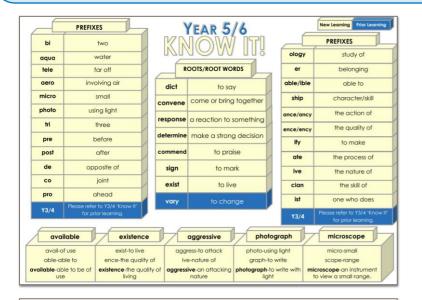
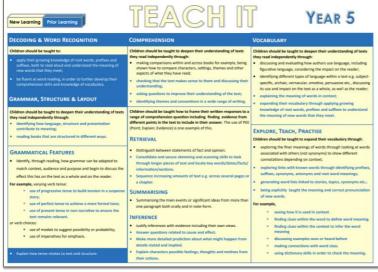
The reading curriculum consists of 3 sections:

Know it - the essential knowledge needed for that year group. Directly correlates to NC requirements.
Teach it - what should be taught within this year. The blue sections refer to prior learning.
Apply it - how children should apply their knowledge as readers.



Know it!

Within KS1, the 'Know it' section links phonic knowledge, high frequency words and common exception words. In KS2 there is a growing emphasis upon knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes as the building blocks for vocabulary construction and understanding.



Teach it!

Having a good understanding of what has come before is essential before we can move on. Prior learning is outlined throughout the document in blue. All NC objectives are met and there are some suggested techniques and strategies outlined in the 'Explore, teach, practise' section.



Apply it!

This section looks at how pupils can use their knowledge and skills and apply it to their own reading in order to become fluent and confident readers. We have outlined some high-quality literature which will support teachers in choosing texts which are age appropriate and engage pupils.