

'And now I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. If you have love for one another, then everyone will know that you are my disciples."

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Ofsted Action Plans 2023

Area for improvement 1: January 2023 Ofsted Action Plan:

School Priority Targets:

- The early reading programme is not rigorously implemented.
- The books pupils are given to read are not well-matched to the sounds pupils are learning. As a result, some pupils who are struggling to read do not receive the precise support they need.
- Leaders need to ensure there is a consistent approach to the early reading programme and pupils read books that match the sounds they know.
- 1. By end of July 2023 the early reading programme is rigorously implemented and end of year data shows that pupils have made significant progress.
- 2. By the end of tem 3 the new phonic books are in place throughout the EYFS and KS1 and are being used so that pupils who are struggling to read receive the precise support they need.
- 3. By end of term 4, Leaders are confident that there in consistent approach to the early reading programme and that pupils read books that match the sound they know.

Governor Monitoring Who, how and when	Sophie Soar	Governor Evaluation Who, how and when		Sophie Soar, Verena Huntley, Margaret Knight		
SIA Monitoring	Karen Walker				Term 3 and 4 Term 5 and 6	
Lead Person	Headteacher		Others involved		Subject leaders, class teachers	
Action		Start date	End date	Resources /costs/	Monitoring and evaluation	
 Fully embed our new early reading programme and ensure that it is rigorously implemented so that the 		Jan 23	End of summer term	notes	HT, DHT, SMT and V H (EYFS Gov), S S (Lit Gov)	
end of year data for these pupils sh	now that there is				Tracking using the training grid.	
significant progress made.				Initial and	All KS1 staff and KS2 teachers and main TAs are now trained	
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1a Ensure that all staff are fully trained in im	plementing the	Jan 23	End of Term 3.	training for	staying. Look at points to develop next.	
new reading programme.				all staff and	SIP (School Improvement Plan 2023/2024)	
4b Diamain at a midama ta abin a fina dina		Jan. 22	Find of cook 1/ township	TAs.	KH, JR, HT	
1b Planning to evidence teaching of reading	programme.	Jan 23	End of each ½ termly		Started a programme of observations. Deep Dive 19 th April – led by ex-Ofsted Inspector. Very	
Joint observations						
 Planning 					complementary. Early Reading audit by Ramsbury Hub 27 th June.	
					Want to include a series of observation of TAs around the	
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1c Monitor progression and continuity in EYFS and each KS1		Feb 25	rernity		Build in more opportunities for CPD around the school for	
class.					KS1 staff.	
1d Assessment of phonics completed form	un an accessment	Jan 23	Ongoing but by the end of		SIP-focus 23/24 to embed	
1d Assessment of phonics completed – form up an assessment timetable. What happens next? Informing next steps.		Jan 23	term 6		SLT - On SLT agenda	
timetable. What happens next; informing he	ext steps.		term o		Complete and on Website.	
					All staff - SLT review progression termly	
1e Ensure pupils' interventions take place 3x a week for those		Jan 23	By the end of term 3		Term 3 and 4 assessments made from tracker	
identified from 1d. Group and 1 to 1.		3411 23	by the end of term of		Continued for term 5 and 6 – a final summery at end of	
					term 6 to form part of next year's actions. SIP	

1e To write an Early Reading and Phonics Policy.	Jan 23	By the end of term 4		All staff. – Interventions observations. Interventions all planned for terms 3,4 and 5 Continued Term 6 and top up if needed
1f To ensure that all staff involved with the new phonic scheme can play a part in a deep dive .	Jan 23	March 2023		Completed. Completed – checked each term.
 To ensure that we have purchased all the books we need for the early reading programme and that these are categorised (week and sound) and in place so that classes can roll out the programme effectively. 	Jan 23	Ongoing		
2a Ensure that each class has set up their new books and how they are going to effectively use them throughout the week. That this is recorded consistently using the tracker.	Jan23	Termly		Completed and checked regularly by Reading team. HT, DHT, SMT and VH (EYFS Gov), SS (Lit Gov) Caroline Brothers – LA consultant 20 th Feb and 27 th March – very complementary.
2b Continue training including all new members of staff that join the EYFS and KS1. What does reading look like at Woodford Valley?	Jan 23	Termly	Cost of the early reading programme	Linda Rowley – Diocesan Advisor 19 th April Jenny Violette – 27 th June – ER audit Continued – check EYFS able to access this.
2c That interventions are prompt and effective.	Jan 23	Termly	and any	Checked by KH, CC and JR - Continued Ensuring training opportunities are accessed by staff as
2d That pupils who are not supported are identified early and these pupils are heard every day.	Jan 23	Weekly	resources or time needed to	catch up Books checked by KH, CC and JR - Continued Through assessment and observations Continued
2e Regular monitoring to take place of phonic lessons in EYFS and Year 1. See 1e.	Jan 23	Termly	prepare them.	Through assessment and observations Continued
3. Leaders need to ensure there is a consistent approach to the early reading programme and pupils read books that match the sounds they know.				HT, DHT, SMT and VH (EYFS Gov), SSr (Lit Gov)
3a Check pupils are using books that match the sounds they know. 3b To ensure that all adults working in the EYFS and KS1 are using and recording where a child is and the progress they are	Jan 23 Jan 23	Ongoing		Books checked by KH, CC and JR Continued Reading observed so that pupils have got the right books. KH, JR and CC
making				Continued

Area for improvement 2: January 2023 Ofsted Action Plan:

School Priority Targets:

In some subjects, the curriculum is not clearly sequenced. Leaders have not identified with detail the important knowledge they want pupils to learn. As a result, it is not evident what cumulative knowledge pupils are building up over time. Leaders need to make sure that the detail of the curriculum is clear so that pupils learn more and remember more.

- 1. By end of July 2023 all curriculum areas are clearly sequenced in enough detail that it is clear what important knowledge and skills pupils need to learn starting with a focus on DT and History.
- 2. To ensure all subject areas in the curriculum offer shows what cumulative knowledge pupils are building up over time and this can be evident in planning, books, displays and by talking to pupils.

Governor Monitoring Who, how and when	All curriculum	Governor Evaluation Who, how and when		Curriculum Committee		
	governors					
SIA Monitoring	Karen Walker					
Lead Person	Headteacher	Others involved		Subject leaders, class teachers		
Action		Start date	End date	Resources /costs/ notes	Monitoring and evaluation	
1 To ensure all curriculum areas are clearly sequenced in enough detail that it is clear what important knowledge and skills pupils need to learn.		Jan 23	End of summer term	Time to enable teachers to review the curriculum	HT, DHT, SMT, Linked curric govs and Curric Comm.	
1a Review the sequence of all curriculum subjects – to ensure that knowledge and skills are sequenced and detailed.		Jan 23	End of Term 3 for DT and History End of term 5 for maths End of term 6 for all subjects.	offer especially in DT, History and Geography and in especially in	Completed and shared with Curr govs Art and Geography by the end of term 6 Computing carry to next year SIP Art a focus for term 5	
1b Monitor the sequence and progression for each subject through planning and lesson observations.		Jan 23	Termly	Maths as a core subject.	Need to check through final documents with whole staff and present to governors. Linda Rowley to validate the whole curriculum-SIP	
1c Ensure that subject areas show scope within and across subjects so that learning is joined.		Jan 23			Regular CPD and feedback in SMs or in group	
1d Regular feedback and development opporteachers so they can lead their subject area.	rtunities given to	Jan 23	Ongoing		emails. Review time tables for each subject to ensure appropriate.	
1e Monitoring of work scrutinises and pupil evidence learning and scope across the curri		Jan 23	By the end of term 5 and 6		SIP	

Area for improvement 3: EYFS December 2023 Ofsted Action Plan:

School Priority Targets:

- The Early Years curriculum has not been planned in sufficient detail to adapt quickly to children's development.
- Children are not regularly guided to adult initiated activities. As a result, opportunities for children to consolidate and practise learning are sometimes missed.
- Leaders should ensure that the early year's curriculum deliberately plans for children as they develop and meet different milestones.
- 1. By end of July 2023 The Early Years curriculum is planned in sufficient detail to adapt quickly to children's development.
- 2. By the end of July EYFS practise means that children are regularly guided to adult initiated activities and these can be seen in a range of evidence sources. As a result, opportunities for children to consolidate and practise learning are embedded.
- 3. By end of July 2023, Leaders should have curriculum plans for children as they develop and meet different milestones.

Governor Monitoring Who, how and when	Sophie Soar	Governor Evaluation Who, how and when				
SIA Monitoring	Karen Walker					
Lead Person	ad Person Headteacher		Others involved		Subject leaders, class teachers	
Action		Start date	End date	Resources	Monitoring and Evaluation	
1 To review our Early Years curriculum offer so that there is evidence of sufficient detail in the planning that we can adapt quickly to children's development through:		Jan 23	End of summer term	/costs/ notes 5 supply days	HT, DHT, VH (EYFS Gov) And KH. 2 days in 2 and 3	
1a Write a Skills and Knowledge Development Schema – A Progression of Skills APS, for each of the Educational Programmes.		Jan 23	End of Term 4 – pushed back to term 6		Caroline Brothers LA EYFS consultant 20 th Feb and 27 th March – very positive feedback VH EYFS Gov has visited and supports observations.	
1b Planning to be evidenced from our APS.		Jan 23	Ongoing		APS building – should be complete by the end of term 6.	
1c Publish our APS on the school website so that it is accessible for our stakeholders.		Feb 23	End of term 4			
1d The APS to be reviewed with the EYFS Gov Consultant.	ernor and LA	Feb 23	Ongoing	½ day consultancy time booked	Caroline Brothers has helped shape further cation points.	
1e Identified improvements from review to b	e actioned.	Jan 23	Ongoing			

2 To ensure that it is clear and evident in planning that children have a range of learning opportunities that include adult initiated activities. As a result, opportunities for children are able to consolidate and practise learning.	Jan 23	Term 6	
2a Ensure adult initiated learning in planning and evaluations weekly.	Jan 23	Ongoing	Drop in opportunities show that this is evident in every day practise.
2b Ensure EYFS record children's participation in all activities (especially adult led)	Jan 23	Ongoing	Build this in to Maths and Literacy on a regular slots. SIP.
2c CPD opportunities actioned for the development of adult initiated learning.	Term 3 & 4	Term 5	Build in opportunities for TAs to have training. SIP
2d Monitoring of lesson observations focus on consolidation and practise.	Jan 23	Termly	All monitoring demonstrates opportunities for consolidation & practise. Continued
3. By the end of July external validation evidences priority targets met.			Continued
3a EYFS planning is based on children's developmental needs.	Jan 23	Term 6	All external advisors / consultants reported progress in all EYFS planning
3b assessment of children's development is regular, informs planning and is accurate.	Jan 23	Termly	Assessment of children identified in planning and informed future learning within EYFS.