

Year 4 Reading Curriculum 2014Name:

Word Reading

- **Apply knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes to read aloud and to understand the meaning of unfamiliar words KPI**
- **Read further exception words, noting the unusual correspondences between spelling and sound, and where these occur in the word KPI**
- Attempt pronunciation of unfamiliar words drawing on prior knowledge of similar looking words

Reading Comprehension

- **listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays and non-fiction and reference books or textbooksKPI**
- Know which books to select for specific purposes, especially in relation to science, history and geography learning
- recognise different forms of poetry for example free verse, narrative poetry
- **Use dictionaries to check the meaning of unfamiliar wordsKPI**
- Know and recognise some of the literary conventions in text types covered
- **Begin to understand simple themes in booksKPI**
- Prepare poems to read aloud and to perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action
- Ask questions to improve understanding of a text
- **identify and summarise the main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph KPI**
- **Infer meanings and begin to justify them with evidence from the textKPI**
- **Predict what might happen from details stated and deduced informationKPI**
- Identify how the writer has used precise word choices for effect to impact on the reader
- Identify some text type organisational features, for example, narrative, explanation, persuasion
- **Retrieve and record information from non-fictionKPI**
- Make connections with prior knowledge and experience
- Begin to build on others' ideas and opinions about a text in discussion
- Explain why text types are organised in a certain way