Primark	Rin	gway Primary School Progression Grid English – EYFS	Zingway Stimart
2-3 Year olds	 Comprehension Enjoys songs and rhymes, tuning in and paying attention. Joins in with songs and rhymes, copying sounds, rhythms, tunes and tempo. Say some of the words in songs and rhymes and stories. Fills in missing words or phrases in a known rhyme, story or game, e.g. Humpty Dumpty sat on a Says songs and recites rhymes independently. Pay attention and responds to pictures or words. Develops pretend play around stories using props. Recognises small details in picture books and is able to find some when asked e.g. find the tiny ladybird. 	 Word Reading Begins to recognise familiar logos from children's popular culture, commercial print or icons for apps e.g. Disney, McDonalds etc Enjoys simple, familiar stories read from a picture books. Has favourite books and seeks them out, to share with an adult, with another child or to look at alone. 	 Writing Provides a running commentary as they make marks (may not distinguish between writing and drawing). Attempts to 'write' in a range of situations e.g. playdough, sand, mud, on paper. Enjoys drawing freely. Makes marks on pictures to stand for their name. Ascribes meaning to marks they make e.g. scribbles and says dog.

3-4 Year olds	 Listens to stories with increasing attention and recall. Knows that information can be retrieved from books and computers. Can talk about key features of favourite stories e.g. who was in the story and where they were. Can answer a simple question about a story which has just been read. Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary. Asks questions about books. Makes comments and shares ideas. 	 Understand the five key concepts about print: print has meaning and notices some print, such as the first letter for their name, a bus or door number. the names of the different parts of a book print can have different purposes page sequencing we read English text from left to right and from top to bottom Develop their phonological awareness, so that they can: spot and suggest rhymes Can recognise rhythm and blend compound words e.g. snow-man. count or clap syllables in a word (up to 3 syllables e.g. elephant) Recognise own name and know which sound it starts with recognise words with the same initial sounds, such as money and mother Can orally blend 3 syllable words e.g. elephant. 	 Can explain what the things they have written 'say' and know that writing and drawing are different. Copy name when given only the letters needed. Write some or all of their name. Uses some clearly identifiable letters to communicate meaning. Write some letters accurately. Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. For example: writing a pretend shopping list that starts at the top of the page; write 'm' for mummy.
Reception	 Can use cues such as pictures, knowledge of the story or context 	 Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them. 	 Begin to form lower-case and capital letters correctly.

to comprehend a range of fiction and non-fiction texts.

- Re-read books to build up their confidence in word reading, their fluency and their understanding and enjoyment.
- Share their feelings and ideas about what they have read with others.
- Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary.
- Anticipate (where appropriate) key events in stories.
- Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, nonfiction, rhymes and poems and during role play.

- Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter-sound correspondences.
- Read some letter groups that each represent one sound and say sounds for them.
- Read a few common exception words matched to the school's phonic programme.
- Read simple phrases and sentences made up of words with known lettersound correspondences and, where necessary, a few exception words.
- Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs.
- Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by soundblending.
- Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.

- Spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letter/s.
- Can write for a range of purposes in meaningful contexts e.g. lists, captions, instructions, letters etc.
- Write short sentences with words with known letter-sound correspondences using a capital letter and full stop.
- Re-read what they have written to check that it makes sense.
- Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed.
- Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters.
- Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.