B = Below national expectations W= Working towards national expectations N= In line with national expectations A= Above national expectations

Word Reading	В	W	Ν	Α	Comprehension  Develop pleasure in reading, motivation to read, vocabulary and understanding by:	В	W	Ν	Α
Apply phonic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words.					listening to and discussing a wide range of poems, stories and non-fiction at a level beyond that at which they can read independently;				
Respond speedily with the correct sound to graphemes (letters or groups of letters) for all 40+ phonemes, including, where applicable, alternative sounds for graphemes.					being encouraged to link what they read or hear to their own experiences;				
					becoming very familiar with key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales:				
Read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words.					retelling key stories, fairy stories and traditional tales considering their particular characteristics;				
Read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words containing GPCs that have been taught.					recognising and joining in with predictable phrases;				
					learning to appreciate rhymes and poems;				
Read common exception words.					recite some rhymes and poems by heart;				
Read common exception words, noting unusual correspondences between spelling and sound and where these occur in the word.					discussing word meanings, linking new meanings to those already known.				
					Comprehension	В	W	N	Α
Read words containing taught GPCs and -s,-es,-ing,-ed,-er and -est endnings.					Understanding both the books they can already read accurately and fluently and those they listen to by:				
Read other words of more than one syllable that contain taught GPCs.					drawing on what they already know or on background information and vocabulary provided by the teacher;				
Read words with contractions (for example, I'm,I'll,we'll) and understand that the apostrophe represents the omitted letter(s).					checking that they text makes sense to them as they read;				
					as they read correcting in accurate reading;				
Read aloud accurately books that are consistent with their developing phonic knowledge and that do not require them to use other strategies to work out words.					discussing the significance of the title and event;				
					making inferences on the basis of what is being said and done;				
					predicting what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far;				
Re-read these books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.					participate in discussion about what is read to them, taking turns and listening to what others say.				
					explain clearly their understanding of what is read to them.			1	1