

Expectations in Reading

Decoding/ Phonics	Read some common irregular words. Use phonic knowledge to decide regular words & read aloud accurately.
Patterns and Rhymes	Identify rhymes and alliteration. Join in with rhyming patterns.
Comprehension and Understanding	Read & understand simple sentences. Demonstrate understanding when talking with others about what they have read.
Prediction, inference & deduction	Make basic predictions.
Research	Identify start and end of a sentence.

Expectations in Writing

Sentence & text structure	Write simple sentences which can be read by themselves & others.
Punctuation	Use capital letters and full stops to demarcate sentences.
Paragraphing	Write demarcated sentences.
Handwriting	Use correct pencil grip. Use correct letter formation for familiar words.