



**Wood End Primary School**  
**Year 4 Reading Targets**  
**Age appropriate book bands – pale green, orange, black, silver**

Experie

Achieved

Fluency

<b>Word Reading</b>						
1) I can read most exception words accurately, (from the year 4 list) including words that do not follow spelling patterns.						
2) I can improve my reading speed and confidence – 110 words per minute						
3) I can read independently and stay focused for at least 10 minutes						
<b>Comprehension</b>						
4) I can ask questions about what I have read to help me understand a complicated text.						
5) I can use my understanding of root words, prefixes (including re-, sub-, inter-, sub-, super-, ant-, auto-) and suffixes (including –ation, -ous) to help me understand the meaning of new words. (V)						
6) I can use a dictionary to check the meaning of unfamiliar words. (V)						
7) I can suggest which word could be used to fill in an omitted word.(V)						
8) I can find a word (synonym) or group of words in a text that mean the same as another given word. (find and copy) (V)						
9) I can identify which word/words are closest in meaning to a given word or phrase. (V)						
10) I can identify which word in a text is used for a given purpose. (V)						
11) I can identify a word or phrase which implies an effect or creates a given impression (I) (V)						
12) I can infer how a character is feeling on the basis of what is said or done (I)						
13) I can infer why a character behaves in a certain way using evidence to support my answer (I)						
14) I can use information given to infer characteristics eg. Unwell, thoughtful, age (I)						
15) I can predict what will happen using details stated in a text. (P)						
16) I can predict what might happen from clues implied in a text. (P)						
17) I can identify and explain features (eg characters, language, style) and common themes in a wide range of books (E)						
18) I can identify and explain similarities and differences between characters, setting and events. (E)						
19) I can comment on the effect an author’s word choice has on the text. (E)						
20) I can explain what the features and conventions of different texts are (E)						
21) I am beginning to answer retrieval questions when the words are not directly used in a text. (R)						
22) I can skim and scan fiction texts efficiently to help me answer questions (R)						
23) I can find and record information by skimming and scanning non-fiction texts using structural devices (R)						
24) I can summarise what has happened in a text using themes from paragraphs to help me. (S)						
25) I can order (chronologically / prioritise) the main events in a fiction or non-fiction text. (S)						
26) I am using my reading skills in other lessons to build my knowledge of a subject.						
27) I can listen to and discuss a range of age appropriate poems, plays and non-fiction texts (including reference books or textbooks.)						
28) I can read a wide range of books, fairy stories, myths and legends and retell some of them to others.						
29) I can recognise and discuss different types of poetry (free verse and narrative poetry).						
30) I can read aloud and perform poems and play scripts showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action.						

	31) I can join in a clear reasoned discussion about the books and poems that I have read or have been read to me, taking turns and listening to others.						
	<b>I can accurately use meaning seeking strategies to work out unfamiliar words in context. GDS (V)</b>						
	<b>I can justify inferences using detailed and accurate evidence (GDS) (I)</b>						
	<b>I can answer a range of retrieval questions using evidence from across texts both fiction &amp; non-fiction (GDS) (R)</b>						