

## Phonics and Reading, Books and Resources

A list which includes resources for handwriting, spelling, and writing can be found in the English policy.

### Teaching of Phonics:

- <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/>
- Essential Letters and Sounds by Oxford University Press (Nursery, reception and Year 1 then as appropriate for groups and individuals from Year 2) - Core scheme. DFE validated Standardised Synthetic Phonics Programme. This has been adapted to the needs of the children at Harewood Primary in The Harewood ELS Bespoke Phonics Programme.  
<https://global.oup.com/education/content/primary/series/essential-letters-and-sounds/?region=uk>.
- Contains teacher resources: CPD, teaching programme, lesson plans, interventions for children who may need extra support, wall charts, flash cards
- Pupil resources: closely matched pupil activity books, Oxford Owls E readers, Essential Letters and Sounds decodable reading books, Project X, Hero Academy, Little Blending Books, ORT Traditional Tales and Word Sparks non-fiction are used in guided reading.
- In addition to Oxford Owls, children read at home: Rigby Star Phonics, Ransome, Reading Stars and Floppy's Phonics which are closely matched to ELS

**Teaching of Reading:** All Reading Plus and Reading Eggspress texts and activities can be accessed remotely. Lexia is available to access from home. Other resources can be shared by teachers on Teams and Seesaw

**Teachers draw upon a wide range of high quality fiction and non-fiction texts from our school library and story bags and aim to foster a love of reading. These books are used in class to inspire and support children's learning. In addition, teachers use the following structured resources:**

- Reading Plus (Years 5 and 6) Reading Plus is an adaptive literacy program to improve fluency, comprehension, vocabulary, stamina, and motivation. Accessed by most children 3 times per week. <https://www.readingplus.com/>. Accessed on Ipads, pupils can log in at <https://student.readingplus.com/seereader/api/sec/login>
- Reading Eggspress (including Fast Phonics and Reading Eggs) Adaptive and interactive reading program accessed by children up to Year 4. Some children will continue this into Year 5 and 6 as an alternative to Reading Plus. Fast Phonics supports children reinforcing phonic knowledge. Reading Eggs then Reading Eggspress are used 3 times per week. <https://readingeggspress.co.uk/> Accessed on Ipads
- Some children with specific English needs identified on their IEPs access LEXIA (a highly-structured digital learning program) <https://www.lexiacore5.com/register>
- Rigby Star (Year 2 and KS2) Core reading scheme after Essential Letters and Sounds
- Pearson Navigators fiction and non-fiction in guided reading sessions from Year 2
- Pearson Bugs Club books used in guided reading sessions from Year 2
- Heinemann English World (fiction and non-fiction) revised edition (KS2) books and texts for shared and guided reading
- CGP Sats Buster Fiction, non-fiction and poetry books (Year 6) for direct teaching of retrieval, inference, word meaning and summary in shared text work.
- Reading Eggs Printables (Year 2-5) for direct teaching of comprehension skills.
- CGP Targeted comprehension books (Year 2)
- Additional resources available for comprehension include: Headstart printables, VIPERS, LDA and LCP cards

