

Barlby Community Primary School - Skills Progression Early Years Foundation Stage 2

Throughout Foundation Stage 2, time is spent supporting pupils to increase their skills in metacognition. This is the ability to actively monitor one's own learning and, based on this monitoring, make changes to their learning behaviours and strategies. This is closely linked to self-regulation and executive functioning.

Progression of Communication and Language Development

On entry, adults will gather information from parents and previous settings to establish starting points for listening, attention, concentration and speech. Speech programmes will be implemented and assessments sought as necessary. Specific vocabulary will be explored throughout the year in the different areas of interest.

Skill	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	Early Learning Goal
Listening, Attention and Understanding	 To understand how to listen carefully. To understand why listening is important. To be able to follow directions. To make connections using their prior knowledge. To begin to learn songs, poems and rhymes. 	 To engage in story times, joining in with repeated phrases and actions. To listen to and talk about stories building understanding and familiarity. To begin to understand how and why questions. To respond to instructions with more than one step. 	 To ask questions to find out more and to clarify meaning. To begin to understand humour. To understand a range of complex sentence structures. 	 To retell a story. To follow a story without pictures or props. To retell a story confidently. To listen to songs, rhymes and poems, paying attention to how they sound. 	☐ To understand questions such as who, what, where, when, why and how.	 To have conversations with adults and peers with back and forth exchanges. To have a repertoire of songs, rhymes and poems. 	Listen attentively and respond to what they hear with relevant questions, comments and actions when being read to and during whole class discussions and small group interactions. Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding. Hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with their teacher and peers.

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• To be confident to talk. • To talk to the class teacher and LSAs. • To learn new vocabulary. • To talk in front of a small group.	To answer questions in front of whole class during lunch surgery. To use new vocabulary throughout the day. •	To develop the confidence to talk to other adults they see on a daily basis. To talk in sentences using conjunctions, e.g. and, because.	To answer questions in front of whole class during show and tell sessions. To share their work to the class-standing up at the front. To use new vocabulary in different contexts. To engage with non-fiction books.	To link statements and stick to a main theme. To take turns in longer conversations using well-formed sentences. To use talk to organise, sequence and clarify thinking, ideas, feelings and events. To use talk to negotiate and problem solve.	 To answer questions in front of whole class about a topic that interests them. To talk to different adults around the school. To talk about why things happen. To talk in sentences using a range of tenses. 	Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary. Offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, nonfiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate. Express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions, with modelling and support from their teacher.

Progression of Personal, Social and Emotional Development

On entry, and at reg lar points throughout their time in FS2, adults will assess the pupils' levels of wellbeing and involvement. This will include assessments for ELSA intervention throughout the year. Throughout the year we will be using The Colour Monster for exploration of emotions.

Skill	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	Early Learning Goal
Self-Regulation	 To begin recognise different emotions. To talk about their own emotions and begin to be able to say how they are feeling. To focus during short class/group activities. To follow one step instructions. 	 To talk about how they are feeling. To begin to consider the feelings of others. To adapt behaviour to a range of situations using: To stop, To think and then To choose. 	To focus during longer whole class lessons. To follow two-step instructions. To become confident in choosing resources and their learning during structured play. To begin to be able to adapt and persevere in the face of challenge.	To identify and moderate their own feelings, socially and emotionally. To consider the feelings and needs of others. To understand how people show emotions.	 To control their emotions using a range of techniques. To set a target and reflect on progress throughout. To be able to talk about things they do well and what they want to do better. 	To maintain focus during extended whole class teaching. To follow instructions of three steps or more.	Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly. Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate. Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.

Managing Self	 To wash hands independently. To put their coat on independently using the flip trick. To hang their own coat on their peg. To explore different areas within the FS2 environment. To use the toilet independently. 	 To develop class rules and understand the need to have rules. To have confidence to try new activities. 	 To begin to show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. To practise doing up their fastenings, e.g. zip, buttons, Velcro etc. 	□ To develop independence when dressing and undressing for activities such as dressing up, putting on wellies for the sandpit etc.	 To identify and name healthy foods. To manage own basic needs independently. 	 To understand the importance of healthy food choices. To show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. To show a 'can do' attitude. To see themselves as a valuable person within the community. To put P.E kit on independently as part of transition to KS1. To put uniform on and do up different fastenings with minimal support. 	Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. Explain the reasons for rules, know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly. Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices.
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Building Relationships	 To seek support of adults when needed. To gain confidence to speak to peers and adults. To build positive relationships with all FS2 staff and mid day supervisors To begin to regulate their responses when working with different friends/groups of people. 	 To begin to work as a group with support. To use taught strategies to support turn taking. To have positive relationships with all FS2 staff and Mid day supervisors. 	 To listen to the ideas of other pupils and agree on a solution and compromise. To understand and accept freedom of choice and to be increasingly able to sort out own problems through talk. 	To work as a group. To begin to develop relationships with other adults around the school.	To have confidence to communicate with adults around the school. To have strong friendships.	Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others. Form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers. Show sensitivity to their own and to others' needs.

Progression of Physical Development

On entry, adults will assess core strength, gross motor skills, cross lateral abilities and fine motor skills. Independent to ileting needs will also be assessed and supported.

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Gross Motor Skills	 Develop core strength. To move safely in a space. To stop safely. To develop control when using equipment. To follow a path and take turns. 	 Different ways of moving: over/under/backwards/forwards. To adjust speed. Travel with different parts of body on floor. To balance. To run and stop. To change direction. To jump and hop. To explore different ways to travel using equipment. 	 Balancing and Jumping. Use different balances & jump off equipment. Jump 1 foot to 2 feet, explore 1:2:1 sequence (hopscotch). To work cooperatively with a partner. To roll and track a ball. To dribble using hands. To throw and catch with a partner. 	sequences using shapes, balances and travelling	 Throwing and Catching – balls, scarf, hoop. Kick a ball to a target. Bounce ball with a bat. To use counting to help to stay in time with the music when copying and creating actions. To move safely with confidence and imagination, communicating ideas through movement. To explore movement using a prop with control and coordination. To move with control and coordination, expressing ideas. 	 Team games. Aiming games with balls, hoops, quoits. To kick a ball to a target. To dribble a ball using feet. To develop accuracy when throwing to a target. To develop accuracy when throwing and practise keeping score. To follow instructions and move safely when playing tagging games. To learn to play against an opponent. To play by the rules and develop coordination. 	Negotiate space and obstacles safely, with consideration for themselves and others. Demonstrate strength, balance and coordination when playing. Move energetically, such as running, jumping, dancing, hopping, skipping and climbing.

Fine Motor To use a dominant To begin to use To use a tripod grip To hold scissors To hold scissors To hold scissors Hold a pencil effectively in hand. anticlockwise when using mark correctly and cut correctly and cut correctly and cut preparation for fluent Skills movement and making tools. out large shapes. out small shapes. various materials. writing – using the tripod To have secure retrace vertical grip in almost all cases. shoulder, wrist and To hold scissors To write letters To paint using To create drawings lines. Use a range of small tools, correctly and cut thinner elbow pivot using the correct with details. including scissors, paint movements. To hold scissors along a curved line. letter formation paintbrushes. • To independently correctly and cut and control the size brushes and cutlery. To develop hand To thread small use a knife, fork along a straight and of letters. Begin to show accuracy and strength. beads. and spoon to eat a zigzagged lines. care when drawing. range of meals. To mark make To use small pegs. To use a tripod grip using different To be confident in To write taught when using mark their skills as a shapes. letters using making tools. writer. correct formation. To begin to use a To accurately draw tripod grip when lines, circles and using mark making shapes to draw tools. pictures. To use tweezer to To hold a fork and transfer objects. spoon correctly. To thread large beads. • To use large pegs. To begin to copy letters. To hold scissors correctly and make snips in paper.

	Progression of Literacy											
Skill	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	Early Learning Goal					
Comprehension	 To use pictures to tell stories. To sequence familiar stories. To independently look at books, holding them the correct way and turning pages. 	 To engage in story times, joining in with repeated phrases and actions. To begin to answer questions about the stories read to them. To enjoy an increasing range of books including fiction, nonfiction, poems. 	 To act out stories. To begin to predict what may happen in the story. To suggest how a story might end. 	 To retell a story. To follow a story without pictures or props. To talk about the characters in the books they are reading. 	 To begin to answer questions about what they have read. To use vocabulary that is influenced by their experiences of books. 	 To answer questions about what they have read. To know that information can be retrieved from books. 	Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary. Anticipate – where appropriate – key events in stories. Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during roleplay.					

cat	□ To recognise their name. To recognise: m, a, s, d, t, i, n, p, g, o, c, k, u, b, f, e, □ Orally blend words. Orally segment words To begin to blend sounds together to read words using the taught sounds	e, I, h, sh, r, j, v, y, w, th, z, ch, qu, x, nk, ng • Blend simple words using known letter sounds. To blend sounds to read words using taught sounds To read words ending with s e.g. hats, sits	i, n, p, g, o, c, k, u, b, f, e, l, h, sh, r, j, v, y, w, th, z, ch, qu, x, nk, ng ay, ee, igh, ow, oo, oo, ar, or, air, ir, ou, oy • Blend simple words using known letter sounds. • Segment simple words with support. To read words with double letters To begin to read	k, u, b, f, e, l, h, sh, r, j, v, y, w, th, z,	m, a, s, d, t, i, n, p, g, o, c, k, u, b, f, e, l, h, sh, r, j, v, y, w, th, z, ch, qu, x, nk, ng ay, ee, igh, ow, oo, oo, ar, or, air, ir, ou, oy Read words with adjacent consonants. To read words with short vowels and adjacent consonants To read longer words To read	To recognise: m, a, s, d, t, i, n, p, g, o, c, k, u, b, f, e, l, h, sh, r, j, v, y, w, th, z, ch, qu, x, nk, ng ay, ee, igh, ow, oo, oo, ar, or, air, ir, ou, oy To read words with phase 3 long vowel sounds with adjacent consonants To read longer words To read compound words To read words ending in suffixes (-ing, -ed /t/, -ed /id/, -ed, ed /d/, - er, -est) To read longer sentences containing Phase 4 words and Tricky Words To read books matching their phonics ability	Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs. Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound-blending. Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.
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sentences using taught sounds • To read books matching their phonics ability

	☐ Orally segment words with support.	☐ Segment simple words with support.		CCVC, CVCC, CCVCC.			
Common exception words	I, the, go, to, no, into	I, the, go, to, no, into	he, she, we, me, be, was, my, you, her, they, all, are	he, she, we, me, be, was, my, you, her, they, all, are	some, one, said, come, do, so, were, when, have, there, out, like, little, what	some, one, said, come, do, so, were, when, have, there, out, like, little, what	

 Writing To copy their name. To give mean to the marks make. To copy taugletters. To write initisounds. To begin to very CVC words us taught sound. To begin to feletters corres with supports. 	name. To use the correct letter formation of taught letters. To write words and labels using taught sounds. To begin to write captions using taught sounds. To form most taught letters correctly.	 To form lowercase letters correctly. To begin to write sentences using fingers spaces. To understand that sentences start with a capital letter and end with a full stop. To spell words using taught sounds. To spell some taught common exception words correctly. To form most taught letters correctly. 	To form lowercase letters correctly and begin to form capital letters. To write sentences using finger spaces and full stops. To spell words using taught sounds. To spell some taught tricky words correctly. To form most taught letters correctly. To segment and write simple words.	 To form lowercase and capital letters correctly. To begin to copy letters using a lead in and lead out. To begin to write longer words which are spelt phonetically. To begin to use capital letters at the start of a sentence. To use finger spaces and full stops when writing a sentence. To spell some taught tricky words correctly. To begin to read their work back. Segment and write simple words. Form letters correctly. 	 To form lowercase and capital letters correctly. To copy letters using a lead in and lead out. To begin to write longer words and compound words which are spelt phonetically. To write sentences using a capital letter, finger spaces and full stop. To spell some taught common exception words correctly. To read their work back and check it makes sense. Writes simple sentences. Forms letters correctly and sits letters on writing line. 	Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed. Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters. Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.

Progression of Mathematics

Skill Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	Early Learning Goal
Number 2 3 4 5 To recognise numbers 1-3. To begin to subitise to 3. To find one more of numbers to 3. To explore the composition of 2 and 3.	 To recognise numbers 1-5. To begin to subitise to 5. To find one more of numbers to 5. To find one less of numbers to 5. To explore the composition of 4 and 5. 	 To recognise numbers 0-8. To subitise to 5. To find one more of numbers to 8. To find one less of numbers to 8. To explore the composition of 6, 7 and 8. To match the number to quantity. 	 To recognise numbers 0-10. To explore the composition of 9 and 10. To practise number bonds to 10. To know addition facts to make 5. To find one more of numbers to 10. To find one less of numbers to 10. To estimate a number of objects. 	 To recognise numbers to 20. To revise number bonds to 5. To explore how to make numbers above ten using tens and ones. To match the number to quantity. 	To solve simple number problems. To recap the composition of each number to 10. To know addition and subtraction facts to 10. To know doubling facts.	Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number. Subitise (recognise quantities without counting up to 5. Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts and some number bonds to 10, including double facts.

Patterns	To say which group has more. To say which group has less. To compare quantities to 3. To count to 5.	 To compare quantities to 5. To compare equal and unequal groups. To count to 10. 	 To count to 15. To count objects to 10. To compare quantities to 8. To begin to understand the different between odd and even numbers up to 8. To combine two groups of objects. 	 To count to 20. To compare quantities to 10. To explore odd and even numbers. To order numbers to 10. To count back from 10. To combine two groups of objects. To take away objects and count how many are left. To find the missing number. 	 To count to 25. To add numbers. To subtract numbers. To find the missing number. To order numbers to 20. To order numbers, e.g. 13, 15, 19. To find the missing number in an addition and subtraction sentence problem. 	 To count to 30 and begin to count higher (100). To know that 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 are odd. To know that 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 are even. To double numbers up to 10. To find half of numbers up to 10. To share quantities equally. To combine groups of 2s, 5s and 10s. 	Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system. Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity. Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.
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Past & Present	• To know about my	• To know about	☐ To know about	☐ To know about	☐ To know about	☐ To know about	Talk about the lives of the
r dst & r resent	own life-story.	figures from the	the past through	the past through	the past through	the past through	people around them and
	• To know how I have	past.	settings,	settings,	settings,	settings,	their roles in society.
	changed.	• To know some	characters and	<u> </u>	characters and	characters and	Know some similarities and
	_	similarities and	events	events	events	events	differences between things
	 To talk about the 	differences	encountered in	encountered in	encountered in	encountered in	in the past and now,
	lives of the people	between things in	books read in	books read in	books read in class and	books read in	drawing on their
	around us.	the past and now,	class and	class and storytelling.	storytelling.	class and storytelling.	experiences and what has
*	 To know that the 	drawing on	storytelling.	Storyteining.	storytening.	Storytening.	been read in class.
	emergency	experiences and					Understand the past
	services exist and	what has been					through settings, characters and events
	what they do.	read in class.					encountered in books read
	 To know about 	(Christmas)					in class and storytelling.
	different						, 0
	environments: farm						
	land and urban.						

People, Culture	 To know about 	To talk about how		 To know that 	 To know that 	To know that	Describe their immediate
& Communities	family structures		Chinese New	Christians_	people in other	people in other	environment using
	and talk about who	celebrate Diwali	Year.	celebrate Easter.	countries may	countries may	knowledge from observation
	is part of their				speak different languages	speak different languages	discussion, stories, non-
	family.		To know about		languages	languages	fiction texts and maps.
	 To identify 	To talk about the	people who help				Know some similarities an
a a	similarities and	Christmas Story	us within the local				differences between
	differences	and how it is	community,				different religious and
	between	celebrated				To know that	cultural communities in th
	themselves and					simple symbols	country, drawing on their
	peers.	To know that				are used to identify features	experiences and what has
	• To know the name	people around				on a map	been read in class.
₩	of our school and	the world have				on a map	Explain some similarities
	where we live.	different religions					and differences between
							life in this country and life
	 To know about 						in other countries, drawi
	features of the						on knowledge from stori non-fiction texts and –
	immediate						when appropriate – map
	environment.						when appropriate map.
	• To know about						
	people who help us within the local						
	community.						
	community.						

The Natural World	To know about and recognise the signs of Winter To respect and care for the natural environments. (Harvest)	To know about and recognise the signs of Autumn. To know that some animals are nocturnal.	☐ To observe the growth of seeds and talk about changes. (bean)	☐ To know about and recognise the signs of Spring.	• To know about features of the world and Earth. • To know some important processes and changes in the natural world including states of matter. (water) • To know that some things in the world are manmade and some things are natural. (boats, planes etc)	 To respect and care for the natural environments. To know about and recognise the signs of Summer. To know about features of their own immediate environment and how they might vary from another. To observe the growth of seeds and talk about changes. (Sunflowers etc) To harvest grown fruit and vegetables. 	Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants. Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class. Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.

	Progression of Expressive Arts and Design									
Skill	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	Early Learning Goal			

Creating with Materials



- To name colours.
- To experiment with mixing colours.
- To create simple representations of people and objects.
- To draw and colour with pencils and crayons.
- To role play using given props and costumes.
- To explore different techniques for joining materials.

(Glue Stick)

- To know how to work safely and hygienically.
- To use nonstatutory measures.

(spoons, cups)

- To use some cooking techniques.
- To use different construction materials.

- To use colours for a particular purpose.
 - To share their creations.
 - To explore different techniques for joining materials.

(Glue Stick. PVA)

- To know how to work safely and hygienically.
- To use nonstatutory measures.
- (spoons, cups)
- To use some cooking techniques.

(biscuits)

- To experiment with different mark making tools such as art pencils, pastels & chalk.
- To explore different techniques for joining materials

(Glue Stick, PVA, Masking Tape)

- To know how to work safely and hygienically.
- To use nonstatutory measures

(spoons, cups)

- To use some cooking techniques
- (spreading, cutting, threading, coring, mixing)
- To use tools to cut and join wood.
- To know the names of tools.

- To use natural objects to make a piece of art.
- To share creations and talk about the process.
- To explore different techniques for joining materials

(Glue Stick, PVA, Masking Tape,)

- To make props and costumes for different role play scenarios.
- To know how to work safely and hygienically.
- To use nonstatutory measures.

(spoons, cups)

To use some cooking techniques

- To know which prime colours you mix together to make secondary colours.
- To plan what they are going to make (cooking, construction, junk modelling)
- To draw more detailed pictures of people and objects.
- To manipulate materials.
- To create observational drawings.
- To know how to work safely and hygienically.
- To use nonstatutory measures.
- (spoons, cups)

- To know some similarities and differences between materials.
- To learn about and compare artists.
- To explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.
- To share creations, talk about processes and evaluate their work.
- To adapt work where necessary.
- To use some cooking techniques
- (spreading, cutting, threading, coring, mixing, grating,)

Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.

Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.

Make use of props and materials when role playing characters in narratives and stories.

				☐ To look at colourful flags, especially those that have significance to our families.			
Being Imaginative & Expressive	 To sing and perform nursery rhymes. To experiment with different instruments and their sounds. To talk about whether the like or dislike a piece of music. To create musical patterns using body percussion. To use costumes and resources to act out narratives. 	 To perform a song in the Christmas singalong. To learn and perform a poem at the Christmas Singalong. To pitch match. To sing the melodic shape of familiar songs. To begin to build up a repertoire of songs, To sing entire songs. To use costumes and resources to act out narratives. 	To create musical patterns using untuned instruments. To begin to create costumes and resources for role play.	To perform songs at the Spring term event for parents. To associate genres of music with characters and stories. To create costumes and resources for role play.	 To move in time to music. To learn dance routines. To join in with whole school singing assemblies. To act out well know stories. To follow a musical pattern to play tuned instruments. To create narratives based around stories. 	 To listen to poems and create their own. To create own compositions using tuned instruments. To invent their own narratives, making costumes and resources. To join in with whole school Assemblies for transition. 	Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and their teacher. Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs. Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others and when appropriate, try to move in time with music.