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Decoder	1. I can use punctuation when reading aloud to help me use the correct intonation and expression in my voice.			
	2. I can use my knowledge of root words to help me understand the meaning of new words.			
	3. I can use my knowledge of prefixes to help me understand the meaning of new words.			
	4. I can use my knowledge of suffixes to help me understand the meaning of new words e.g. -ant, -ance, -ancy, -ent, -ence, , -ible, -able			
Comprehender	5. I can understand what I am reading by checking the book makes sense and finding the meaning of new words.			
	6. I can ask sensible and interesting questions about the text to help me understand them more.			
	7. I can tell the difference between statements of fact and opinion.			
	8. I can find and write down facts and information from non-fiction texts.			



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Reading Detective	9. I can explain characters' feelings, thoughts or reasons for their actions. I can explain my thoughts with evidence from the text.			
	10. I can predict what might happen in the text using evidence from the text.			
Language Lover	11. I can talk about why authors use language and the impact it has on the reader.			
Responder	12. I can discuss and compare events, structures, issues, characters and plots within a range of texts.			
	13. I can prepare poems and plays to read aloud and perform. I can change my voice to make them more interesting to listen to.			
	14. I can write or give a detailed book review including reasons why I would recommend the book.			
Big Reader	15. I can read, enjoy and discuss a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books.			