

# EPA EYFS Development of Strands

Term	Oracy	Reading	Writing	Maths	Being a Learner
Term 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Children expected to speak in full sentences- staff to recast for support.</li> </ul>	<p><b><i>BIRTH TO 5:</i></b></p> <p><b>Range 4:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Has some favourite stories, rhymes, songs, poems or jingles</li> <li>○ Repeats and uses actions, words or phrases from familiar stories</li> <li>○ Fills in the missing word or phrase in a known rhyme, story or game, e.g. Humpty Dumpty sat on a</li> <li>○ Begins to recognise familiar logos from children's popular culture, commercial print or icons for apps</li> <li>○ Enjoys rhythmic and musical activity with percussion instruments, actions, rhymes and songs, clapping along with the beat and joining in with words of familiar songs and nursery rhymes</li> </ul> <p><b>Range 5:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Listens to and joins in with stories and poems, when reading one-to-one and in small groups</li> <li>○ Joins in with repeated refrains and anticipates key events and phrases in rhymes and stories</li> <li>○ Begins to be aware of the way stories are structured, and to tell own stories</li> <li>○ Talks about events and principal characters in stories and suggests how the story might end</li> <li>○ Shows interest in illustrations and words in print and digital books and words in the environment</li> <li>○ Recognises familiar words and signs such as own name, advertising logos and screen icons</li> <li>○ Looks at and enjoys print and digital books independently</li> <li>○ Knows that print carries meaning and, in English, is read from left to right and top to bottom</li> <li>○ Knows information can be relayed through signs and symbols in various forms (e.g. printed materials, digital screens and environmental print)</li> </ul>	<p><b><i>BIRTH TO 5:</i></b></p> <p><b>Range 4:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Distinguishes between the different marks they make</li> <li>○ Enjoys drawing and writing on paper, on screen and on different textures, such as in sand or playdough and through using touch-screen technology</li> </ul> <p><b>Range 5:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Makes up stories, play scenarios, and drawings in response to experiences, such as outings</li> <li>○ Sometimes gives meaning to their drawings and paintings</li> <li>○ Ascribes meanings to signs, symbols and words that they see in different places, including those they make themselves</li> <li>○ Includes mark making and early writing in their play</li> <li>○ Imitates adults' writing by making continuous lines of shapes and symbols (early writing) from left to right</li> <li>○ Attempts to write their own name, or other names and words, using combinations of lines, circles and curves, or letter-type shapes</li> <li>○ Shows interest in letters on a keyboard, identifying the initial letter of their own name and other familiar words</li> <li>○ Begins to make letter-type shapes to represent the initial sound of their name and other familiar words</li> <li>○</li> </ul>	<p><b><i>BIRTH TO 5:</i></b></p> <p><b>Range 4:</b></p> <p><b>Comparison</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Beginning to compare and recognise changes in numbers of things, using words like more, lots or 'same'</li> </ul> <p><b>Counting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Begins to say numbers in order, some of which are in the right order (ordinality)</li> </ul> <p><b>Cardinality (How many?)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ In everyday situations, takes or gives two or three objects from a group</li> <li>○ Beginning to notice numerals (number symbols)</li> <li>○ Beginning to count on their fingers.</li> </ul> <p><b>Spatial Awareness</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Moves their bodies and toys around objects and explores fitting into spaces</li> <li>○ Begins to remember their way around familiar environments</li> <li>○ Responds to some spatial and positional language</li> <li>○ Explores how things look from different viewpoints including things that are near or far away</li> </ul> <p><b>Shape</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Chooses puzzle pieces and tries to fit them in</li> <li>○ Recognises that two objects have the same shape</li> <li>○ Makes simple constructions</li> </ul> <p><b>Pattern</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Joins in and anticipates repeated sound and action patterns</li> <li>○ Is interested in what happens next using the pattern of everyday routines</li> </ul> <p><b>Measures</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Explores differences in size, length, weight and capacity</li> <li>○ Beginning to understand some talk about immediate past and future</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Lunch with KS1</li> <li>○ Lunch time break in EYFS</li> </ul>

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Term 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Children expected to speak in full sentences-staff to recast for support.</li> <li>○ Tracking the adult</li> <li>○ Introducing: Children standing to speak.</li> <li>○ 'ABC' hand signals</li> <li>○ Partner talk.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>BIRTH TO 5:</u></b> <b>Beginning:</b> <b>Range 6:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Enjoys an increasing range of print and digital books, both fiction and non-fiction</li> <li>○ Uses vocabulary and forms of speech that are increasingly influenced by their experiences of reading</li> <li>○ Describes main story settings, events and principal characters in increasing detail</li> <li>○ Re-enacts and reinvents stories they have heard in their play</li> <li>○ Knows that information can be retrieved from books, computers and mobile digital devices</li> <li>○ Is able to recall and discuss stories or information that has been read to them, or they have read themselves</li> <li>○ Begins to recognise some written names of peers, siblings or "Mummy"/"Daddy" for example</li> <li>○ Begins to develop phonological and phonemic awareness: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➢ Continues a rhyming string and identifies alliteration</li> <li>➢ Hears and says the initial sound in words</li> <li>➢ Begins to segment the sounds in simple words and blend them together and knows which letters represent some of them</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b><u>BIRTH TO 5:</u></b> <b>Beginning</b> <b>Range 6:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Enjoys creating texts to communicate meaning for an increasingly wide range of purposes, such as making greetings cards, tickets, lists, invitations and creating their own stories and books with images and sometimes with words, in print and digital formats</li> <li>○ Gives meaning to the marks they make as they draw, write, paint and type using a keyboard or touch-screen technology</li> <li>○ Begins to break the flow of speech into words, to hear and say the initial sound in words and may start to segment the sounds in words and blend them together</li> <li>○ Starts to develop phonic knowledge by linking sounds to letters, naming and sounding some of the letters of the alphabet, identifying letters and writing recognisable letters in sequence, such as in their own name</li> <li>○ Uses their developing phonic knowledge to write things such as labels and captions, later progressing to simple sentences</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>BIRTH TO 5:</u></b> <b>Beginning</b> <b>Range 6:</b> <b>Comparison</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Uses number names and symbols when comparing numbers, showing interest in large numbers</li> <li>○ Estimates of numbers of things, showing understanding of relative size</li> </ul> <p><b>Counting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Enjoys reciting numbers from 0 to 10 (and beyond) and back from 10 to 0</li> <li>○ Increasingly confident at putting numerals in order 0 to 10 (ordinality)</li> </ul> <p><b>Cardinality</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Engages in subitising numbers to four and maybe five</li> <li>○ Counts out up to 10 objects from a larger group</li> <li>○ Matches the numeral with a group of items to show how many there are (up to 10)</li> </ul> <p><b>Composition</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Shows awareness that numbers are made up (composed) of smaller numbers, exploring partitioning in different ways with a wide range of objects</li> <li>○ Begins to conceptually subitise larger numbers by subitising smaller groups within the number,</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Lunch with KS1</li> <li>○ Lunch time break in EYFS</li> <li>○ Friday assembly</li> <li>○ Break time with KS1</li> <li>○ 10 – 15 mins of focus task in groups of 6 at a table</li> </ul>

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