

YEAR 3 READING TARGETS – ('Tick IN THE BOX' when achieved consistently in School
P = PUPILS, T = TEACHERS)

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Word Reading

I can use my knowledge of root words, prefixes (including dis-, mis-, in-, il-, im-, ir-), and suffixes (including -ly), to help me read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words.

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I can read further exception words including words that do not follow spelling patterns.

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Comprehension

I can make reading fun by listening to and discussing stories, poems, plays and non-fiction work.

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I can show that I enjoy reading by reading lots of different types of books.

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I can read a wide range of books (including fairy stories, myths and legends), and retell some of them to others.

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I can tell you what a book that I am reading is about.

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I can read aloud poems and perform play scripts.

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I can discuss words that excite me in the books that I read.

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I can understand what I have read, checking that it makes sense by talking to others about it.

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I can ask questions about the texts that I have read to help me understand them.

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I can work out what a character in a book is feeling by the actions they take and can explain how I know.

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I can predict what might happen from clues in what I have read.

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I can tell someone about the main ideas in a paragraph.

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I can say how a text is organised to help me understand it using paragraphs, headings, sub-headings and inverted commas to show speech.

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I can use non-fiction texts to find out information on a subject.

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I can talk about books and poems and I can take turns in telling people about them.

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Spoken Language

I can prepare poems and play scripts to read aloud and to perform, showing my understanding by using the tone of my voice and actions.

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I can talk in a group about books that are read to me and those that I read, taking turns and listening to what others say.

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