

Reading at NEPs

Our phonics scheme is
Little Wandle



Reading Books



- EYFS onwards access banded books.
- Phonically decodable scheme: set in phases to match Little Wandle.
- Free readers for those moving from Little Wandle if required.
- All classrooms have mini libraries in a Reading Corner. Books are arranged by author or genre.
- Wide range of quality fiction and non-fiction for free reading

Routines

- 1 x discrete daily phonics session in EYFS and KS1
- 1 x 15 minute spelling Buzz Year 2-6
- 1 x 30 minute whole class reading session per day (T,W,TH)
- 1 x 30 min Whole class novel session (M, F)
- 1 x 15 minute whole class novel session per day

Keep up!

- ✓ 1 x weekly reading volunteer per class.
- ✓ Weekly keep up additional phonics sessions.
- ✓ 1 x TA support or booster session per afternoon.
- ✓ 5 x weekly Reading homework.

How do we use reading?

- We use reading to stimulate learning through **immersion** into topics and genres.
- We use reading to **share the pleasure** in stories through our whole- class reads.
- We use reading to **generate debate and discussion** in whole- class reading sessions.
- We use reading to **access topic learning** for both fiction and non-fiction.

Planning

- Coverage: National Curriculum
- Progression: Reading AWL sheet per year group
- Weekly Phase planning
- Greater Thinking embedded

Pupil Feedback...

85% **love** reading- lots like it too!
80% can name their favourite book/author.
67% read more than 3 x per week at home.
85% know how to read tricky words.

Rewards, Awards and Incentives

Author or Theme of the Month
Mrs Asquith's Lending Library
Bedtime book box for Rec- Key Stage 1
School reading miles and weekly presentation
Annual reading award trophies
Kindle draw each term
Firm Foundation packs from Nursery
Links to the local library (Bookstart & Summer Reading Challenge)



Strengths

- Proportion at the expected standard
- No. of pupils with good or accelerated progress is good.
- Routines
- Texts linked to topic
- SPAG links
- Environment

Areas to Develop

- Greater Depth readers- our more able readers
- Promotion and profile of reading across school
- Secret readers.
- Reading more at home!