

## Phonics and Reading Progression

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Working towards (b)	Phase 2	Phase 5a	Phase 5c	White	Lime	Brown	Sapphire
			Purple				
Working towards (w)	Phase 3/4	Phase 5b	Gold	Lime	Brown	Grey	Ruby
Working at (s)	Phase 5a	Phase 5c	White	Brown	Grey	Sapphire	Black
Working at greater depth (s+)	N/A	Purple	Lime	Grey	Sapphire	Ruby	Silver/ Free Reader

*Phase 5a = Phase 5 Intro*

*Phase 5b = Phase 5 Spring 1*

*Phase 5c = Phase 5 Spring 2*

Your children's phonic phase/reading colour band will be assessed every half term. These will be discussed at pupil progress reviews.

Some children will be assessed by the class teacher and the phase assistant head teacher. Depending on their ability there may be some flexibility to move reading bands.