



Phonics and Reading Schemes:

The school places great importance on learning to read. In support of this the school uses the following:

Phonics:

Letters and Sounds / moving into Year 2 spelling objectives NC 2014.

For those children who may find phonics more challenging the school may provide 1:1 Letters and Sounds and Soundspell

The school also subscribes to a website called Phonics Play.

Reading schemes:

The school provides a wide range of reading schemes in order to ensure that the children get a good coverage of texts. The books are 'banded' by colour. (The colour indicates the stage of challenge or content.) The colour band that a child works in is based on careful assessment by the class teaching staff in conjunction with parents.

It should be noted that these colour bands include fiction and non-fiction texts. Where required the school provides Phonics Readers relevant to the phonics stage that individual children have reached.

Help for parents working on phonics and reading at home:

Please see the Resources section of our website. We also run annual parent workshops which are advertised in our school newsletters. Please pop in and chat with the class teacher if you have any specific questions.