKEN LANGUAGE POLICY



<u>PURPOSE/INTENT</u>	IMPLEMENTATION (HOW) ORGANISATION	IMPLEMENTATION: RESOURCES AND CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT	<u>ASSESSMENT</u>
To develop competence in spoken language and listening to enhance the effectiveness of communication across a range of contexts and to a range of audience. To use discussion in order to learn. To listen and respond to adults and peers. To elaborate and explain clearly their understanding and ideas. To become competent in the arts of speaking and listening, making formal presentations, demonstrating to others and participating in debate. To ask relevant questions to extend their understanding and knowledge. To use relevant strategies to build their vocabulary. To articulate and justify answers, arguments and opinions. To give well-structured descriptions, explanations and narratives for different purposes, including for expressing feelings. To maintain attention and participate actively in collaborative conversations, staying on topic and initiating and responding to comments. To use spoken language to develop understanding through speculating, hypothesising, imagining and exploring ideas. To speak audibly and fluently with an increasing command of Standard English. To participate in discussions, presentations, performances, role play, improvisations and debates. To gain, maintain and monitor the interest of the listener(s). To consider and evaluate different viewpoints, attending to and building on the contributions of others To select and use appropriate registers for effective communication. To increase pupils' vocabulary, ranging from describing their immediate world and feelings to developing a broader, deeper and richer vocabulary to discuss abstract concepts and a wider range of topics, and enhancing their knowledge about language as a whole.	TEACHING STRATEGIES AND TIMETABLING         • Speaking and listening will be an integral part of all learning across school.         • Discussion and partner work at the start of lessons         • Paired, group and whole class discussions.         • Opportunities to speak in front of an audience: class and group presentations, role-play and drama activities.         • Public performances for families: Christmas, Harvest, Easter, End of year performances.         1. Plan the purpose of talk         2. Knowledge first         3. Break it down         4. Clear expectations         5. Model         6. Scaffold         7. Practise         8. Aim for independence         Pupils need to make progress in interrelated aspects of language: physical (vocal control and body language, such as making eye contact and speaking loudly and clearly)         linguistic (knowledge of content, organisation of ideas, and tailoring talk to a specific purpose, such as to persuade or inform). This will include pupils learning about 'exploratory talk' (to explore new ideas and come to new understandings) and 'presentational talk' (to share their thinking with others). [footnote 83] Pupils should learn how to pose questions, and use talk to narrate, explain, speculate, imagine, hypothesise, explore, include, discuss, argue, reason and justify/footnote 84]	<ul> <li>Spoken language progression document.</li> <li>Writing flow chart</li> <li>Dimensions lessons across the curriculum</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ongoing, informal daily assessment throughout each lesson</li> <li>Pupils should receive constructive feedback on their spoken language and listening, not only to improve their knowledge and skills but also to establish secure foundations for effective spoken language in their studies at primary school, helping them to achieve in secondary education and beyond.</li> <li>INTERVENTION         <ul> <li>SALT support where appropriate</li> <li>Adapted teaching to suit pupil needs</li> <li>Adults reframe pupils' spoken language where necessary and ask</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

To ensuring that pupils can select and use appropriate grammar and register for audience and purpose, including Standard English where necessary.	Teachers model spoken language for pupils. This includes language that pupils might not encounter away from school. The curriculum provides frequent opportunities for pupils to practise, refine and apply their spoken language knowledge and skills.		children to repeat back the reframing.
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