



EYFS Curriculum - Progression Map
Communication and Language: Speaking



Classes	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
2 year olds	Children will use gestures and pointing to communicate, confidently.	Children will copy gestures and words to communicate.	Children will use words during their play.	Children will become more confident saying multi-syllabic words.	Children will use words to start to talk about how they are feeling.	Children will begin to engage in conversations with a familiar adult.
Nursery	Children will join in with familiar songs and rhymes.	Children will listen to and talk about what they hear in the Christmas Story, using props to help.	Children will feel confident to start conversations with a familiar adult.	Children will use vocabulary to talk about familiar events such as Spring and Easter.	Children will be able to talk about things they like/dislike and begin to give reasons why.	Children will begin to use longer sentences to organise their play with others and share ideas.
Reception	Children will know and be able to talk about our 'Special stories'. Children will begin to join in with our daily prayers and songs.	Children will know and be able to talk about our 'Special stories'. Children will be able to retell the Christmas Story and say why it is important.	Children will know and be able to talk about our 'Special stories'. Children will know and use vocabulary linked to their topic 'Let's go', including past, present, vehicle and transport.	Children will know and be able to talk about our 'Special stories'. Children will know and use vocabulary linked to their topic 'Food, Glorious Food', and talk about ways to look after their body.	Children will know and be able to talk about our 'Special stories'. Children will be able to talk about why things happen and use their own ideas to talk about what might happen next.	Children will know and be able to talk about our 'Special stories'. Children will articulate their thoughts and feelings about time in Reception during our end of year celebrations.
Links to Y1	Children will be able to answer a simple question.	Children will show greater confidence in participating in performances.	Children will ask questions to help their understanding.	Children will use subject specific vocabulary in their talk.	Children will speak clearly so their audience can understand.	Children will share their own ideas with some detail.