



Essential learning/Non negotiables for Year R

Reading	Writing	Communication and Language	Mathematics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Secure with year group phonic expectations. Read some common irregular words. Use phonic knowledge to decide regular words & read aloud accurately Identify rhymes and alliteration. Join in with rhyming patterns. Read & understand simple sentences. Demonstrate understanding when talking with others about what they have read. Make basic predictions. Identify start and end of a sentence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write simple sentences which can be read by themselves & others. Use capital letters and full stops to demarcate sentences. Use correct pencil grip Write full name [using correct formation] Use correct letter formation for familiar words 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen carefully in a range of situations. Listen to stories, anticipate key events and respond with relevant comments, questions or actions. Give attention to what others are saying and respond appropriately, while engaged in another activity Follow instructions involving several ideas or actions Answer 'how' and 'why' questions about their experiences and in response to stories or events. Show awareness of a listener's needs. Use past, present and future tense accurately when talking about events that have happened or are to happen in the future. Connect ideas and events to develop a narrative or explanation. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Count reliably to 20. Order numbers 1-20. Say 1 more/1 less to 20. Add & subtract two single digit numbers. Count on/back to find the answer. Solve problems, including doubling, halving and sharing.