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# St George's Central CE Primary School and Nursery

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## Progression in Phonics

### Nursery

#### Key Learning

#### 2 – 3 year olds

Children will learn to:

- tune in and pay attention
- enjoy songs and rhymes
- join in with songs and rhymes, copying sounds, rhythms, tunes and tempo.
- say some of the words in songs and rhymes

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#### 3 – 4 year olds

The aim is for children to experience regular, planned and unplanned opportunities to listen carefully and talk extensively about what they hear, see and do.

In the Little Wandle Scheme, the most important aspects of Foundations for Phonics to develop in the nursery are:

- sharing high-quality stories and poems with children
- learning a range of nursery rhymes and action rhymes
- activities that develop focused listening and attention, including oral blending
- attention to high-quality language with children

Children will learn to:

- listen attentively
- spot and suggest rhymes
- count or clap syllables in a word
- recognise words with the same initial sound, such as money and mother
- discriminate phonemes
- enlarge their vocabulary

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Reception						
Key Learning	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
		<p><b>Phase 2 graphemes</b> s a t p i n m d g o c k c k e u r h b f l</p> <p><b>New tricky words</b> is i the</p>	<p><b>Phase 2 graphemes</b> ff ll ss j v w x y z zz qu ch sh th ng nk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>words with –s /s/ added at the end (hats sits)</li> <li>words ending in s /z/ (his) and with –s /z/ added at the end (bags sings)</li> </ul> <p><b>New tricky words</b> put* pull* full* as and has his her go no to into she push* he of we me be</p> <p>*The tricky words put, pull, full and push may not be tricky in some regional pronunciations.</p>	<p><b>Phase 3 graphemes</b> ai ee igh oa oo oo ar or ur ow oi ear air er</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>words with double letters</li> <li>longer words</li> </ul> <p><b>New tricky words</b> was you they my by all are sure pure</p>	<p><b>Phase 3 graphemes</b> Review Phase 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>words with double letters, longer words, words with two or more digraphs, words ending in –ing, compound words</li> <li>words with s /z/ in the middle</li> <li>words with –s /s/ /z/ at the end</li> <li>words with –es /z/ at the end</li> </ul> <p><b>New tricky words</b> Review all taught so far</p>	<p><b>Phase 4 graphemes</b> Short vowels with adjacent consonants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CVCC CCVC CCVCC CCVC CCVCC</li> <li>longer words and compound words</li> <li>words ending in suffixes: -ing, -ed /t/, -ed /id/ /ed/, -ed /d/, -er, -est</li> </ul> <p><b>New tricky words</b> said so have like some come love do were here little says there when what one out today</p>
Year 1						
Key Learning	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	<p>Review Phase 3 and 4</p> <p><b>Phase 5 Graphemes</b> /ai/ ay play /ow/ ou cloud /oi/ oy toy /ea/ ea each</p> <p><b>New Tricky words</b> Phases 2–4: the put* pull* full* push* to into I no go of he she we me be was you they all are my by sure pure said have like so do some come love were there little one when out what says here today</p>	<p><b>Phase 5 Graphemes</b> /ur/ ir bird /igh/ ie pie /oo/ /yoo/ ue blue rescue /yoo/ u unicorn /oa/ o go /igh/ i tiger /ai/ a paper /ee/ e he /ai/ a-e shake /igh/ i-e time /oa/ o-e home /oo/ /yoo/ u-e rude cute /ee/ e-e these /oo/ /yoo/ ew chew new /ee/ ie shield /or/ aw claw</p>	<p><b>Phase 5 Graphemes</b> /ee/ y funny /e/ ea head /w/ wh wheel /oa/ oe ou toe shoulder /igh/ y fly /oa/ ow snow /j/ g giant /f/ ph phone /l/ le al apple metal /s/ c ice /v/ ve give /u/ o-e o ou some mother young /z/ se cheese /s/ se ce mouse fence /ee/ ey donkey</p>	<p><b>Phase 5 Graphemes</b> /ur/ or word /oo/ u oul awful could /air/ are share /or/ au aur oor al author dinosaur floor walk /ch/ tch ture match adventure /ar/ al a half* father* /or/ a water schwa in longer words: different /o/ a want /air/ ear ere bear there /ur/ ear learn /r/ wr wrist /s/ st sc whistle science</p>	<p><b>Phonics screening check</b> <b>review – no new GPCs or</b> <b>tricky words</b></p>	<p><b>Phase 5 Graphemes</b> /ai/ eigh aigh ey ea eight straight grey break /n/ kn gn knee gnaw /m/ mb thumb /ear/ ere eer here deer /zh/ su si treasure vision /j/ dge bridge /i/ y crystal /j/ ge large /sh/ ti ssi si ci potion mission mansion delicious /or/ augh our oar ore daughter pour oar more</p>

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Year 1 continued

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	<p>*The tricky words put, pull, full and push may not be tricky in some regional pronunciations.</p>	<p><b><u>New tricky words</u></b>                      their people oh your Mr                      Mrs Ms ask* could would                      should our house mouse                      water want</p> <p>*The tricky word ask may not be tricky in some regional pronunciations.</p>	<p>/oo/ ui ou fruit soup</p> <p><b><u>New tricky words</u></b>                      any many again                      who whole where two                      school call different                      thought through friend                      work</p>	<p>/c/ ch school                      /sh/ ch chef                      /z/ ze freeze                      schwa at the end of                      words: actor</p> <p><b><u>New tricky words</u></b>                      once laugh because eye</p> <p>* The tricky words half and father may not be pronounced as this in some regional pronunciations.</p>		<p><b><u>New tricky words</u></b>                      busy beautiful pretty hour                      move improve parents                      shoe</p>

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