

English Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation Curriculum Map from September 2019

Grammar is taught from Years One to Six following the content from the 2014 National Curriculum.

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Year One

Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation Appendix

This document contains the Year One Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation appendix and is used to support the planning, teaching and learning in Year One.

Year 1: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement)	
Word	Regular plural noun suffixes –s or –es [for example, dog, dogs; wish, wishes], including the effects of these suffixes on the meaning of the noun
	Suffixes that can be added to verbs where no change is needed in the spelling of root words (e.g. helping, helped, helper)
	How the prefix <i>un</i> – changes the meaning of verbs and adjectives [negation, for example, <i>unkind</i> , or <i>undoing</i> : <i>untie the boat</i>]
Sentence	How words can combine to make sentences
	Joining words and joining clauses using and
Text	Sequencing sentences to form short narratives
Punctuation	Separation of words with spaces
	Introduction to capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences
	Capital letters for names and for the personal pronoun I
Terminology	letter, capital letter
for pupils	word, singular, plural
	sentence
	punctuation, full stop, question mark, exclamation mark

Year Two

Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation Appendix

This document contains the Year Two Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation appendix and is used to support the planning, teaching and learning in Year Two.

Year 2: Detail o	of content to be introduced (statutory requirement)
Word	Formation of nouns using suffixes such as –ness, –er and by compounding [for example, whiteboard, superman]
	Formation of adjectives using suffixes such as <i>-ful</i> , <i>-less</i>
	(A fuller list of suffixes can be found on page Error! Bookmark not defined. in the year 2 spelling section in English Appendix 1)
	Use of the suffixes –er, –est in adjectives and the use of –ly in Standard English to turn adjectives into adverbs
Sentence	Subordination (using when, if, that, because) and co-ordination (using or, and, but)
	Expanded noun phrases for description and specification [for example, the blue butterfly, plain flour, the man in the moon]
	How the grammatical patterns in a sentence indicate its function as a statement, question, exclamation or command
Text	Correct choice and consistent use of present tense and past tense throughout writing
	Use of the progressive form of verbs in the present and past tense to mark actions in progress [for example, she is drumming, he was shouting]
Punctuation	Use of capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences
	Commas to separate items in a list
	Apostrophes to mark where letters are missing in spelling and to mark singular possession in nouns [for example, the girl's name]
Terminology	noun, noun phrase
for pupils	statement, question, exclamation, command
	compound, suffix
	adjective, adverb, verb
	tense (past, present)
	apostrophe, comma

Year Three

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This document contains the Year Three Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation appendix and is used to support the planning, teaching and learning in Year Three.

Year 3: Detail o	Year 3: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement)	
Word	Formation of nouns using a range of prefixes [for example super–, anti–, auto–]	
	Use of the forms a or an according to whether the next word begins with a consonant or a vowel [for example, <u>a</u> rock, <u>an</u> open box]	
	Word families based on common words , showing how words are related in form and meaning [for example, solve, solution, solver, dissolve, insoluble]	
Sentence	Expressing time, place and cause using conjunctions [for example, when, before, after, while, so, because], adverbs [for example, then, next, soon, therefore], or prepositions [for example, before, after, during, in, because of]	
Text	Introduction to paragraphs as a way to group related material	
	Headings and sub-headings to aid presentation	
	Use of the present perfect form of verbs instead of the simple past [for example, He has gone out to play contrasted with He went out to play]	
Punctuation	Introduction to inverted commas to punctuate direct speech	
Terminology	preposition conjunction	
for pupils	word family, prefix	
	clause, subordinate clause	
	direct speech	
	consonant, consonant letter vowel, vowel letter	
	inverted commas (or 'speech marks')	

Year Four

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Year 4: Detail of co	Year 4: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement)	
Word	The grammatical difference between plural and possessive –s	
	Standard English forms for verb inflections instead of local spoken forms [for example, we were instead of we was, or I did instead of I done]	
Sentence	Noun phrases expanded by the addition of modifying adjectives, nouns and preposition phrases (e.g. the teacher expanded to: the strict maths teacher with curly hair)	
	Fronted adverbials [for example, Later that day, I heard the bad news.]	
Text	Use of paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme	
	Appropriate choice of pronoun or noun within and across sentences to aid cohesion and avoid repetition	
Punctuation	Use of inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech [for example, a comma after the reporting clause; end punctuation within inverted commas: <i>The conductor shouted, "Sit down!"</i>]	
	Apostrophes to mark plural possession [for example, the girl's name, the girls' names]	
	Use of commas after fronted adverbials	
Terminology for	determiner	
pupils	pronoun, possessive pronoun	
	adverbial	

Year Five

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Year 5: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement)	
Word	Converting nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes [for example, – ate; –ise; –ify]
	Verb prefixes [for example, dis-, de-, mis-, over- and re-]
Sentence	Relative clauses beginning with who, which, where, when, whose, that, or an omitted relative pronoun
	Indicating degrees of possibility using adverbs [for example, perhaps, surely] or modal verbs [for example, might, should, will, must]
Text	Devices to build cohesion within a paragraph [for example, then, after that, this, firstly]
	Linking ideas across paragraphs using adverbials of time [for example, later], place [for example, nearby] and number [for example, secondly] or tense choices [for example, he had seen her before]
Punctuation	Brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis
	Use of commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity
Terminology	modal verb, relative pronoun
for pupils	relative clause
	parenthesis, bracket, dash
	cohesion, ambiguity

Year Six

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Year 6: Detail o	Year 6: Detail of content to be introduced (statutory requirement)	
Word	The difference between vocabulary typical of informal speech and vocabulary appropriate for formal speech and writing [for example, find out – discover; ask for – request; go in – enter] How words are related by meaning as synonyms and antonyms [for example, big, large, little].	
Sentence	Use of the passive to affect the presentation of information in a sentence [for example, I broke the window in the greenhouse versus The window in the greenhouse was broken (by me)]. The difference between structures typical of informal speech and structures appropriate for formal speech and writing [for example, the use of question tags: He's your friend, isn't he?, or the use of subjunctive forms such as If I were or Were they to come in some very formal writing and speech]	
Text	Linking ideas across paragraphs using a wider range of cohesive devices : repetition of a word or phrase, grammatical connections [for example, the use of adverbials such as on the other hand, in contrast, or as a consequence], and ellipsis Layout devices [for example, headings, sub-headings, columns, bullets, or tables, to structure text]	
Punctuation	Use of the semi-colon, colon and dash to mark the boundary between independent clauses [for example, It's raining; I'm fed up] Use of the colon to introduce a list and use of semi-colons within lists Punctuation of bullet points to list information How hyphens can be used to avoid ambiguity [for example, man eating shark versus man-eating shark, or recover versus re-cover]	
Terminology for pupils	subject, object active, passive synonym, antonym ellipsis, hyphen, colon, semi-colon, bullet points	